

SCHALMONT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

MINUTES

Meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education
Monday, February 9, 2026; 7:00 PM; Middle School LGI

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL - The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

Members Present

Mr. Angelo Santabarbara, President
Mr. David Lawrence, Vice President
Ms. Patricia Dowse
Mrs. Jean Hanson
Mr. Kyrish Iyer
Mr. William Mau
Mr. Kevin Thompson

Members Absent

None

Others Present

Dr. Thomas Reardon, Superintendent of Schools
Ms. Rachael France, Executive Treasurer
Miss Angelina Riccio, Student Representative

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Motion made by Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mrs. Hanson, that the agenda for the February 9, 2026 meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education be approved.

Motion carried 7-0.

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

Miss Riccio reported at the High School, Ms. Cohen’s Syracuse English Class tested AI to help with their research papers, and is working towards creating a way to use AI to improve the students' learning instead of hurting it. Congratulations to the Storm Hockey Team who took this year’s Cancer Cup to help raise money for cancer research. Science Olympiad students placed 3rd in the competition last weekend. Congratulations to seniors, Paiton Rider and Emma Casso, who had their artwork selected for the 2026 Art in 3 Dimensions show. Our Introspection Magazine Club was named one of the best literary student run magazines in the country. At the Middle School, Sabre Nation Club did their annual, “Rock, Paper, Scissor” Tournament, where it taught students team building, patience, and how to work with others. At Jefferson Elementary, Schalmont is beyond proud of our transportation team, who gathered Wednesday evening for an annual bus safety refresher! Thanks to our PE team for always making PE fun for students by adding Tumbling! At Woestina Elementary, there are no current updates.

SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT

2026-2027 Budget Presentation – Dr. Reardon and Ms. France

CONSENT AGENDA – Motion made by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Ms. Dowse, that the consent agenda consisting of the following items be approved:

- ✓ Board of Education Meeting Minutes: January 28, 2026
- ✓ CSE/CPSE Recommendations: January 20, 23, 27, 28, 2026
- ✓ Personnel Matters

• **Instructional Personnel Matters**

Retirement Resignation (Revised)

Cheryl Glindmyer, Nurse, Middle School, effective *March 5, 2026 (close of business)*; 26 years of service

2026 Spring Coaching Appointments (Stipend in accordance with STA Agreement)

Greg Loiacono, Unified Basketball Coach
Tracie Perone, Unified Basketball Assistant Coach
Christine Muzio, Unified Bowling Assistant Coach

• **Non Instructional Personnel Matters** (All hourly pay rates as per SSRPA Agreement)

<u>Appointments</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Step</u>
Ronald McLaughlin	Bus Driver	Transportation	02/09/26	5.25/day	5
Robert Ruth	Bus Driver	Transportation	02/02/26	5.25/day	1
<u>Substitute Appointments</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Hours</u>	
Patrick Keough	Safety Officer	District Wide	02/23/26	as needed	
Lanel Pagan	Bus Attendant	Transportation	02/09/26	as needed	
Lanel Pagan	Teacher Aide	Jefferson	02/10/26	as needed	
<u>Substitute Resignation</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective</u>		
Robert Burns	Safety Officer	District Wide	02/02/26		

Motion carried 7-0.

NEW BUSINESS

School Calendar 2026-27: Motion made by Mr. Mau, seconded by Mr. Iyer, that the Board of Education approve the school calendar for the 2026-27 school year.

Motion carried 7-0.

First Read/Board Policies: Motion made by Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mr. Thompson, that the Board of Education approve the first read of the following School Board policies.

- 8121.2 Automated External Defibrillators
- 8505 “Charging” Meals and Other Food Items
- 8520 Free Meal Services

Motion carried 7-0.

BOARD ITEMS

Mr. Santabarbara - Thank you to Dr. Reardon and Ms. France for bringing the budget to us early and the analysis early. Congratulations to the Storm Hockey Team, and to the teachers for getting the students ready for the end of the year.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion made by Mr. Iyer, seconded by Mr. Mau, that the February 9, 2026 meeting of the Board of Education be adjourned at 7:35 PM.

Motion carried 7-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Rachael France
Clerk of the Board