

Nashua School Board Regular Meeting  
Tuesday, November 10, 2020  
Nashua School Library  
6:00pm

1. Call to Order and Pledge: Board Chair Sharon Merideth called the meeting to order at 6:00pm and led the Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Roll Call: Michele Fromdahl, Matt Garsjo, Tim Bellon, Sharon Merideth, and Sheila Miller 6:02.  
Other: James Russell, Amanda Engstrom.
3. Correspondence: None.
4. Public Comment: None.
5. Board Approval of:
  - a. Minutes: 10/13/20 Regular Meeting.  
Motion by Michele to approve the 10/13/20 regular minutes.  
Second by Matt Vote: 5 – 0 Passed
  - b. Claims/student activity accounts.  
Motion by Michele to approve claims/student activities.  
Second by Sheila Vote: 5 – 0 Passed
6. Superintendent's Report:
  - a. Parent teacher conference will not be face to face this Thursday. Teachers will schedule a video or a phone conference with parents from 4-7pm.
  - b. Elementary and Junior High basketball will be done on Saturday.
  - c. High School basketball will start December 7<sup>th</sup>.
  - d. OPI teaching positions available for next year are Math, English, and SPED.
  - e. Continuing to make COVID purchase by December 31<sup>st</sup>.
  - f. We will continue to deal with quarantines as they come. Special shout out to all of our staff. This includes teachers and classified staff. They are doing a great job adapting to working through the pandemic and it's impressive to see the quality education being provided.
7. Old Business: None
8. **New Business:**
  - a. **School Vehicle Repair:**

Mr. Russell recommended repairing the Ford Expedition with the provided repair quote from Uncle Milt's Body Shop. Repair quote of \$5,171.47 for front end repair. School vehicle deductible is \$1,000. \*

Motion by Tim to accept quote from Uncle Milt's Body Shop and get the Expedition repaired.  
Second by Michele Vote: 5 – 0 Passed

\*Added by vote at 12/8/20 school board meeting.
  - b. **Distance Learning November 23-25:**

In an effort to stay ahead of a potential mandated school closure due to the pandemic, Mr. Russell recommended a voluntary distance learning for the week of Thanksgiving. This would be two and a half days of distant learning but would give the school ten days of closure and cleaning. Mr. Bellon stressed that as long as this time could be used for review versus new lessons it would be okay. The concern with the older students is that they are given a lot of new material to learn and that is challenging when both parents are working.

Motion by Sheila to have November 23-25<sup>th</sup> as distance learning days.  
Second by Matt Vote: 5 – 0 Passed

c. **Teacher Report:**

ChyAnn Clampitt, the Kindergarten teacher, gave a report on how this school year is going and what she has observed. "The kids are doing great with the masks. Once we went over why and when it's important to wear a mask they understood." All of Ms. Clampitt's students are in person learning with one student distance learning. She said that it's more of a challenge when you have both distance learners and in person students versus when they are all distance learning.

9. Committee Reports:

- Booster Club – None.
- NEA Report– None.

10. Future Agenda Items: Athletic Handbook.

11. Next Board Meeting: Regular Board Meeting Tuesday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

12. Adjournment: Sheila declared meeting adjourned at 6:42pm.

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Chairman

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Clerk

Date: \_\_\_\_\_