



THE EWING PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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The Ewing Public Schools BOE Board Briefs: July 30, 2018

The Ewing Township Board of Education held its monthly meeting in the Fisher Middle School media center on Monday, July 30th, 2018.

During the **Superintendent's Report**, Chief School Administrator Michael Nitti updated the Board about the district's summer programs, including the Extended School Year program and the "Ready Freddy" program.

Mr. Nitti commented that the staffing process for the upcoming year was progressing nicely, and that many enthusiastic and skilled professionals had been added to the district, and everyone was looking forward to the district's New Teacher Academy, which begins on August 20th.

Mr. Nitti then thanked Board members, the district staff, and all elected officials who helped the Ewing Schools secure additional state funding. The Superintendent then revealed the district's plans for the additional aid, which is detailed in a separate release.

During the **Superintendent Recommendations** Section of the Board Agenda:

School Business Administrator Dennis Nettleton revealed the district recently received a donation of playground equipment, kitchen supplies, and other items from the Family Guidance Center, and expressed his gratitude.

The Board approved a Project Labor Agreement Resolution for potential work related to the upcoming referendum.

The Board approved and reviewed its annual Demographic Report.

The Board approved allocations for additional state aid detailed in the attached release.

The following curriculum guide was revised, reviewed and approved by the Board:

World Cultures Grades 6-8

As part of its emphasis on inclusive practices, the Board approved a Special Olympics Soccer Camp.

The district released its' school leadership/management chart for 2018-19. It is attached. A reminder that there will be a "Principal Welcome Reception" for Mrs. Kelly Kawalek Tuesday, August 21, 2018, 5:30PM-7:30PM at Lore School, please look for an opportunity to join us.

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The following policies and regulations were approved by the Board as “Second Readings” and are now formal Board policy:

R5460.1	High School Transcripts (M) Revised
P8507	Breakfast Offer Versus Serve (OVS) (M) Revised
P8630	Bus Driver/Bus Aide Responsibilities (M) Revised
R8630	Emergency School Bus Procedures (M) Revised
P1550	Equal Employment/Anti-Discrimination Practices (M) Revised
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Furthermore, the following policies and regulations were approved by the Board as “First Readings”. After review and approval by the Board at its next meeting in August, they will become formal Board policy:

P2431	Athletic Competition (M) Revised
P2431.8	Varsity Letters for Interscholastic Interscholastic Extracurricular Activities (M) New
R2431.2	Medical Examination Prior to Participation on a School-Sponsored Interscholastic or Intramural Team or Squad (M) Revised
P5350	Student Suicide & Prevention (M) Revised
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P5533	Student Smoking (M) Revised
P5561	Use of Physical Restraints and Seclusion Techniques for Students with Disabilities (M) Revised
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P8462	Report Potentially Missing or Abused Children (M) Revised
P5512	Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying (M) Revised
R5512	Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying (M) Abolished

The next meeting of the Ewing Township Board of Education is on Monday, August 27th, 2018 in the Fisher Middle School media center.

Please review the following:

2018-19 Administrative/Management staffing chart

District Release: District Releases Plans for Additional \$1.6 million in State Aid

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