

Parkland Community Advisory Council

October 16, 2025

PRESIDENTS

Jennifer Jones
Desiree Pascal

VICE PRESIDENT

Catherine Garon

SECRETARY

Andrea Scott

ATTENDEES:

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES:

SCHOOL BOARD REPRESENTATIVE:

ADMINISTRATION:

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by Desiree Pascal at 7:00 pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Pending

PRESENTATION: “AI in Parkland School District” Presented by JR Renna, Jason Henry, Lauren Will, and Ed Kobus

The full presentation can be found online at: <https://youtu.be/0-AJs4OFEHc>

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT: Marisa Ziegler presented a report highlighting the topics discussed at the School Board Meeting. For more meeting details, please view the minutes and recordings online on the PSD.

Important Items

- The PHS Marching Band performed in the Navy & Marines 250th Anniversary Parade on Monday afternoon in Philadelphia
- Parkland Graduation will be on June 3rd, once the agreement is approved next week

Academics, Arts & Athletics

- Dr. Mosser gave a theater update and showed the new design for the PHS Marching Band uniforms (the first new uniforms in 27 years!)
- Discussed an independent contract agreement with a bilingual school psychologist
- Partnership with WCU and the PSD nursing dept. to provide a practicum experience for nursing students
- Updates on the new ELA curriculum “Arts & Letters”, including how the implementation is being supported and professional development sessions
- Switch to HomeTown Ticketing beginning with the winter 2025 sports season – all tickets for regular season sporting events will be sold exclusively online, cash will no longer be accepted at the gate

Facilities & Operations

- Update on capital projects (completed and proposed)
- Discussed an agreement for a short-term lease to pilot a 2026 gas engine 72 passenger bus to determine if a gas engine would potentially meet the district's transportation needs
- New cameras for the HS turf stadium and at Fogelsville

Policy & Finance

- 2026/2027 budget update
- Reviewed real estate tax collections through August 2025
- Discussed a proposed resolution to hold charter tuition payments until the state budget is adopted

Upcoming Meetings

Committee Meetings

AAA Board Committee Meeting – Monday, November 10, 2025 at 5:00 pm

F & O Board Committee Meeting – Monday, November 10, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

P & F Board Committee Meeting – Monday, November 10, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

Board Meeting

Board Workshop – Tuesday, October 21, 2025 – 6:00 p.m.

Board Meeting – Tuesday, October 21, 2025 – 7:00 p.m.

PSD Ed. Foundation Student Art Reception – Tuesday, November 18, 2025 – 6:00 p.m.

Board Meeting – Tuesday, November 18, 2025 – 7:00 p.m.

STUDENT REPORT:

HOCO was October 11 - King was Maddox Rampen and Queen was Angie Zaiter (class president and vice president)

Academics

- PSAT was on October 11
- EWLE started yesterday
- World Language Inductions on October 22nd

Arts

- The band participated in the 250th anniversary Navy and Marines Corps parade in Philly on October 13
- The Outsiders play is this weekend

Athletics

- Football is undefeated & won the homecoming game 37-7
- Girls Tennis is undefeated
 - Won EPCS and Districts singles and doubles. District finals were today
- FB Game got moved to today due to a shortage of referees
- BSOC undefeated
- PHSGS semifinals vs Emmaus today
 - o 2 girls made first team all stars, 2 girls made second team all stars, 1 girl made third team all stars

OLD BUSINESS: n/a

NEW BUSINESS: none

ROUNDTABLE: none

MOTION TO ADJOURN: At 8:26 pm a motion to adjourn was called. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,
Andrea Scott