

**Perrysburg Exempted Village School District
Special Board Meeting
Tuesday, April 1, 2008
7:30 a.m. at the Commodore Building
140 E. Indiana Avenue
Perrysburg, Ohio 43551**

Meeting Started at 7:30 a.m.

Call to Order – Roll Call

The President called the meeting to order with the following members present. Mrs. Downs, Dr. Edinger, Mr. Schoenlein and Mr. Van Hoozen. Mrs. Hovland was absent for the entire meeting.

FY08-04-001 – Adopt the Proposed Agenda

Mr. Van Hoozen moved, seconded by Mr. Schoenlein the Board adopt the proposed agenda. The President called for the vote. Voting yes; Mr. Van Hoozen, Mr. Schoenlein, Mrs. Downs and Dr. Edinger. Motion carried.

Board Discussion

- A. High School Grading System (G.P.A.) – Dawn Burks and Amy Gutkoski
- Evaluated two highest priorities – Weighted System/Ranking vs. Cum Laude
 - o Currently on a 5.0 scale for Advanced Placement Courses and a 4.0 scale for Honors Courses.
 - Ranking System vs. Cum Laude System
 - o Students in the top 1/3 of their class could have a 3.5 GPA but could be 127th out of 367 students.
 - o Students will still be unofficially ranked for college information (Scholarships)
- B. Junior High Scheduling – Patrick Calvin
- Current Schedule is a nine period day, developed when sixth grade left the Commodore and was adopted to develop space and deal with the number of students in the building.
 - Math has always been an issue for the Junior High. Junior High staff met in December to collaborate on how to make the Junior High better. Consensus was we needed more reading. Sixth grade is the only class receiving reading all year.
 - Proposal is to double-block the reading/English and incorporate this into the seventh grade two periods a day (82 minutes/day). The time will come from the music program.
 - Dr. Edinger is concerned that the elimination of the time from the music program will cause those Junior High students from being prepared to enter the High School music program.

Dr. Edinger left the meeting at 8:58 a.m.

FY08-04-002 – Adjournment

Mr. Van Hoozen moved, seconded by Mr. Schoenlein the Board adjourn. The President called for the vote. Voting yes; Mr. Van Hoozen, Mr. Schoenlein and Mrs. Downs. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

President

Treasurer