

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT NO. 12
Office of the Superintendent of Schools
Londonderry, New Hampshire 03053

5 A concurrent meeting of the School Administrative Unit No. 12 School Board and the Londonderry School District School Board will be held on **Tuesday, May 22, 2018** at 7:00PM at the Londonderry Town Office, Moose Hill Conference Room, 268B Mammoth Road, Londonderry, NH. In attendance were School Board members: Ms. Ganem, Mrs. Hendricks, Mr. Lekas, Mr. Saucier and Mr. Young. Also in attendance were Superintendent, Mr. Laliberte and School Board secretary, Lisa Muse.

10 **1. Non-Public Session**

2. Call To Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM by Ms. Ganem.

3. Pledge of Allegiance: The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. Roy.

4. Questions, Announcements and Presentations: Ms. Ganem announced that the School Board has unanimously voted that the next Music Director for the School District will be Serge Beaulieu.

4.1 Presentation by LMS Media Studio students who won “What’s Cool About Manufacturing”: Mrs. Roy mentioned that this project is sponsored by State Department of Economy and is open to 7th and 8th graders. They pair up with a manufacturer in the State and the students go to the facility and interview personnel and discover what is cool about manufacturing. The group had to put together a three-minute video. They started in September and worked until February. This is the second year in a row that they have won first prize. The children who participated were Ryan Fortin, Ahna Gainey, Paige Witherbee, Rory McGuirk, Jade LeBlanc and Hannah Muller. There were four groups in the contest. Mrs. Roy commended the students for their perseverance and their hard work.

Mr. Breithaupt spoke a little bit about Little Lancer Day and thanked Mrs. Small and Ms. Sullivan for organizing the event. She also thanked the Future Educators and Pay It Forward group. Students showcased how they worked through the lesson planning and brought activities together. This will be the graduating Class of 2030. She again thanked the High School for a wonderful job of welcoming the kids.

4.2 Recognition of Tyler Cullen and Introduction of Derik Pignone - Scott Laliberte:

Mr. Laliberte thanked Tyler for a wonderful year and mentioned that he always gave us great feedback on some issues. He welcomed Derik Pignone as the new student representative.

5. Consent Agenda: *Mrs. Hendricks made a motion to accept the Consent Agenda. Mr. Lekas seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0 as amended.*

5.1 Retirement(s):

Judy Curreri	SPED Assistant	High School
Flora Sapsin	Teacher	High School

5.2 Resignation(s):

Daniel Geisz	Teacher	Middle School
Nicole Murray	Psychologist	Middle School

5.3 Minutes:

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5.4 Meetings:

June 5, 2018	Regular Meeting	7:00pm	Town Offices
June 6, 2018	Retirement Celebration	4:00pm	LHS Café
June 7, 2018	Adult Ed Graduation	6:00pm	LHS Café
June 11, 2018	Senior Project Showcase	6:00pm	LHS Café

June 14, 2018	Baccalaureate	7:00pm	Capital Center for the Arts in Concord
June 15, 2018	High School Graduation	7:00pm	SNHU Arena
June 19, 2018	Regular Meeting	7:00pm	Town Offices

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6. Committee Reports

6.1 **Student Council – Tyler Cullen:** Elections are over! Everybody fought hard and gave it their best. Last night was our induction ceremony for the victors, one of whom is beside me tonight. Derik will be taking over next meeting, and I'm sure you will all find him more than capable of succeeding me. The NHASC Spring Convention is being held this Friday, May 25. We all dress up in suits and bus up to the State House to participate in leadership conferences and listen to guest speakers. We have a surprise in store that I'm not allowed to talk about just yet, but assuming that everything goes according to plan, you'll hear about it from Derik next meeting. The NASC National Conference will be happening in Minnesota this year. I don't have exact dates, but it should be happening at some point towards the end of June. If I had to guess, I'd say that LHS won't be sending a large delegation, but nevertheless it is a big event for student councils across the country.

6.2 **Teacher Liaison – Mary Wing Soares: South School:** On May 16th South School held their Annual Student Art Show which was well attended by many students and their families (including some grandparents!). The school's Artist-in-Residence this year Pat Picciano (peachy-on-o) who is the puppet-maker they had in January and February, attended the student show as well. **High school:** The Londonderry High School Reflections Yearbook Staff is pleased to announce that this year's yearbook will be distributed to the Class of 2018 next Wednesday, 5/30 and to underclassmen starting Thursday, 5/31. This year's book celebrates the 40th Anniversary of LHS which opened its doors to students in 1978! It is our 39th volume (as the first yearbook was produced for the first graduating Class of 1980). Madison DiBenedetto was the Chief Editor (she was on staff for all 4 years of her high school career). Heather Diamond is the Yearbook advisor and Lydia Campos is the Assistant Yearbook Adviser. Mr. Parent has to attend the Varsity Banquet this evening, so he asked me to announce the following: It pleases him greatly to announce the Top Ten academicians in the Class of 2018. The following seniors have earned cumulative weighted grade point averages of 4.4 or higher after seven calculated semesters of schooling. Congratulations to: Carolyn Hill (10th Honors), Meghan McCudden (9th Honors), Andrew Liu (8th Honors), Joseph Hernandez (7th Honors), Carina Pento (6th Honors), Jacqueline Baumann (5th Honors), Richard Chen (4th Honors), Jeffrey Cieslikowski (3rd Honors), Caroline Hayes (Salutatorian), and Heather Ricker (Valedictorian). These students will be honored at the Top Ten Dinner, Baccalaureate awards ceremony, and recognized at Graduation. Ashley Lynch, a LHS learner is one of the 2018 National Council Teachers of English Achievement Award winners in Writing. The NCTE Achievement Awards in writing is a school based writing program established in 1957 to encourage high school student to write and to recognize some of the best students writers in the nation. Only students who are juniors may participate. Schools in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Canada, American Schools abroad, and the Virgin Island are eligible to nominate students for the writing program. Ashley received a Certificate of Superior Writing. This year, Schools nominated 462 students. Of that number, 227 received Certificates of Superior writing and 235 received Certificates of Nomination. Each student submitted two pieces of writing. Two independent judges scored each submission on expression of ideas, language use, and unique perspective and voice.

