

AGENDA

Wallkill Central School District
Regular Board of Education Meeting
Wallkill Senior High School Auditorium
Wednesday, September 20, 2023
7:00 p.m.

1. Public Comment
2. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approve Ex-Officio Student Board Member
4. Administer Oath of Allegiance [Ex-Officio Student Board Member]
5. Approve Minutes [8/16/23 Regular Board Meeting]
6. Board Committee Reports/Assignments 2023-2024
7. Superintendent's Report
 - A. Accept Resignations – Non-Instructional
 - B. Approve Appointments – Non-Instructional
 - C. Approve Appointment of District Officer
 - D. Rescind Appointment – Instructional
 - E. Approve Appointments – 2023-2024 Grades K-8 After-School Academic Intervention Program
 - F. Approve Appointments – Mentor/Peer Coach
 - G. Rescind Appointments – Coaching
 - H. Accept Resignations – Coaching
 - I. Approve Appointments – Coaching
 - J. Approve Proposed 2024 Varsity & Junior Varsity Baseball Athletic Trip
 - K. Approve First Readings – Policy
 - L. Approve Resolution – Certification of LEAD Teacher Evaluator
 - M. Approve Resolution – Certification of INDEPENDENT Teacher Evaluator
 - N. Approve Resolution – Recertification of LEAD Teacher Evaluators
 - O. Approve Resolution – Recertification of INDEPENDENT Teacher Evaluators
 - P. Approve Resolution – Recertification of LEAD Principal Evaluator
 - Q. Approve Resolution – Recertification of INDEPENDENT Principal Evaluator
 - R. Approve Substitute Lists
 - S. Approve Pre-School Special Education Placements
 - T. Approve Special Education Placements
8. Business Report
 - A. Approve Use of Facilities
 - B. Accept Treasurer's Report
 - C. Approve Mid-Hudson School Study Council Program Attendance
 - D. Approve Agreement – Professional Development
 - E. Approve Resolution – Guest Speaker
 - F. Accept Donation
9. Executive Session [If Needed]
10. Close Meeting

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The following are the Superintendent's recommendations:

1. Public Comment

2. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approve Ex-Officio Student Board Member

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Alyssa Vega** to the position of Ex-Officio Student Board Member for the 2023-2024 school year.

4. Administer Oath of Allegiance [Student Board Member]

Ms. Kelli Corcoran, District Clerk, will administer the Oath of Allegiance to **Alyssa Vega**, Ex-Officio Student Board Member.

5. Approve Minutes – [8/16/23 Regular Board Meeting]

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the minutes of the August 16, 2023, Regular Board of Education Meeting.

6. Board Committee Reports/Assignments 2023-2024

Audit:	Mrs. Crowley, Chair; Mr. Frisbie, Mrs. McCartney
Budget:	Mrs. Crowley, Chair; Committee of the Whole
Buildings & Grounds:	Mr. Frisbie, Chair; Mr. Bartolone, Mr. Nafey, Mr. Palen, Mr. Petrocelli
CDEP:	Mrs. Anderson, Chair; Committee of the Whole
Curriculum/TAG:	Mrs. Anderson, Chair; Mr. Bartolone, Mr. Petrocelli
Health & Safety:	Mr. Palen, Chair; Mr. Bartolone, Mr. Frisbie, Mr. LoCicero, Mrs. McCartney, Mr. Nafey
Legislative:	Mr. Petrocelli, Chair; Mr. LoCicero, Mr. Nafey
Policy:	Mr. Palen, Chair; Mr. LoCicero, Mr. Nafey, Mr. Petrocelli
Technology:	Mr. Bartolone, Chair; Mr. LoCicero, Mr. Petrocelli
Wellness:	Mr. Nafey, Chair; Mr. LoCicero, Mrs. McCartney
Student Rep:	Ms. Alyssa Vega

7.A. Accept Resignations – Non-Instructional

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Janine Daly** from the position of Full-Time Special Education Teaching Assistant, effective August 31, 2023.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Naarai Mendez** from the position of Part-Time [0.97 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide, effective September 20, 2023, pending her appointment to the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Keller Mickle** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Supervisory Teacher Aide, effective September 20, 2023, pending his appointment to the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Attendance Office Clerk.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Katelyn Miranda** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide, effective September 8, 2023.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Laura Patterson** from the position of Part-Time [0.97 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide, effective August 28, 2023.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Dana Peterson** from the position of Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Attendance Clerk, effective August 22, 2023.

