

Board of Education

REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, July 5, 2011 – 6:30 p.m.

Waterbury Arts Magnet School's Atrium, 16 South Elm Street, Waterbury, CT

A G E N D A

- 1. *Silent Prayer***
- 2. *Pledge Allegiance to the Flag***
- 3. *Roll Call***
- 4. *Communications***
- 5. *Approval of Minutes:*** Committee Meeting Minutes of May 24, 2010, Regular Meeting of June 1, 2010, Committee Meeting Minutes of June 7, 2010, Rescheduled Regular Meeting of June 21, 2010, Committee Meeting Minutes of June 21, 2010, Regular Meeting of June 28, 2010.
- 6. *Public Addresses the Board:*** All speakers are encouraged to submit prepared written statements to the Commissioners. Comments shall be limited to a maximum of three minutes. The Chairman will disallow a speaker from continuing to speak if slanderous or defamatory remarks are made. There will be no responses this evening to any questions or concerns raised; they will be referred to the Administration for review and response.
- 7. *Superintendent's Report***
- 8. *President's Comments***
- 9. *Consent Calendar***
 - 9.1 *Committee on Grants:* Request permission to apply for the U.S. Department of Education "GEAR UP" Grant.
 - 9.2 *Committee on Grants:* Request approval to participate in the "GEAR UP "Grant with NVCC, applicant.
 - 9.3 *Committee on Grants:* Request approval to apply for the 2011-13 Family Resource Center Grant for Wilson School.
 - 9.4 *Committee on Grants:* Request approval to apply for the 2011-13 Family Resource Center Grant for Chase School.
 - 9.5 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Let's Think-kids Foundation, Inc., for parent/caregiver training services.
 - 9.6 *Committee on Finance:* Request approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Rob Davis, d/b/a SUMMITT Support Services, to provide special education services for children.

- 9.7 *Committee on Finance*: Request approval of the 2011-12 Department of Education's line item budget.
- 9.8 *Committee on School Activities*: Use of school facilities by school organizations and/or City departments.
- 9.9 *Committee on School Activities*: Use of school facilities by outside organizations and/or waiver requests.
- 9.10 *Committee on School Activities*: Request permission be granted to R. Saharan, WHS CBT Program, and six chaperones, to take 20 students to West Springfield, MA on September 22, 2011 to attend The Big E.

10. Items Removed from Consent Calendar

11. Committee on Grants – Commissioner Harvey

- 11.1 Request approval to apply for the State Department of Education Career Development Program/Industry Concept Education Grant.

12. Superintendent's Notification to the Board

12.1 Athletic resignations:

Stanco, Shawn – Freshman Baseball Coach, CHS, effective 06/30/10.

12.2 Athletic appointments effective immediately:

Caouette, James – Assistant Football Coach, WHS.

Ring, Kate – Assistant Volleyball Coach, KHS.

Russo, Patrick – Head Football Coach, WHS.

12.3 Teacher new hires:

Becce, Chelsea – WHS Biology, MA/1, effective 08/25/11.

Owens, Mary – correction of effective date from 5/4/11 to 5/16/11.

Wilkins, Deborah – WSMS Math grade 8, BA/3, effective 08/25/11.

12.4 Appointments:

Gugliotti, Melissa – Supervising Vice Principal, Duggan School, effective 08/15/11.

12.5 Grant funded appointments:

Fusco-Taylor, Tina – Project Coordinator, Stepping Stone Summer Program, maximum of 120 hours @ \$31 per hour.

Okoski, Karen – Project Coordinator, Stepping Stone Summer Program, maximum of 120 hours @ \$31 per hour.

Walker, Wesley – Secretary II, Education Grants, 12 months per year, 35 hours per week @ \$13.34 per hour, SEIU position with benefits.

