

THETFORD TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
Monday, February 27, 2017
Thetford Elementary School Art Room

APPROVED MINUTES

Shannon Darrah convened the meeting at 7:50 p.m.. The following were present: Julie Acker, Charlie Buttrey, Shannon Darrah, Kristen Downey, Scott MacPhee, School Board; Kevin Petrone, TES Principal

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

AGENDA REVIEW: Agenda approved with amendments.

MINUTES REVIEW: MOTION: (Buttrey/Acker) moved/seconded to approve the minutes of the February 13, 2017, with the change of capitalizing Ski Fridays. (unanimous approval; MacPhee abstained).

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF ORDERS: MOTION: (Darrah/Acker) moved/seconded to approve accounts payable orders # 5866 and 5855 and payroll warrant # 5863 (unanimous approval).

PUBLIC COMMENT/CORRESPONDENCE: None

PRE SCHOOL INFORMATIONAL MEETING PLANNING (Full Board): The board reviewed slides prepared by Acker for use at Town meeting on Saturday. It was agreed that the nine slides summed up the information very well and that they would be used on Saturday. Some discussion ensued about clarification of some of the content as well as pointing people to some pages in the report while presenting.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL DISCUSSION: There was a brief discussion regarding whether there was a way to cut some days off at the end of the year due to the numerous snow days the district has had. Currently the last day of school is June 21st. State law requires the school to have 175 instructional days. TES has 177 days. The board could authorize the school to go down to 175 days. There was some talk about holding school on one of the teacher in-service days to make up another day to potentially bring the last day of school to June 16th. (assuming there were no more snow days this year). More discussion needs to be had with the teachers union and with the board. This will be continued at the March 7th board meeting.

ADJOURNMENT: MOTION: (MacPhee/Buttrey) moved/seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:28 p.m. (unanimous approval).

3/7/17 OESU/TTSD meeting
3/21/17 TTSD meeting

6:00/7:30 p.m.
6:30 p.m.

Minutes Prepared By:
Shannon Darrah, Chair

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Julie Acker, Board Clerk