Scarborough Public Schools

March 3, 2023



Hot off the Press! Updated School Enrollment Projected Study!

At last evening's School Board meeting, Rebecca Wandell of Wandell Consulting presented the latest Enrollment Projection study in an effort to assist us in planning forward for the needs of our schools now and into the future. The study clearly affirms the real necessity for the need for additional spaces for our students into the future. Here is a link to the <u>complete study</u> and a <u>recording of the</u> <u>presentation</u>, which begins 34 minutes into the video. These are also available on the building project website.

Below is a snippet about K-2 enrollment from the 100+ page report, which details how our enrollment is expected to shift across our district over the next 10 years. These shifts are attributed to a marked increase in live births in Scarborough and in in-migration of families with children moving into our community.

We hope you find this information informative and stay involved as we continue to digest this information and its potential implications for Scarborough.

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K-2 Enrol	Iment by Model - S	carborough - Atten	ding Resident Enro	llment
		Resident Students Atte	ending District Schools	
School Year	Best Fit Model	Best Fit +COVID Adjustment	Housing Impact	Housing Impact HIGH
2022-23*			39	
		Projected		
2023-24	633	646	649	659
2024-25	644	656	662	680
2025-26	629	634	639	662
2026-27	672	679	684	711
2027-28	733	739	744	772
2028-29	771	778	782	810
2029-30	777	796	802	825
2030-31	735	771	776	795
2031-32	735	782	787	799
2032-33	735	779	785	794
Projected 10-Year Average (2023-24 to 2032-33)	706	726	731	751

SPS Building Committee Openings!

Looking for 1 Full Building Committee member and another individual or two who can assist by serving on our Finance Subcommittee! <u>Let us know about your interest here</u>!



Here is more information on Finance Committee:

Calling all community members with MBA's, municipal finance background, tax background, capital finance, general finance, construction finance, etc, to assist the building committee in building a complete view of the cost of the project. Components will include Operating & Expense Costs (labor, utilities, supplies, etc.), Transportation costs, Capital Cost & Depreciation Schedule, Disposition of existing assets and any associated write-off's, and Financial modeling of various scenarios, i.e. transportation, capital, depreciation, impacts to taxes, etc. We would love your participation and expertise!

Contact us with any building related questions via the project website. Follow us on Facebook and share posts: <u>https://www.facebook.com/ScarboroughSchoolsBuildingProject</u>





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Now Hiring!

We are in need of staff for a few key areas!

Please consider joining our team for the following positions:

- Custodians HIRING BONUS!
- Food Service workers
- Bus Drivers & Bus Aides
- Educational Technicians in our Special Services Department HIRING BONUS!
- Substitutes: starting at \$130/day *flexible schedules according to your availability!*

In an effort to make applying for a position with SPS more accessible, in addition to our online application, we are now offering a paper application for those who can't access our applications via the Internet. If you (or anyone you know) would like to apply for one of our Support Staff positions (listed above) and would prefer a paper application, please <u>use this link</u> to download a copy, or stop by our Central Office (Scarborough Town Hall, 259 US Route 1) to pick up an application. Once completed, return it to our Central Office for consideration.

As always, if you have any questions regarding any of our open positions, or our application process, please call our Central Office at (207) 730-4100.

For a complete list of open positions, please visit our website at <u>https://www.scarboroughschools.org/employment-opportunities</u>

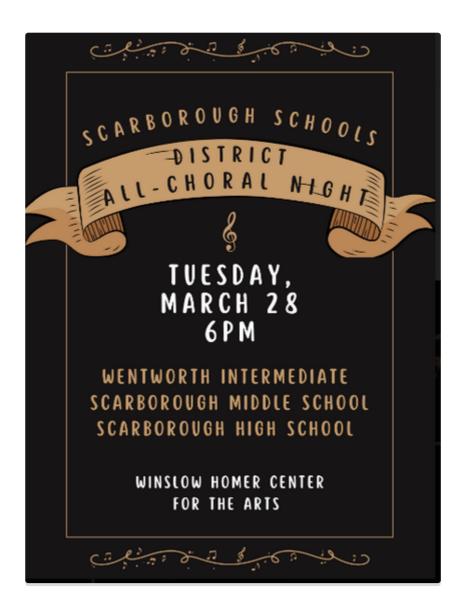
Upcoming Policies for Review

The next Board of Education Policy Subcommittee Meeting will be on Monday, March 6 from 4:30-6:00pm in the Central Office Conference Room. Topics to be discussed include:



- 23/24 School Calendar
- Transgender and Gender Expansive Students Policy
- Naming of Facilities

We welcome all to attend remotely or in person. Please see the school website to locate the agenda, linked policies, zoom link and for more information.