12.6 Summer Transition Program appointments, grade 8 to 9, salary according to individual's contract:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
Balsamo, Vincent	Math Teacher
Bartholomew, Lori	English Teacher
Kollchaku, Nikoleta	Math Teacher
Phostole, Sean	Lead Teacher
Winstanley, Kristin	English Teacher

12.7 Summer Transition Program appointments, grade 5 to 6, salary according to individual's contract:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
Bramble, Michelle	Math Teacher	NEMS
Brandes, Ron	Math Teacher	NEMS
Gugliotti, Melissa	Administrator	NEMS
Pesce, Maria	Reading Teacher	NEMS
Wilson, Miriam	Reading Teacher	NEMS
Camilleri, Lisa	Math Teacher	WMS
Carpenter, Ryan	Reading Teacher	WMS
Mastrianni, Geralyn	Reading Teacher	WMS
McCarthy, Patricia	Administrator	WMS
Shulenburg, Don	Math Teacher	WMS
DiTillo, Lori	Administrator	WSMS
Ferrucci, Kathleen	Reading Teacher	WSMS
Iglesias, Luanelly	Math Teacher	WSMS
Mancini, Doris	Reading Teacher	WSMS
Palladino, Mark	Math Teacher	WSMS

12.8 SOAR to Success Summer School appointments, salary according to individual's contract:

Gilbert, Pam – Secretary/Chase
 McAloon, Jennifer – Administrator/Gilmartin
 Moulthrop, Maria – Summer School Coordinator

<u>Teachers:</u>	Costa, Maria	Lanouette, Christine	Mendez, Molly
	DeSantis, Amy	Lanouette, Cody	Murphy, Amy
	Dwyer, Jen	Lanouette, Jay	Ramirez, Inez (sub)
	Hanson, Jennifer	Lavallee, Gina	Tracy, Andrew
	Koestner, Amanda	Maturo, Jonna	Walent, Cheyenne
	Lamey, Simone	McGrath, Robert	Williams, Kim

12.9 SOAR to Success Summer School changes to previously approved appointments:

Cofrancesco, Darlene – from Teacher to Administrator/Regan
 Copeland, Julie – Teacher, resigned.
 Couture, David – Teacher, from SOAR Summer School to Maloney Summer School.
 Gagain, Lenore – from Teacher to Administrator/Chase.
 Greguoli, Heidi – from Secretary/Chase to Secretary/District-wide.
 Griffin, Karen – Teacher, resigned.

Kramarz, Lori – from Teacher to Administrator/Washington.
Misset, Aimee – from Teacher to Literacy Facilitator.
Otto, Alison – Teacher, from SOAR Summer School to Maloney Summer School.
Ouellette, Francine – Teacher, resigned.

12.10 Extended School Year appointments:

Campagna, Amanda – Teacher (replacing Carla Parillo).
Labagh, Michael – Teacher (replacing Christina Moore).

12.11 Maloney Magnet School Summer School appointments, salary according to individual's contract:

Calabrese, Robert – Network Specialist.
Thompson, Michael – Network Specialist (substitute).

12.12 21st Century Learning Center Grant summer program appointments:

*Art and Literature Enrichment, Grades 1-8, WOW Recreation Center
June 27 – August 19, 2011*

Teachers: Michael Theriault, Lead Teacher
Jahana Hayes, Language Arts/Social Studies
Joanne Piccirillo, Substitute

*Science Enrichment Program, Grades 6-8, Wallace Middle School, Cohort 5
July 5 – July 28, 2011*

Teachers: Marcy Pogodzienski, Lead Teacher
Ericka Boutote David Sidella
Jennifer Magnavice Debbie Gluz

*Science and Literature Enrichment, Grades 3, 4 and 5, Mattatuck Museum
August 1 – August 18, 2011*

Teachers: Darryl Parker, Lead Teacher
Betzaida Vega Zuheill Avila
Branden Strileckis

*Arts and Videography Program, Grades 9-12, Kennedy High School
July 6 – July 28, 2011*

Teachers: Michael Clark, Lead Teacher
Jeff Shocki

*Chase Park House Summer Camp, Grades 3, 4, and 5, Chase Park House
August 1 – 19, 2011*

Teachers: Donna Phoenix

*Sprague School/Waterville Parks and Rec., Grades 3, 4, and 5, Sprague School
August 8 – 19, 2011*

