

GORHAM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Notes of Workshop

April 27, 2016

Present: Kyle Bailey Suzie Phillips
 Tim Burns Darryl Wright
 Dennis Libby Heather Perry, Supt.

Absent: Sean Curran Sara Nelson

Review of Narragansett Vertical Teaming Year Two (Cynthia Remick)

The SC agreed to extend pilot another year, report back progress in spring of 2017 to include comparison data on GF and Village schools.

Elementary Alternative Education program – Suggested Changes (Brian Porter)

The SC agreed to changes in personnel to remove full teacher and split into two ed. Techs, one at each school to provide alternative programming.

Review of GMS/GHS afternoon student pickup times (Perry, Record, Riley, Justice)

This item was removed from the agenda and will instead be brought back to the School Committee in the fall of 2016 as part of an overall discussion regarding increasing instructional times K-12.

Update on discussions with students at GHS on alternative activities without dances (Chris Record)

Mr. Record has provided a written update to the School Committee which he will follow up with an in person discussion at our May workshop meeting.

Review of Distribution of Materials through Students Policy – KHC (Policy Committee)

The SC agreed that Superintendent Perry will follow up with legal council about the possibility of getting rid of the last paragraph and instead, better defining “affiliated” and “recognized” organizations.