7.B. Approve Appointments – Non-Instructional

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of **Natalie Auer** to a 26-Week Probationary Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Tax Collector position, effective November 9, 2023, according to the Terms and Conditions for Tax Collector (attached to the minutes and placed on file with the District Clerk), at a salary of \$30,831 pro-rated (Grade 10, Step 3).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 26-Week Probationary appointment of **Evan Ghiorso** to a Part-Time [0.50 FTE] Custodial Worker position, effective September 21, 2023, at a salary of \$16,022 pro-rated [4.0 hours daily, (Grade 11, Step 3, of the CSEA Contract)].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Provisional appointment of **Jamie Hoyt** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Main Office Clerk position, effective September 21, 2023, at a salary of \$21,916.80, pro-rated [7.5 hours per day, (\$15.22 per hour, Step 3 of the CSEA Contract)].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 26-Week Probationary appointment of **Jeimy Martinez** to a Part-Time [0.97 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide position, effective September 26, 2023, at a salary of \$16.32 per hour (Step 3 of the CSEA Contract, 5.8 hours per day).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 26-Week Probationary appointment of **Lynea McKnight** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Night Custodial Worker position, effective September 26, 2023, at a salary of \$33,246 pro-rated (Grade 11, Step 3, night differential based on the CSEA Contract).

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the 90-Day Probationary appointment of **Naarai Mendez** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Special Education Teacher Aide position, effective September 21, 2023, at a salary of \$20,367.36 pro-rated [Step 3 of the CSEA Contract, \$16.32 per hour, (6.5 hours per day)].

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Provisional appointment of **Keller Mickle** to a Full-Time [1.0 FTE] Attendance Office Clerk position, effective September 21, 2023, at a salary of \$19,281.60, pro-rated [6.5 hours per day, (\$15.45 per hour, Step 5 of the CSEA Contract)].

7.C. Approve Appointment of District Officer

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and appoint the following District Officer for the 2023-2024 school year:

Deputy Treasurer	Mrs. Natalie Auer	\$ 937 (pro-rated)
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7.D. Rescind Appointment – Instructional

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and rescind the appointment (8/16/23 Board of Education Meeting) of **Sandra Bruno**, from the position of Permanent Per Diem Substitute Teacher assigned to Leptondale Elementary School, effective September 6, 2023. Ms. Bruno submitted a letter of resignation dated September 5, 2023.

7.E. Approve Appointments – 2023-2024 Grades K-8 After-School Academic Intervention Program

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Instructional appointments of the following individuals for the 2023-2024 Grades K-8 After School Academic Intervention Program:

John G. Borden Middle School

Jaime LaPolla	\$55.10 per hour
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Leptondale Elementary School

Janelle Agunzo	\$55.10 per hour
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Lucille Murphy	\$55.10 per hour
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Clare F. Ostrander Elementary School

Sara Bender \$55.10 per hour
Kristine Boyle \$55.10 per hour

Plattekill Elementary School

Lily Jones-Guida \$55.10 per hour
Madison LoCicero \$55.10 per hour

7.F. Approve Appointments – Mentor/Peer Coach

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the appointment of the following individuals as Mentors/Peer Coaches for the 2023-2024 school year:

Chelsea D’Addario	Mentor	\$1,500 [pro-rated]
Michelle Dunham	Peer Coach	\$650
Ryan Haver	Peer Coach	\$1,100 [2 Teachers]
Anita Hoyt	Mentor	\$1,500
Suzanne Hudson	Peer Coach	\$650
Adam Kuliszewski	Peer Coach	\$650
Diane Tanner	Peer Coach	\$650
Tanya Yuro-Clark	Peer Coach	\$650

7.G. Rescind Appointments – Coaching

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and rescind the appointments (8/16/23 Board of Education Meeting) of **Danielle McGrath and Taylor Palen**, from the position of Unpaid Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach, for the 2023-2024 Fall sports season.

7.H. Accept Resignations – Coaching

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Kara DeCarlo** from the position of Varsity Cheerleading Coach, effective September 5, 2023.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the resignation of **Rachel Rivera** from the position of Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach, effective September 8, 2023

7.I. Approve Appointments – Coaching

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following appointments for the Fall 2023-2024 school year season:

High School:

Rachel Rivera	Varsity Cheerleading Coach	\$2,245 [pro-rated]
Danielle McGrath	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	} \$1,694 shared [pro-rated]
Taylor Palen	Assistant Varsity Cheerleading Coach	
Frank Croce	Assistant Varsity Girls Soccer Coach	Unpaid
Glenn LaPolt	Assistant Varsity Swim Coach	Unpaid

7.J. Approve Proposed 2024 Varsity & Junior Varsity Baseball Athletic Trip

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the proposed Varsity & Junior Varsity Baseball Athletic Trip to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, from March 24, 2024 through March 29, 2024.

