

Voluntown Board of Education

Agenda

February 11, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.
Virtual Meeting

This Zoom meeting will be streamed “live” to the public on the Voluntown School YouTube channel below:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3I7dQmnXMxoTINHzaSZ1zw>

Public comments/concerns must be submitted via email at least one hour before the scheduled meeting time to the BOE Clerk (djackman@voluntownct.org). Any received will be read during the Citizen’s Comment section. A recording of this can be viewed on the school YouTube channel and available on the school website within 7 days.

I. Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance / Roll Call / Citizen’s Comments

II. Guests: Sean McKenna, Superintendent of Griswold Public Schools

III. Consent Agenda

- Approve Minutes – January 14 and 28, 2021
- Approval of Bills - January 2021
- Function/Object - January 2021
- Food Services Accounts - January 2021
- Receipt of the Committee Summary Report / Correspondence

IV. Administrative Reports

1. Principal
2. Director of Student Services
3. Superintendent

V. Old Business

1. 2021-22 Budget Preparation Process (*Superintendent Updated Proposal of 21-22 Budget*)
2. COVID-19 Update: CRF Grant, ESSER II Grant and Reopen Committee Update (*Verbal*)
3. Bylaw #9327.1 – Board Member Use of Internet/Social Networks (*Second reading*)

VI. New Business

1. Policy # 4212.42 – Drug and Alcohol Testing for School Bus Drivers (*First reading*)
2. Policy #6161.3 – Comparability of Services (*First reading*)
3. Policy # 6159 – Individualized Education Program/Special Education (*First reading*)
4. CAPSS Blueprint
5. Request to Use School (*Farmers Market – July to October*)
6. J-1 Request

VII. Next BOE Meeting – Thursday, March 11, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

VIII. Executive Session (*Personnel*)

IX. Adjournment

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(2/5/21 ASB, KB and DSJ)

Voluntown Board of Education Mission Statement

The Voluntown Board of Education’s mission is to provide our students the skills essential to reach their highest potential in a safe environment for learning as they aspire to become responsible, respectful, and civic-minded members of society. We commit to help educate, challenge, and inspire each child to excel as lifelong learners who can adapt constructively in an ever-changing, multicultural, and technological world. (August, 2020)

Public Comment Disclaimer

The Board welcomes public participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to five minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. To protect the impartiality of the board, we will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Voluntown Public Schools. Such issues should be brought to the school administration. The board will not respond to comments made during public comment, except to clarify issues. When appropriate, district administration will follow-up at a later point in time.