

SCHALMONT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

MINUTES

Meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education Monday, September 28, 2026; 7:00 PM; Woestina School

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL - The meeting was called to order at 7:06 PM.

Members Present

Mr. Angelo Santabarbara, President (7:13pm)
Mr. David Lawrence, Vice President
Ms. Patricia Dowse
Mrs. Jean Hanson
Mr. Kyrish Iyer (7:15pm)
Mr. William Mau

Members Absent

Mr. Kevin Thompson

Others Present

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

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA – Motion made by Mr. Mau, seconded by Ms. Dowse, that the agenda for the September 28, 2026 meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education be approved.

Motion carried 4-0. Mr. Santabarbara and Mr. Iyer excused. Mr. Thompson absent.

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

Miss Rossetti reported at the High School the Open House is on Wednesday, September 30 at 6:00 p.m. Rugby visited our PE classes last week! Congratulations to our senior golfers on their senior day! Welcome Coach Vito and Coach Bob to the 100 Win Club. At the Middle School the Fall Book Fair is taking place on September 28 through October 2, during the school day in the Middle School library. At Jefferson Elementary, the PTO will host its annual Book Fair next week, September 28 through October 2. Students' families visited Jefferson for Mrs. DiCaprio's Meet and Greet Breakfast this week. At Woestina Elementary there were no current updates.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Arts and Letters: Year One and Two in Review – Mrs. Gonzalez

CONSENT AGENDA – Motion made by Mr. Lawrence, seconded by Mrs. Hanson, that the consent agenda consisting of the following items be approved:

- ✓ Board of Education Meeting Minutes: September 14, 2026
- ✓ CSE/CPSE Recommendations
- ✓ Personnel Matters

• **Instructional Personnel Matters**

Appointment

Name: Aimee Yankowski
Position: Math/MS
FTE: 1.0 FTE
Effective: September 28, 2026 through November 6, 2026
Step: 15-MA (*per diem*)(*per STA Agreement*)

Appointments: Middle School Advisors 2026-27 - Stipends in accordance with STA Agreement

Karen Rogotzke, MS Newspaper Club

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

<u>Appointments</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Step</u>
Kasey Laboy	Teacher Aide	Jefferson	09/21/26-06/30/27	7 hrs/day*	2
Kelly Retz	Teacher Aide	HS	09/25/26	7 hrs/day*	3

(*excludes lunch)

<u>Resignations</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Kristie Abbatiello	Teacher Aide	HS	09/15/26
Kelly Retz	Food Service Worker	Jefferson	09/24/26

<u>Substitute Appointments</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Hours</u>
Bradley Emerson	Bus Driver	Transportation	09/21/26	as needed
Vanesa McDonough	Typist	District Wide	09/24/26	as needed
Tasha St. Andrews	Bus Driver Trainee	Transportation	09/14/26	as needed

Motion carried 6-0. Mr. Thompson absent.

NEW BUSINESS

BOARD ITEMS

Mr. Santabarbara - Nice to see everyone here and thank you Mrs. Gonzalez for presenting tonight.

Mr. Lawrence - This new curriculum gives us a chance to see what works and doesn't work but ultimately it is a process of improvement and good insight is going into that system.

ADJOURNMENT – Motion made by Ms. Dowse, seconded by Mr. Iyer, that the September 28, 2026 meeting of the Board of Education be adjourned to at 8:00 PM.

Motion carried 6-0. Mr. Thompson absent.

Respectfully submitted,

Rachael France
Clerk of the Board



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Dr. Thomas B. Reardon, Superintendent of Schools, Ext. 4001

TO: Board of Education
FROM: Genienne Bakuzonis, Chief Compliance Officer, Academic & Instructional Support Services
DATE: October 7, 2026
RE: Agenda Items for October 13, 2026 Board Meeting: CSE/CPSE Meetings for BOE Approval

A handwritten signature in black ink, likely of the Superintendent, Dr. Thomas B. Reardon.

Date of CSE/CPSE Meeting/School	Number of Students
September 21, 2026 (JES)	1
September 22, 2026 (SMS)	2
September 23, 2026 (SMS, JES)	3
September 24, 2026 (JES)	1
September 25, 2026 (SHS, JES)	4
September 30, 2026 (SHS)	1
October 1, 2026 (JES, SHS)	2
October 2, 2026 (SHS)	1