

THE W. L. GILBERT SCHOOL CORPORATION
REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, May 13, 2026
THE GILBERT SCHOOL
6:30 PM
Library

AGENDA

(A portion of this meeting may be held in executive session)

The meeting will be live-streamed via YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@TGSTV/streams>

1. OPENING OF MEETING

The W. L. Gilbert School Corporation

Scott Beecher

Holly Cassaday

Shane Centrella

Ellen Marino

Jonathan Morhardt

Frank Oliveri

Theresa Padin

Tara Sundie

Kurt Werner

Administration

Michael P. Susi

Head of School

Student Representatives

Mackenzie Hale (HS)

James Slauta (HS)

Makayla DeSanti (MS)

Ashlynn Glinsman (MS)

- A. Pledge of Allegiance - Jonathan Morhardt
- B. Vision and Mission Statement - Jonathan Morhardt

The Gilbert School is committed to ensuring that all our students are prepared to be thoughtful and productive citizens in a complex, global society.

In pursuing this Mission, we believe that:

- All students can learn and be successful.
- All students are valued and deserve an education that addresses their academic, physical, and social/emotional needs.
- All students are entitled to a safe, healthy, and respectful learning environment.
- All The Gilbert School community members must uphold high expectations, be accountable, and demonstrate a commitment to excellence.
- Celebrating the heritage of The Gilbert School strengthens community pride and inspires individual accomplishments.

2. PUBLIC FORUM

A. General Public

The W. L. Gilbert School Corporation welcomes comments from the public.

Please state your name and address. Speakers will be limited to three (3) minutes. (Board Policy 1120).

B. Student Representatives Report

3. CALL FOR AGENDA ITEMS

4. AWARDS

- A. CAS High School Arts Award Recognition
- B. CAS Middle Level Scholar Leader Award Recognition
- C. CIAC Scholar-Athlete Award Recognition
- D. LCSA Superintendent Award Recognition
- E. Student Representative Recognition
- F. CABE Leadership Awards
- G. Valedictorian & Salutatorian Recognition

BRIEF BREAK FOR REFRESHMENTS

5. CORRESPONDENCE

- A. Received
 - 1. Jared Fritch (Edward F. Keeley Memorial Auditorium)
 - 2. Christopher Sandford (John Adam Groth '06 Memorial Gymnasium)

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Minutes of Regular Meeting - April 22, 2026
 - 1. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

7. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Finance
 - 1. Monthly Finance Report
 - 2. Next Meeting - June 17, 2026
- B. Policy
 - 1. ~~Report on Meeting - May 7, 2026~~ CANCELED
 - 2. Next Meeting - June 4, 2026
- C. Building & Grounds
 - 1. Report on Meeting - April 22, 2026
 - 2. Next Meeting - June 17, 2026
- D. Personnel
 - 1. Report on Meeting - May 11, 2026
 - 2. Next Meeting - TBD
- E. Nominating Committee
 - 1. Next Meeting - TBD
- F. AD HOC Negotiating Committee
 - 1. Next Meeting - TBD

8. MOTION TO APPROVE CAFETERIA MEAL PRICE INCREASES FROM \$2.00 TO \$2.50 FOR BREAKFAST & FROM \$3.75 TO \$4.25 FOR LUNCH

- A. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

9. SPECIAL EDUCATION MOU DISCUSSION AND VOTE

- A. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

10. SECOND READING OF POLICIES

- A. Policy #1205 - Agenda Format/Preparation and Dissemination
- B. Policy #1350 - Senior Citizens' Benefits
- C. Policy #5140.1 - Wellness Policy

11. APPROVAL OF POLICIES

A. Policy #4135.11 - Emeritus/a Status

1. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

12. HEAD OF SCHOOL REPORT

A. Michael Susi, Head of School

1. Bus Loop Update
2. Earlier Retirement Plan
3. Insurance Update
4. Scheduling

13. BOARD OF EDUCATION REPORT

A. Winchester

14. SCHOOL CORPORATION CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

A. Holly Cassaday

15. MOTION TO ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION AND INVITE HEAD OF SCHOOL SUSI

A. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

1. Pursuant to C.G.S. Sections 1-200(6)(A): Discussion concerning the appointment, employment, performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public official or employee;
2. Discussion and possible action on the employment performance, evaluation, health, or dismissal of a public employee.

16. HEAD OF SCHOOL CONTRACT DISCUSSION & VOTE

A. Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____

17. ADJOURNMENT

A. VOTE: Yeas _____ Nays _____ Abstain _____