Teachers: Marcy Pogodzienski, Lead Teacher

12.13 Teacher transfers:

Teacher	From	To	Effective
Argenta, Lauren	Chase K (temp)	Chase K (perm)	1/3/11
Armour, Sue Ann	Bucks Hill Library	Duggan Library	8/25/11
Barbati, Donna	Brooklyn Special Ed	Duggan Special Ed	8/25/11
Barbosa, Raquel	Washington Grade 4	Washington Grade 2	8/25/11
Bell, Michelle	Brooklyn Gr 2	Duggan Gr 2	8/25/11
Bisaillon, Bret	Kingsbury Gr 2	Kingsbury Gr 3	8/25/11
Bouchard-McCulloch, Nancy	Brooklyn Special Ed	Duggan Special Ed	8/25/11
Brittingham, Michele	Barnard Gr 5	Duggan Gr 3	8/25/11
Brunetti, Dana	Chase Grade 1	Carrington Grade 1	8/25/11
Chiarillo, June	Tinker/Barnard Art	Tinker/Duggan Art	8/25/11
Cigas, Jeannine	Kingsbury Gr 3	Kingsbury Gr 2	8/25/11
Corbo, Cherie	Sprague Reading	Driggs Reading	8/25/11
Defazio, Martin	NEMS Math	Wilby Math	8/25/11
Dingwall, Cassandra	Regan PE	Duggan PE	8/25/11
Diorio, Jill	Barnard Gr 2	Duggan PreK	8/25/11
Dojnia, Melissa	Tinker Grade 5	Wilson Grade 4	8/25/11
Domizio, Johna	Rotella Library Media	WSMS Library Media	8/25/11
Dutil, Thomas	Barnard Special Ed	Duggan Special Ed	8/25/11
Fidanza, Carla	Brooklyn Gr 4	Duggan Gr 4	8/25/11
Field, Susan	Brooklyn Gr 5	Duggan Gr 5	8/25/11
Finkenzeller, Frances	Barnard Gr 5	Duggan Gr 3	8/25/11
Forcier, Lynn	Wallace Gr 6 Math	NEMS Gr 6 Math	8/25/11
Foy, Talisha	Walsh Grade 4	Walsh Grade 5	8/25/11
Frenis, Janet	Wallace Gr 8 Math	Duggan Gr 6 Math	8/25/11
Garcia, Julio	Carrington Bil. Grade 5	Carrington ESL	8/25/11
Gaudiosi, Kristen	Barnard Gr 2	Duggan Gr 2	8/25/11
Gay, Rebecca	Brooklyn Gr 1	Bunker Hill Gr 1	8/25/11
Giuffre, Maureen	Barnard K	Duggan PreK School Readiness	8/25/11
Griffin, Meghan	WAMS Biology	WAMS Science Dept. Chair	8/25/11
Gwiazdoski, Helen	Bunker Hill Gr 1	Bunker Hill K	8/25/11
Haines, Thomas	Bucks Hill Gr 4	Wilson Gr 1	8/25/11
Hart Jr., Richard	Brooklyn Gr 5	Duggan Gr 5	8/25/11
Hernandez, Ivan	NEMS Grade 6 Math	WMS Grade 6 Math	8/25/11
Howles, Melissa	Walsh Immersion Grade 1	Chase Grade 1	8/25/11
Ieronimo , Karen	Driggs Grade 1 (temp)	Driggs Grade 1 (perm)	9/22/10
Ieronimo, Lisa	Barnard Gr 1	Duggan Gr 1	8/25/11
Johnston, Christine	Barnard Gr 4	Duggan Gr 4	8/25/11
Lavalle, Chris	Walsh Grade 2 (temp)	Walsh Grade 2 (perm)	2/15/11
Lopez, Doreen	Rotella Gr 4	Bucks Hill Gr 4	8/25/11
Lyons, Jean	Brooklyn K	Bucks Hill Annex PreK	8/25/11
Macharelli, Brian	Walsh Grade 5	Generali Grade 4	8/25/11
MacKay, Amy	Sprague Grade 5	Tinker Grade 5	8/25/11
McCasland, Maureen	Barnard K	Duggan K	8/25/11
McGrath, Robert	Brooklyn Gr 3	Washington Gr 4	8/25/11
McKeeman, Kathleen	Barnard Gr 1	Duggan PreK School Readiness	8/25/11

