

February Board Brief



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Board Brief

The following information is intended to inform staff and community members of recent action taken by the Board. The information included in this brief is not intended to be complete and does not replace official Board minutes.

Highlights from the South Harrison Township Elementary School District Board of Education regular meeting held on February 20th.

ENROLLMENT as of January 31, 2018	
RESIDENT STUDENTS	342
CHOICE STUDENTS	24
TOTAL	366

Presentations

- RTI Program, Ms. Mesmer

Spotlight Students	
January 2018	
1 st	Adriana Paglione
2 nd	Thomas Bitting
3 rd	Zeph Kell
4 th	Lana Tropea
5 th	Luca Bove

6 th	Nicolette Linden
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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Dr. Lavender updated the Board on a variety of topics related to the District, which included the following discussion item(s).

- [School Calendar](#)
- Teacher of the Year

ATTENDANCE SUMMARY

2017-2018 Monthly Average % of Students in Attendance for January 2018:

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Grade Level	Jan %	2017-2018 Current YTD Average %	2016-2017 Overall Average %
Pre-K 3	83.3	93.5	93.3
Pre-K 4	90.6	92.5	96.3
K	90.6	92.5	96.7
Average Pre-K & K	88.2	92.8	95.5
1	95.8	96.6	96.9
2	95.6	96.6	96.6
3	96.6	97.2	96.4
4	93.6	96.7	96.5
5	96.9	97.2	96.9
6	96.8	96.7	97.2
Average 1 - 6	95.9	96.8	96.7
Overall District Average	92.0	94.8	96.6

PERSONNEL

South Harrison Employment

- Certified Staff:
 - Jessica Johnson (LTS School Psychologist)
- Co-Curricular Workers:
 - Carolyn Olsen (Stokes Trip Coordinator)

FUNDRAISERS

- None

FIELD TRIPS/ASSEMBLIES

- **3/14/2018** – The 5th grade will be traveling to the Museum of the American Revolution.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

- None

EMERGENCY DRILLS/CALLS

School / Date	Time	Drill Description
1/29/2018	Start: 02:41 PM End: 02:44 PM	Fire Drill
1/31/2018	Start: 01:26 PM End: 01:31 PM	Precautionary Lockdown

POLICY

The Board recommended the following for First reading for revisions and/or adoption.

- None

The Board recommended the following for Second reading for revisions and/or adoption.

- None

PROGRAMS

- None

BUSINESS, FACILITIES & FINANCE

- **The Board approved the Board Secretary's Report and Bill List.**
- **Student Activity Financial Report.** The Board approved the Student Activity Financial Report as of January 31, 2017
- **2018-2019 SEMI Waiver.** The Board approved to request a waiver of participation in the Special Education Medicaid Initiative (SEMI) based on having fewer than 40 special education Medicaid eligible students for the 2018-2019 school year.

MISCELLANEOUS

Numerous other requests for approval for workshop attendance, student activities, and education items were approved by the Board of Education. These approvals will be reflected in the formal minutes of the meeting, which are available in the office of the Board of Education secretary as well as posted online after Board approval.

The next meeting for the Board is scheduled for **Monday, March 19, 2018**, in the South Harrison Elementary School cafeteria and begins at 7:00 p.m.