7.K. Approve First Readings – Policy

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the first reading of the following policies:

1. Policy #1800 – Non-Discrimination (Employees)
2. Policy #7223 – Foreign Exchange Student Program
3. Policy #8500 – Programs for Students with Disabilities Under the IDEA and New York’s Education Law Article 89

7.L. Approve Resolution – Certification of LEAD Teacher Evaluator

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and certify the following personnel as a Lead Teacher Evaluator for the 2023-2024 school year, after having successfully completed the training requirements prescribed in 8NYCRR §30-3.10. This certification is being issued in accordance with the process for certifying Lead Teacher Evaluator described in the District’s annual professional performance review plan.

Alyssa Greany

7.M. Approve Resolution – Certification of INDEPENDENT Teacher Evaluator

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and certify the following personnel as an Independent Teacher Evaluator for the 2023-2024 school year, after having received appropriate training in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education §30-3.10 and such individual is being certified as a qualified Independent Teacher Evaluator for the purpose of conducting and completing evaluations.

Alyssa Greany

7.N. Approve Resolution – Recertification of LEAD Teacher Evaluators

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following personnel as Lead Teacher Evaluators for the 2023-2024 school year after having received appropriate training in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education §30-3.10 and such individuals are hereby re-certified as qualified Lead Teacher Evaluators for the purpose of conducting and completing evaluations.

**Robert Albanese
David Albert**

**Scott Brown
Natalie Harjes**

**Monica Hasbrouck
Brian Masopust**

**Nicole Parete
Michael Redmond**

7.O. Approve Resolution – Recertification of INDEPENDENT Teacher Evaluators

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following personnel as Independent Teacher Evaluators for the 2023-2024 school year after having received appropriate training in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education §30-3.10 and such individuals are hereby re-certified as qualified Independent Teacher Evaluators for the purpose of conducting and completing evaluations.

**Robert Albanese
David Albert
Scott Brown**

**Natalie Harjes
Monica Hasbrouck
Brian Masopust**

**Nicole Parete
Michael Redmond**

**Tara Rounds
Anthony White**

7.P. Approve Resolution – Recertification of LEAD Principal Evaluator

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following personnel as a Lead Principal Evaluator for the 2023-2024 school year after having received appropriate training in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education §30-3.10 and such individual is hereby re-certified as a qualified Lead Principal Evaluator for the purpose of conducting and completing evaluations.

Kevin Castle

7.Q. Approve Resolution – Recertification of INDEPENDENT Principal Evaluator

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following personnel as an Independent Principal Evaluator for the 2023-2024 school year after having received appropriate training in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education §30-3.10 and such individual is hereby re-certified as a qualified Independent Principal Evaluator for the purpose of conducting and completing evaluations.

Kevin Castle

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Wallkill Senior High School Lobby, Auditorium, Band and Chorus Rooms by **New Paltz School of Ballet** [for Ballet Performances] as indicated below:

Thursday	May 30, 2024	2:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Friday	May 31, 2024	2:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.
Saturday	June 1, 2024	9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Sunday	June 2, 2024	11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the use of the Wallkill Senior High School Auditorium and Music Rooms by **Take the Leap Dance Studio** [for Dance Recitals] as indicated below:

Friday	June 7, 2024	3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	June 8, 2024	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	June 9, 2024	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

8.B. Accept Treasurer's Report

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education has reviewed and accepts the Treasurer's Reports as of August 31, 2023 and Revenues as of August 31, 2023.

8.C. Approve Mid-Hudson School Study Council Program Attendance

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the attendance of Board Members at the Mid-Hudson School Study Council's Annual Awards for Excellence Program on November 1, 2023, at The Barn at Villa Venezia in Middletown, New York.

8.D. Approve Agreement – Professional Development

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the Agreement between the Wallkill Central School District and **G&R Inclusive Group** to provide professional development services in the area of special education.

8.E. Approve Resolution – Guest Speaker

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the District seeks to use Eagles Talent Speakers Bureau to arrange a speaker for the District's Superintendent's Conference Day on November 22, 2023, in accordance with the terms of a Service Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District does hereby approve of the contract with Eagles Talent Speakers Bureau to arrange a speaker for the District.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Wallkill Central School District does hereby authorize the Superintendent or the Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services to execute a contract with Eagles Talent Speakers Bureau for a Superintendent's Conference Day speaker.

8.F. Accept Donation

The Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and accept the donation of \$500.83 from the Wallkill Class of 1983 to be used by the Class of 2024 for the all night graduation event.

9. Executive Session [If Needed]

10. Close Meeting