Melchionne, Helene	Wilby Biology	Gilmartin Science	8/25/11
Mikolsky, Gail	Barnard Special Ed	Duggan Special Ed	8/25/11
Motowidlo, Diane	Barnard TESOL	Duggan TESOL	8/25/11
Mullai, Pranvera	WSMS Social Studies	KHS Social Studies	1/18/11
Murray, Jr, Paul	Brooklyn Math Coach	Duggan Math Coach	8/25/11
Napolitano, Kathleen	Driggs Reading	Sprague Reading	8/25/11
Natoli, Jane	Barnard K	Walsh K	8/25/11
O'Leary, Dale	Washington Grade 2	Washington PreK	8/25/11
Orsillo, Carole	NEMS Science	NEMS Special Ed	8/25/11
Pascale, Stephanie	Enlightenment Spec. Ed	Sprague Grade 5	8/25/11
Pelletier, Roseann	Walsh Reading	Generali Reading	8/25/11
Pronovost, Melissa	Brooklyn Reading	Duggan Reading	8/25/11
Raidhi, Ariola	Driggs Gr 1	Walsh Gr 1	8/25/11
Ridgeway, Benton	NEMS Music	Elem. Instr. Music	8/25/11
Riley, Margaret	Barnard Library	Rotella Library	8/25/11
Rivera, Jessica	Brooklyn K	Duggan K	8/25/11
Roach, Jessica	WAMS Math (temp)	WAMS Math (perm)	11/22/10
Sanzari, Dina	Brooklyn Gr 1	Duggan Gr 1	8/25/11
Schulte, Tara	Wilson Gr 4	Wilson Gr 1	8/25/11
Scirica, Erin	State St Music	Duggan/Bunker Hill Music	8/25/11
Smith, Scott	Walsh Grade 5 (temp)	Walsh Grade 5 (perm)	1/7/11
Steck, Melissa	Barnard Gr 3	Driggs Gr 1	8/25/11
Sullivan, Marianna	Wilson Gr 4	Rotella Gr 4	8/25/11
Tzepos, Ioulia	Barnard Reading	Duggan Reading	8/25/11
Vignali, Donna	WAMS Library	Crosby Library	8/25/11
Washington, Janeen	Barnard Gr 4	Walsh Gr 4	8/25/11
Wiezbecki, Suzanne	Generali Reading	Walsh Reading	8/25/11
Zipoli, Steven	Enlightenment Self-Contained	WSMS Social Studies	1/18/11

12.14 Adult Education Summer Program appointments effective July 6, 2011:

Dorso, Danielle – Substitute, as needed @ \$31.00 p/hour.
Harper, Julia – Science, 22 hours p/week @ \$31.00 p/hour.

12.15 Adult Education Fall Program appointments effective August 25, 2011:

Dorso, Danielle – Substitute, as needed @ \$31.00 p/hour.
Monroe, Alison – Substitute, as needed @ \$24.00 p/hour.
Mottillo, Carissa – Substitute, as needed @ \$24.00 p/hour.

12.16 Retirements:

Gibson, Mattie – W. Cross Special Education, effective 06/30/11.

12.17 Resignations:

Casillas, Elvira – WAMS Spanish, effective 06/30/11.
Barker-Jones, Pamela – Math Supervisor, effective 07/15/11.
Levy, Mark – Driggs Principal, effective 06/30/11.
Rinaldi, Jessica – Walsh School, effective 06/06/11.

13. *Executive Session* for discussion concerning the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

14. *Committee of the Whole* – Vice President White

14.1 Appointment of an Interim Superintendent of Schools.

14.2 Approval to initiate a legal appeal of the Zoning Commission's approval of a firing range adjacent to Sprague School.

15. *Unfinished Business of Preceding Meeting Only*

16. *Other Unfinished, New, and Miscellaneous Business*

17. *Executive Session* for discussion concerning the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.