All District Chorus Night - March 28

You won't want to miss this inaugural event on Tuesday, March 28 at 6:00pm. Students from grades 3-12 will entertain you with their musical talents! If you are not able to make it in-person, please check it out livestream: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cN06SxKoxm0</u>



2023-2024 Kindergarten Registration NOW OPEN!

We are eager to welcome our newest students to Scarborough Public Schools for Kindergarten in Fall, 2023.

• Kindergarten is open to any student who turns 5 on or before Oct. 15, 2023.

- If your child meets this criteria, and you are sending them to school in the fall, please complete the form linked here: <u>REGISTRATION FORM</u>
- If your child meets the age requirement, but you are on the fence about sending them due to their
 age or developmental level, please complete the <u>REGISTRATION FORM</u> anyway. This will help us
 plan for all potential students.
- Appointments will be scheduled later this spring in each of our schools to review paperwork, including notarization of residency.
- If your child has specific health concerns, you can call or set up an appointment with one of our school nurses at any time.
- More information will be provided throughout the spring!

Click here to bring you to the registration page.



SPS Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee Openings!

Looking for 2 SPS staff and 2 community members (do not need to be parents!). <u>Apply here!</u>.

Here is more information on the DEI Committee:

Scarborough Schools are committed to creating a welcoming and safe environment for all Scarborough students and staff. The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee will promote the goal of diversity, equity and inclusion for all individuals in our school district regardless of their identity (ie race, gender, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, religion, disability, or socioeconomic status).

The charge of the committee is to:

- work with the Board finance committee to assess budgetary needs;
- review data collected from climate surveys, school equity audits, and listening tours;
- raise awareness, within the committee, of work happening in the district within the boundaries of the board's existing policies;
- make recommendations to the Board of Education for the development of an action plan that outlines next steps for our district;
- monitor action plan progress to ensure that action steps are in line with actual needs.

We would love your participation and expertise! Our upcoming meetings are 5:30pm-7pm at SHS on the following Tuesdays: March 21, April 11, May 2, May 23, and June 13.

Contact us with any DEI related questions via our committee email: dei@scarboroughschools.org.

Check out our site on the district webpage here.

Our next DEI Steering Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 21 at 5:30pm in the Scarborough High School AP Room or on <u>https://scarboroughschools.zoom.us/j/91947811217</u>

What to do in Scarborough?

For upcoming Scarborough community events, be sure to check out <u>Scarborough's Community Services website</u> and follow them on FaceBook.





Upcoming SPS Events - Mark Your Calendar!

2022-2023 School Calendar

- March 8 Early Release Day
- March 16 School Board Workshop/Business Meeting
- March 17 Staff Day ONLY No School for Students

Links to Our Schools



Blue Point



Eight Corners



Pleasant Hill



Wentworth School



Middle School



High School

Services & Information

<u>Spec. Services</u> | Chris Rohde, <u>crohde@scarboroughschools.org</u> <u>Transportation</u> | Sarah Redmond, <u>sredmond@scarboroughschools.org</u> <u>Food Services</u> | Peter Esposito, <u>pesposito@scarboroughschools.org</u> <u>Athletics & Activities</u> | Mike LeGage, <u>mlegage@scarboroughschools.org</u> <u>Curriculum</u> I Monique Culbertson, <u>mculbertson@scarboroughschools.org</u> <u>Facilities</u> | Todd Jepson, <u>tjepson@scarboroughschools.org</u>



Tech Support

For technology assistance with SPS student laptops, please send a message to <u>techsupport@scarboroughschools.org</u> and someone from Technology will be in touch to assist you.



