

Colebrook School Board Meeting Minutes

Date	2/16/16
Time	7:50 p.m.
Location	Colebrook Elementary School Library
Chairperson	Greg Placy

Attendance

Attendance Legend: **P** – Present **E** – Excused Absence **A** – Absent

School Board Members				Principals		SAU Members	
A	Frederick Brock	P	Greg Placy	P	Mark Fiorentino	P	Robert Mills
P	Eldonna Brooks	P	Robert Unangst, Jr.	P	Dan Gorham	P	Cheryl Covill
P	John Falconer	P	Lisa Whitaker				
P	Brian LaPerle						

Public in Attendance: Stacey Campbell

Minutes

Item	Subject	Action
1.	The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.	
2.	Hearing of the Public: None	
3.	Reading of the Minutes <u>J. Falconer / L. Whitaker:</u> to accept the minutes of February 2, 2016 and the minutes of the budget hearing of February 2, 2016 as presented.	Vote: Unanimous
4.	School Administrators' Reports: <u>Colebrook Elementary School: Dan Gorham</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written report attached • Intruder drill: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ With the help of the school resource officer and two members of the Border Patrol, noted some physical concerns <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Need to be able to lock the front doors remotely ▪ Need to be able to activate a silent alarm • Update on PBIS • Project Aware has made a huge impact on the schools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Each school has its own universal team consisting of parents, teachers, students, and administrators ○ Working with Joanne Malloy, consultant from UNH. ○ Did staff and student surveys • Through the CA Alumni Facebook page, we have been getting good nominations for our Recognition Wall. <u>Colebrook Academy: Mark Fiorentino</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written report attached • Banners for the Academy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Presented information on the appearance and price of the banners ○ Would like to place two on the exterior of the Academy 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prom venues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Discussed some possible sites for the prom • TSA money <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Need about \$1,000 to send the students to North Conway ○ It was noted that there was about \$1,700 budgeted for Youth & Government, and the TSA stipend replaced the Youth & Government stipend, so it follows that the Youth & Government money could be transferred to TSA. ○ It was also discussed having the students do a car wash to help raise money • The Winter Carnival will be this Friday (2/19/16) 	
5.	<p>Superintendent's Report: Robert Mills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written report attached • Nominated Holly Marie Ford as a paraprofessional for a 1st / 2nd grade shared position, to fill the position due to a resignation. <p><u>B. LaPerle / E. Brooks:</u> To approve employing Holly Marie Ford as a paraprofessional.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reviewed some bills currently being considered in the NH legislature: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HB1485 – Permits a private right of action under the pupil safety and violence prevention act (bullying) ○ HB1612 – Lowers the mandatory attendance age from 18 to 16 ○ HB1687 – Allows municipalities and school districts to be held liable for injuries on playground equipment ○ HB1688 – Provides that employees of a governmental unit may be held liable for damages in negligence claims. ○ SB369 – Encouraging public schools to include drug and alcohol education as part of their health education curriculum. ○ HB1246 – Exempts certain persons employed as speech language assistants from requirements for certification by the governing board of speech language pathologists. 	Vote: Unanimous
6.	<p>Business Administrator's Report: Cheryl Covill</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 1987 tractor that we have needs repairs – the estimate to repair the tractor is \$2,300 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In the discussion, it was stated that this is more cost effective than replacing it. • Distributed copies of Colebrook's School District Report for review. • Determined who would be making and seconding motions at the school district meeting. • Reviewed the Power Point for the school district meeting, determining which slides not to use. 	
7.	<p>New Business:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brian LaPerle mentioned the School Board Excellence Award <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Discussed using it as a guide 	

	<u>J. Falconer / B. LaPerle: To adjourn at 8:20 p.m.</u>	Vote: Unanimous
<p>Respectfully Submitted Robert C. Mills, Superintendent of Schools</p>		