

**OXFORD HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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<b>DATE:</b> <u>Tuesday September 2, 2014</u>
<b>TIME:</b> 7:00 p.m.
<b>LOCATION:</b> Central Office, 232 Main Street, South Paris Room #117

**A G E N D A**

1. **CALL TO ORDER.** Chairman Ronald Kugell will preside.
  
2. **FLAG SALUTE.**
  
3. **WELCOME TO VISITORS.**
  
4. **QUESTIONS/COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC.**
  
5. **REPORTS.**

Operations Committee  
Student Representative

Mr. DiConzo  
Ms. Sophie Lawton

**Scheduled Committee Meetings:**

New Board Memb. Orientation	Sept. 2, 2014 5:00 p.m.	Central Office Supt. Office
Operations Committee	Sept. 2, 2014 6:15 p.m.	Central Office Community Room
Curriculum Committee	Sept. 8, 2014 5:00 p.m.	Central Office Rm. #206
Policy Committee	Sept. 15, 2014 5:00 p.m.	Central Office Community Room

6. **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.**
  
7. **ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA.**
  
8. **CONSENT AGENDA.**

A. To see if the Board will vote to approve the following appointments:

Holli Pullen  
Julianne Eastman  
Tonja Jacobs

Ed Tech I, Guy E. Rowe Elementary School  
Special Education, Waterford Memorial School  
Literacy Coach, Oxford Hills Middle School

Hunter Rowell  
Virginia Iba  
Peter Doucette  
Amy Peterson

Ed Tech I, Guy E. Rowe Elementary School  
Special Education, Oxford Elementary School  
Math Teacher, Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School  
Guidance Counselor, OHCHS

**NOTE: See enclosed biographies.**

**B. To see if the Board will approve the following FY 2015 Coaching positions:**

Arline Howe  
Tia Pratt

Boys A Soccer, Oxford Hills Middle School  
Field Hockey, Oxford Hills Middle School

**9. ACTION ON MINUTES:**

**A. To see if the Board will vote to approve the minutes of the August 18, 2014 regular Board Meeting?**

**10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None**

**11. NEW BUSINESS:**

**A. To hear a presentation from District Principals on the opening of schools.**

**B. To hear a presentation from Heather Manchester on Proficiency Based Diplomas.**

**C. To see if the Board will vote to approve the bid to remove the underground oil tank at Oxford Hills Middle School?**

**NOTE: Operations Committee will have a recommendation.**

**D. To see if the Board will vote to approve the bid to remove the above ground oil tank at Paris Elementary school?**

**NOTE: Operations Committee will have a recommendation .**

**12. QUESTIONS/COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD.**

**13. AJOURNMENT.**

**TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
**FROM: Rick Colpitts, Superintendent of Schools**  
**DATE: Tuesday, September 2, 2014**

**RE: SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE**

**1. ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES:**

- Superintendent

**2. TRANSFERS:**

- Joe Oufiero, Ed Tech II in Applied Academics to Ed Tech II In-School Suspension Monitor effective FY 2015.

**RESIGNATIONS:**

- Roberta Polland, Special Education Teacher, Oxford Elementary School, 3 years, effective FY 2015.
- Sarah Scofield, Lead Teacher/Special Education Teacher, Waterford Memorial School, 5 years, effective FY 2015.
- Genevieve Chaloult, Ed Tech II, Guy E. Rowe Elementary School, 3 years, effective September 9, 2014.

**4. ENCLOSURES:**

- 4.1 Minutes Finance Committee, Operations Committee and Personnel Committee.
- 4.2 Enrollment from 1<sup>st</sup> Day of School, August 27, 2014 District Enrollment
- 4.3 New Employee Biographies
- 4.4 Tentative Board Committee Assignments

**5. Congratulations to Lauren LaPointe (Lariviere) and Jason Lariviere on obtaining their Masters of Science Degree in Education from University of New England, Jason Long for receiving his Masters of Science in Education in Educational Leadership from University of Maine at Farmington and Walter Perry for receiving his Masters of Science in Education from University of Maine at Farmington.**

**6. Aspire Higher month begins on October 1<sup>st</sup> through October 31<sup>st</sup>. The Aspire Higher parade is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday 22, 2014.**

## **2014-15 NEW EMPLOYEES**

**Holli Pullen**                      **Ed Tech I at Guy E. Rowe Elementary School**

Ms. Pullen has an Associates Degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Maine at Augusta. She has eight years experience as a police officer.

**Julianne Eastman**                      **Special Education Teacher at Waterford Memorial School**

Ms. Eastman received her Master of Science in Abilities and Disabilities in December 2012. She has taught Special Education at the Hartford Sumner Elementary School since August 2004.

**Tonja Jacobs**                      **Literacy Coach at Oxford Hills Middle School**

Ms. Jacobs holds a Bachelors of Science in Secondary Education, English from the University of Maine at Farmington and a Masters in Literacy, Literacy Specialist K-12 from University of Maine at Orono. She taught Special Education and English at the High School level prior to becoming a Literacy Teacher at Mountain Valley High School in August 2006.

**Hunter Rowell**                      **Ed Tech I at Guy E. Rowe Elementary School**

Mr. Rowell holds a Bachelors Degree in English and Creative Writing from the University of Maine at Farmington. He has experience working with children at Camp Caribou and through the Boy Scouts.

**Virginia Iba**                      **Special Education Teacher at Oxford Elementary School**

Ms. Iba comes to us with 8+ years experience working as a Title I and Special Education Teacher in Colorado and Maine. She has a Bachelors Degree in Psychology from University of Northern Colorado and coursework in Education.

**Peter Doucette**                      **Math Teacher, Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School**

Mr. Doucette was a long term substitute in mathematics last year. He is a graduate of Oxford Hills School District and Bates college where he earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Economics.

**Amy Peterson**                      **Guidance Counselor, Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School**

Amy has a Bachelors of Arts in Psychology from the University of Maine at Orono and Masters of Science in School Counseling from Husson College. She is currently a Mathematics Teacher at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School.