

MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #51
CUMBERLAND / NORTH YARMOUTH
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Board of Directors

Agenda

7:00 PM

Monday
October 5, 2009

Cumberland Town Hall
Council Chamber

1. Call To Order - by MSAD #51 Board of Directors Chair, Dave Perkins ____ PM.
2. Approval of Minutes
3. Public Comment
4. Superintendent's Report
5. Presentations
 - MSAD #51 Annual Report
6. Committee Reports
 - a) Finance
 - b) Policy
 - c) Negotiation
 - d) Facilities
 - e) Non-Standing Committees
 - f) Presentations of work plans by chairs of committees
7. Items for Action
8. Communications
9. Adjourn Meeting _____ PM

MSAD #51 Mission

The mission of MSAD #51 is to guide all students as they acquire enthusiasm for learning, assume responsibility for their education, achieve academic excellence, and discover and attain their personal best.

To accomplish this mission, the MSAD #51 community will collaborate to:

- Use effective instructional practices and provide professional development to assure that all students meet or exceed the District's Content Standards and Performance Indicators as they relate to the system of Maine Learning Results;
- Ensure a safe and respectful environment where all feel a sense of belonging; and
- Promote parental participation as fundamental to each student's success.

Board Goals 2009-2010

To support the mission of MSAD #51, the Board of Directors has adopted the following overarching goals:

1. **Ensure that each student is effectively engaged in learning, meets or exceeds the District's learning goals, and progresses towards attaining his/her personal best.**
2. **Implement accountability systems for providing, assessing, and supporting student learning.**
3. **Foster a positive and supportive learning and working environment.**
4. **Provide responsible oversight of District and Community resources.**

These goals are best accomplished by:

- supporting the District's work in curriculum, assessment, instruction and professional development
- understanding and analyzing student performance data,
- explaining the reasons and rationale for curricular changes to the community,
- developing policy for general guidance and specific compliance with local and State mandates,
- adjusting processes and procedures to ensure a quality and safe teaching and learning environment, and
- developing plans for human, financial, and facilities resources that
 - account for community capacity, District needs, and priorities,
 - maximize District efficiency and long-term sustainability, and
 - use an approach that is inclusive and transparent to District constituencies.

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Upcoming Meetings/Events

10/1/09 – GMS Picture Day
10/1/09 – Drama Open House @ GHS, 7:00 PM
10/3/09 – GMS Band @ Cumberland Fair Parade
10/5/09 – School Board Meeting, Cumberland Town Hall Council Chamber, 7:00 PM
10/6/09 – Foundation 51 meeting, 7:00 PM
10/9/09 – Professional Learning Day (In-Service), no school
10/10/09 – SAT's @ GHS
10/12/09 – Columbus Day – no school
10/13/09 - PTO meeting, MIW, Dr. Hasson, Supt., 7:00 PM
10/14/09 – PSAT's @ GHS
10/14/09 – Foundation 51 meeting, 7:00 PM
10/15/09 – MIW Picture Day (retakes on 11/20)
10/15/09 – NYMS Picture Day
10/15/09 – Arts Alliance meeting, MIW, 3:00 PM
10/16/09 – DRS Picture Day
10/16/09 – Jazz All State Auditions @ UMA
10/19/09 – School Board Meeting, Cumberland Town Hall Council Chamber, 7:00 PM
10/21/09 - Early Release: grades K-5 @ 12:15 PM, grades 6-12 @ 1:15 PM
10/21/09 – Bus Driver, Food Service & Custodians Appreciation Day
10/21/09 – Foundation 51 meeting, 7:00 PM
10/24/09 – ACT's @ GHS
10/26/09 – District II Auditions @ GMS
10/28/09 – Community Wellness Forum @ Cumberland Town Hall
10/28/09 – Band Performance @ GHS, 7:30 PM
10/30/09 – GHS end of first quarter
10/31/09 – Halloween

Next Board Meeting

- October 19, 2009, Cumberland Town Hall Council Chamber, 7:00 PM