

AMESBURY SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING
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MONDAY AUGUST 7, 2023 7PM

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IN THE AMESBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, WE ARE UNCONDITIONALLY COMMITTED TO THE GROWTH OF EVERY CHILD. BY CREATING A SAFE, SUPPORTIVE, AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT THAT PROVIDES DYNAMIC LEARNING EXPERIENCES, THE HIGHEST QUALITY STAFF, AND A VITALLY INVOLVED COMMUNITY, EVERY CHILD EXPERIENCES SUCCESS.

This meeting will be broadcast live on ACTV channel 18, online at amesburyctv.org, and streamed on the APS Facebook page at Facebook.com/Amesburyschools

- I. Call to Order/Mission Statement/Pledge of Allegiance Ms. Currie
- II. Comments by Visitors & Delegations
Submit comments by using Facebook Live and beginning your comment with PUBLIC COMMENT if you would like your comment to be included in the public record for this meeting. Advance comments can be sent to govek@amesburyma.gov.
- III. Executive Session - Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A, Section 21 (a) (3) for the purpose of discussing strategy as it relates to collective bargaining with the AFT Amesbury Teachers/Nurses Unit, and the AFT Amesbury Paraprofessionals/Tutors Unit as an open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Committee, as declared by the Chair.
The School Committee will return to open session at the conclusion of executive session.
- IV. Communications & Reports
- A. Educational Leadership
 - 1. Superintendent's Report
 - Moving/Opening of School Update
 - Hiring Update
 - B. Student Advisory Council Ilise Litwin
 - C. Liaisons
 - 1. Shay Memorial Building Project Update Mayor Gove
 - D. Subcommittees
 - 1. Budget & Finance TBD
 - 2. Personnel TBD
 - 3. Buildings & Grounds Aug 22
 - 4. Policy Aug 15
 - 5. Teaching & Learning Aug 15
 - E. Other business not reasonably anticipated by the chair.
- V. New Business
- 1. Approval of Handbooks (First Read)
 - 2. Approval of School Committee Goals (Vote Possible)
 - 3. Approval of Grade Reconfiguration MOU (Vote Expected)
 - 4. Ratification of the MOU for a collective bargaining agreement between the Committee and the AFT Amesbury, Teachers and Nurses Unit for the period September 1, 2023 – August 31, 2026. (Vote Expected)
 - 5. Ratification of the MOU for a collective bargaining agreement between the Committee and the AFT Amesbury, Paraprofessionals Unit for the period September 1, 2023 – August 31, 2026. (Vote Expected)

VI. Consent Agenda

A. Minutes: April 24, May 8, May 13, May 15

B. Warrants: June 15 \$301,096.65 | June 29 \$350,749.99 | June 29 \$4,187.10
July 15 \$86,857.24 | July 15 \$124,607.68 | July 27 \$230,217.13

C. Gifts & Donations

- \$3,000 from Institute for Savings Charitable Foundation for Windrush Riding Program
- \$2,000 form Newburyport Bank Charitable Foundation for Windrush Riding Program

VII. Adjournment - Next regular meeting of the School Committee will be held on Monday August 21, 2023 at 7pm.