

HORTONVILLE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
OPEN SESSION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION – MEETING NOTES
MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2024

(Unofficial – Official Minutes of this Meeting will be available for the Public after Board approval.)

Recognitions

- National Appreciations for Month of April: Associate Principals, Paraprofessionals, Librarians, and Volunteers
- Congratulations to all the HHS students chosen for the National Honor Society
- Thank you to Hope Didier, parent of a GMS student, donated \$300 to help pay for field trips for students of families who are not able to afford them.
- Congratulations to the HHS Art Club members: Trystan Brown, Margaret Rauth, Nora DeShaney, and Jennifer Bordeau, all received 1st place medals for their long-term art projects. This is a HUGE accomplishment considering there are over 60 teams and over 500 art students from all over the State participating in Madison.
- HHS junior Olivia Peters has been nominated for the rSchoolToday Athlete of the week for her mound and plate performance during the spring break softball games in Tennessee.
- Congratulations to HASD Music Department for receiving the Best Communities for Music Education award from the NAMM Foundation – 25 Years (1999 – 2024)

Presentations by District Residents/Comments from Public and Staff

- None

Special Presentations

- None

District Administrator’s Report – Mr. Todd Timm

- Election Results
- Updated Board Members on Statewide Referendum Results

President’s Report – Mr. Robert VanDenElzen

- Election of Officers at April 22, 2024 Meeting / Committee Placements at May 13, 2024 Meeting

Committee Report

- None

Discussion

- 2023-2024 Health Plan summary and 2024-2025 Health Plan Projection – Christina Peterson and Brown & Brown Co.
- 4K Update, 2024-20225 Contract Approval and 4K Agreement Reimbursement– Jared Deli

Motions - Approved

- 2nd Reading – Overnight – GMS Bands – Wisconsin Dells – May 23-24, 2024 – Transportation approved & provided by District
- 2nd Reading – Overnight – HHS Volleyball Team – Kettle Moraine – September 13-14, 2024 – Transportation approved & provided by District
- 2nd Reading – Overnight / Out-of-State – DECA – California – April 26 – May 1st, 2024 – National Competition – Transportation approved & provided by District
- Resignation Samuel Engelland – HHS Activities Director – last day 6/6/2024
- Resignation Dayeton Tolle – HHS English Teacher / Girls Track & Field Coach / Cross Country Assistant Coach – last day 6/6/2024
- Resignation Coral Newton – HMS Special Education Teacher
- Resignation Katie Jahnke – HMS Special Education Teacher – last day 6/6/2024
- Staff Change Sarah Yerges moving from Instructional Coach GES to Literacy Coach HES beginning 2024/2025 school year
- Approved the recommendation from Literacy Leadership Team for the adoption of Benchmark Advance as K-5 literacy comprehensive program (*Curriculum Committee 3/11/2024*)

Forthcoming Events

- Personnel Committee Meeting – Monday, April 22, 2024 – 6:30 PM – District Board Room
- Board of Education Meeting – Monday, April 22, 2024 – 7:00 PM – District Board Room
- Curriculum Committee Meeting – Monday, May 13, 2024 – 6:15 PM – District Board Room

- Board of Education Meeting – Monday, May 13, 2024 – 7:00 PM – District Board Room
- District Staff Appreciation Banquet – Wednesday, May 15, 2024 – 5:30 PM – Romy’s Nitingale, Black Creek
- HHS Graduation – Wednesday, May 22, 2024 – HHS High School – 7:00 PM
- Board of Education Meeting – Monday, June 10, 2024 – 7:00 PM – District Board Room
- Board of Education Meeting – Monday, June 24, 2024 – 7:00 PM – District Board Room