

GORHAM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
Minutes of Regular Meeting
October 10, 2012

Present:	Kyle Currier	Darryl Wright
	Jim Hager	Ted Sharp, Supt.
	Anne Lawrence	Michael Lortie, GTA
	Dennis Libby	Parent
	Roger Marchand	Press
	Sara Nelson	

The Regular Meeting of the Gorham School Committee was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairman Hager and the roll was called. There being no additions or corrections, the minutes of the Regular Meeting of September 12 and Special Meeting of September 26, 2012 stood approved.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Communications/Reports

Mr. Sharp noted the following:

- Mr. Porter wrote a letter thanking Colin Jones for his Eagle Project at Village.
- We have contracted with Chuck Saufler for presentations in November and February.
- Common Core in ELA & Math must be in place by 2013-2014.
- Regular K-12 Counselor meetings have begun.
- AYP results are in and Mr. Porter will be reporting out at a later date.
- “School Talk” will begin later this month.
- GHS guidance will be holding an “Application Party”.
- GMS PIE meeting tomorrow will host a speaker on Bullying. All are welcome to attend.

Ms. Currier congratulated the GOLF team on the State Championship. Great job!

Mr. Marchand thanked Jim Hager for his many years of dedication and hard work on behalf of all Gorham students. Thank you!

Administrative Reports

School Committee Standing and Special Committees

Finance - Ms. Currier reported that the Finance committee met on September 17th. They reviewed the FY13 Budget year-to-date and set the agenda for this year’s meetings. The committee meets again on October 15th.

Policy – Mr. Marchand reported that the Policy committee met on September 25th and discussed the two policies that are on tonight’s agenda for a 1st Reading. The committee will meet again on October 16th.

Personnel – Mr. Libby reported that the Personnel committee did not meet, but will meet on November 14th.

Vocational Education – There was no report.

Unfinished Business

New Business

Action on Schedule B & C appoints was postponed until October 24th.

There was a 1st Reading of the following policies:

- Use of Physical Restraint and Seclusion Policy (JKAA)
- Management of Concussions and Other Head Injuries Policy (JJIF)

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:35 PM.