6.3 **School Board Liaison Reports:** Mr. Saucier attended the MT PTA meeting that had a great presentation on anti-bullying. It was very informative.

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7. **Deliberations**

7.1 **To see what action(s) the Board will take regarding the update on Adult Ed Grant Proposal for FY 2018-2019:** Mrs. Small: A brief update of the past years was given and its mentioned that on June 7th there will 23 graduates. She thanked the staff of about 20 teachers who get the kids through it. They work closely with parents to show its an alternative choice. Over 625 students have received diplomas over the years. They are focused on putting some college and career readiness to the program and have integrated a food component. They have also integrated a dinner before the ceremony. The State give us a grant and over the years it has gone down, but this year's award was around \$45,000. This award will be used for staffing, a counselor and then the technology piece which is chrome books. **Mr. Young made a motion to submit the Londonderry Adult Education Grant Proposal for the school year 2018/2019 request for the grant to the State of NH Department of Ed. Mrs. Hendricks seconded the motion. The motion passed by a vote of 5-0.**

8. **Superintendent's Report**

8.1 **April Enrollment Report - Scott Laliberte:** Presently, there are 4362 students in our school and there has not been a great deal of change since the March report. LEEP numbers are included on the second page. Mr. Laliberte mentioned that if you know you are relocating please let us know early. If you have a kindergarten student or know of someone who does, please contact the District Office to set up an appointment. Last year we had new 20 new students in the two weeks leading up to school. Mr. Young mentioned that the LEEP numbers are very helpful. The 132 does not include the students in the FRIENDS program. The real number is 143 for a total number of students. The FRIENDS program require one on one aides. Mr. Young has a request that during the budget season he would ask that we go back before the boom of the 70s and we look at how many students were in the schools. Compare those months over the years. This will help us plan for the future.

9. **Non-Public Session: Non-Public Session requested under RSA 91-A:3, Section II (b). Mr. Lekas made a motion to go into Non-Public Session requested under RSA 91-A:3, Section II (b). Mr. Saucier seconded the motion. The motion passed by a roll call vote.**

10. **Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Muse
School Board Secretary

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PRESENT: Board Members: Ms. Ganem, Mrs. Hendricks, Mr. Lekas, Mr. Saucier and Mr. Young
Superintendent of Schools: Mr. Laliberte
Assistant Superintendent: Mr. Black

5 Called to order at 6:01PM by Ms. Ganem

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Saucier

10 Mr. Lekas moved, seconded by Mr. Saucier and passed unanimously (5-0) by a roll call vote to enter non-public session under RSA 91-A:3, Section II (b) at 6:02PM

Mrs. Swenson, Director of Human Services and finalist for Music Director entered meeting at 6:03PM

15 Interview with finalist for the Music Director position

Music Director finalist exited the meeting at 6:42PM

20 Discussion about the Music Director finalist

Mrs. Hendricks moved, seconded by Mr. Lekas and passed unanimously (5-0) to approve administration's recommendation for a Music Director

25 Mr. Lekas moved, seconded by Mrs. Hendricks and passed unanimously (5-0) to approve administration's recommendation for compensation for the Music Director

Music Director finalist returned to the meeting at 6:55PM

30 Mr. Young moved, seconded by Mr. Lekas and passed unanimously (5-0) to adjourn public session at 6:57PM

35 PRESENT: Board Members: Ms. Ganem, Mrs. Hendricks, Mr. Lekas, Mr. Saucier and Mr. Young
Superintendent of Schools: Mr. Laliberte
Assistant Superintendent: Mr. Black
Director of Human Resources: Mrs. Swenson

Mr. Lekas moved, seconded by Mr. Saucier and passed unanimously (5-0) by a roll call vote to re-enter recessed non-public session under RSA 91-A:3, Section II (b) at 7:48PM

40 Mrs. Hendricks moved, seconded by Mr. Young and passed unanimously (5-0) to approve administration's recommendations for four Teachers

45 Mr. Lekas moved, seconded by Mrs. Hendricks and passed unanimously (5-0) to approve administration's recommendations for Extended School Year nominations

Mrs. Hendricks moved, seconded by Mr. Saucier and passed unanimously (5-0) to exit non-public session at 8:10PM

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Mrs. Hendricks moved, seconded by Mr. Saucier and passed unanimously (5-0) to adjourn public session at 8:11PM

5 Respectfully submitted,

10 Scott A. Laliberte
Superintendent of Schools