

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JR. HIGH SCHOOL

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**SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING**

DATE: 12/11/24

TIME: 2:40pm – 3:40pm

PLACE: Community Room - Jr. High School

**AGENDA**

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes: Nov 13, 2024
2. Budget
3. School Improvement Plan
4. DCAP
5. Bullying Prevention Program
6. Recent/Upcoming Events
7. Next Meeting Date: Wednesday – January 22, 2024 (2:30pm-3:30pm)
8. Other
9. Future Agenda Items

**MEETING MINUTES:**

Attendees: Principal Silas Coellner, Samantha Enos (teacher), Therese Valente (teacher), Susan Revell (via Zoom) (Rochester), Jennifer Eames (parent from Marion), Cristin Cowles (parent from Mattapoisett)

SIGN-IN SHEET was shared at the meeting and all attending members signed in.

Time: 2:40pm - 3:40pm

Meeting called to order at 2:45.

- 1) Discussion of AI.
- 2) Approved Meeting Minutes of November 13, 2024

Budget:

- a) With all Form 1's from both HS and JHS, it was approximately 8% increase - this would require an override.
- b) Positive feel for Social Worker.
- c) Discussed guidance department's concerns about responsibility shifts if Head of Guidance shifts to Head of Special Education. Also discussed what the switch of Head of Guidance to Head of Special Education would mean.
- d) Explanation of how the ski club was funded from generosity so far - advisors not being paid.
- e) Our social worker budget this year came from the special education tech position.

- f) Discussion of responsibilities of Pathways leader.
- 3) DCAP - looks good
- 4) Bullying Prevention Program: supposed to update Bullying Prevention Plan every two years. There will be links on the district website for the public to give feedback.
- 5) Current/Upcoming Events: Drama, Patriots Place Field Trip, Student Affairs, Winter Concert, 7th grade art show took place ( because there are only 7th graders in art right now)
- 6) Discussion on Field Trips took place and how Teams sometimes do different trips
- 7) Strategic Plan - went over new way to track the outcomes and how staff can track progress and celebrate what we've accomplished
- 8) Meeting Adjourned 3:49

Respectfully Submitted,  
Silas Coellner, Principal