



# Regional School District No. 14 Towns of Bethlehem and Woodbury

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*We, the educational community of the Region #14 School District, are dedicated to creating a quality, dynamic learning environment so that each individual learner becomes a respected contributing member of the community with values, skills and resources that promote the advancement of society.*

## Board of Education Meeting

Date: Tuesday, September 21, 2009  
Time: 7:00 p.m.  
Place: Nonnewaug High School Library

### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order- Monica Gati
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Presentation
  - 1. District Improvement Plan – Dr. Cronin
  - 2. Highlights of Region 14 students' performance on CMT/CAPT
- IV. Review of Minutes (action anticipated)  
Regular Board Meeting of August 24, 2009
- V. Correspondence
- VI. Report from Chairperson
- VII. Report from Superintendent
  - 1. Office of Civil Rights Compliance Review
  - 2. Report on Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP)

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## **VIII. Privilege of the Floor**

The Board welcomes commentary from members of the community regarding agenda items or other topics of interest. The participating time will be limited to (3) minutes per person and (20) minutes overall to guarantee efficient operation of the meeting. In the event of a lengthy agenda, the (20) minute limit may be modified. Citizens wishing to make comments are requested to fill out the speaker sign-up sheet prior to the start of the meeting, recording their name and address, which must also be stated at the beginning of their public comment. Courtesy is expected during privilege of the floor, and we request that speakers be concise and respectful in their comments. Gossip, defamatory comments, abusive or vulgar language will not be permitted. Speakers are asked not to be repetitious of comments already made to the Board. Public comment is normally not invited for topics listed for action after having been publicly discussed at one or more meetings. Comments will be heard and considered. Generally, the Board will not discuss or address or act on an item not on the agenda. The primary purpose of the meeting is for the Board to conduct its business as charged by law. Spontaneous discussion, as well as disorder or disruption, prevent the Board from doing its work and will not be permitted.

## **IX. Report from Director of Finance and Operations**

- 1. Facilities**
- 2. Technology**
- 3. Transportation**
- 4. Food Services**
- 5. Finances - Discussion and possible action to authorize the Superintendent and Director of Finance and Operations to act on behalf of the Board per board policies**

## **X. Old Business**

## **XI. New Business**

### **Personnel - Approval of Extra Duty Appointments**

#### **1. Non-Athletic:**

**Deborah Kavanaugh**, PPT Coordinator, STAR Preschool Program

**Melissa Colby**, PPT Coordinator, Bethlehem Elementary School

**Dina Kayser**, PPT Coordinator, Mitchell Elementary School

**Julie Haggard**, PPT Coordinator, Woodbury Middle School

**Brian Bisson, Michael Jasensky, Tammy Platt and Phyllis Story**, PPT Coordinators, Nonnewaug High School

**Diane Baker and Kate McKeon**, Student Council Advisors, Mitchell Elementary School

**Michael Murphy**, Robotics Club Advisor, Nonnewaug High School

**Roger Parkhouse and Paul Ciotti**, TV Technicians, Nonnewaug High School

**Roger Parkhouse**, Stage Club Advisor, Nonnewaug High School

**Roger Parkhouse**, Media Technician, Nonnewaug High School

**Lucia Dressel**, Senior Class Play Advisor, Nonnewaug High School

**Lucia Dressel**, Drama Club Advisor, Nonnewaug High School

**David Green**, Fall Athletic Academic Advisor, Nonnewaug High School

**Elaine Peck**, Multi-Media Club Advisor, Woodbury Middle School

**Kim Caldwell and Melissa Bernardi**, Outdoor Club Advisors, Woodbury Middle

**Joy Geraci, Carol Tomkalski and Debra O'Leary**, SMADD (now known as Students Helping Our Community, or SHOC), Woodbury Middle School

**Jacqueline Smith**, Leo Club Advisor, Woodbury Middle School

**Kathleen Peterson**, Writers Workshop Advisor, Woodbury Middle School

**Jennifer Armour**, Student Council Advisor, Woodbury Middle School

XI. New Business (cont) Approval of Extra Duty Appointments (cont)

2. Athletic:

**Christopher McGrath**, Assistant Girls Soccer Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**Tyler Sheikh**, Assistant Boys Soccer Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**James McKirdy**, Volunteer Assistant Cross Country Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**Art Blais**, Assistant Football Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**John Stolle**, Assistant Football Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**Leeza Desjardins** and **Patricia Reed**, Fall/Winter Cheerleading Coaches, Nonnewaug High School

**Tammy Platt**, Unified Sports Coach, Nonnewaug High School

**Christopher McGrath** and **Ronald Russo**, Boys Basketball Coaches, Woodbury Middle

**Julie Haggard**, Ski Club Advisor, Woodbury Middle School

XII. Board Announcements

XIII. Executive Session  
Personnel – Contract Negotiation

XIV. Adjournment