



Wallingford-Swarthmore  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

# Superintendent's Report

School Board

Meeting

**OCTOBER 25, 2022**

**Presented by** Wagner Marseille, Ed.D , Superintendent

200 S. Providence Road

Wallingford, PA 19086

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# Mission and Vision Statements

## MISSION

The Wallingford-Swarthmore School District is committed to assuring the academic achievement and personal growth of all students within an environment that promotes:

- Respect for self and others
- Active engagement in learning
- Leadership in the global community
- The pursuit of excellence

## VISION

Our vision is to develop a world-class school district that provides students with the skills to succeed in a changing global environment. This vision will be realized through a commitment to high-quality programs and continuous improvement based upon careful analysis and integration of the most effective practices.



# **Focus Areas**

## **Demographic Analysis and Enrollment Projections**

The Pennsylvania Economy League

## **Leadership Summit - “The Big Thing: A Summit to Change Young Lives”**

Students Annie Tolson, Anjali Robinson-Leary, & Collin Woodland



# Policy Updates

## **Policies for adoption this evening:**

Policy 220 – Student Expression/ Distribution & Posting of Materials

Policy 229 – Student Fundraising

Policy 707 – Use of School Facilities

Policy 913 – Non-School Organizations/ Groups/ Individuals

Policy 913.1 – Corporate Sponsorships, Partnerships, and Advertising

## **Discussion of Policies for First Reading tomorrow evening at Policy Committee meeting:**

Policy 206 – Attendance Areas and Assignment in District

Policy 805.2 – School Security Personnel (PSBA Adaptation)



# Policy 707 Use of School Facilities

**Purpose:** The buildings and facilities, including athletic fields and other outdoor spaces of the Wallingford Swarthmore School District are financed and maintained by the district's citizens for the primary purpose of housing the educational program of the district. To the extent that it does not interfere with the educational program, the Board believes the schools should be used by the community to further the educational, cultural, civic, social and recreational growth of its citizens.

**Authority:** The Board will provide for the use of school facilities when permission has been requested in writing and has been approved by the Superintendent or designee.

**Fees:** The Superintendent or designee will propose a fee schedule that will recognize distinctions between groups utilizing District facilities based upon status as "Directly School Related," "Non-profit, noncommercial locally affiliated," and "Outside groups," with appropriate definitions of the same. That fee schedule shall not be intended to increase revenue from such use. It will also take into account the need for janitorial, security and other expenses incurred by the District as well as the impact of individual and cumulative use of the facilities. The Board will periodically approve that fee schedule with any necessary modifications. No such modifications will impact on a previously approved use.

# Policy 707 - Fee Schedule (2007)

## WALLINGFORD-SWARTHMORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

### FEE SCHEDULE

Facility		Group A (school-related)	Group B (nonprofit)	Group C (commercial)
Auditorium	SHHS		\$ 25.00	\$ 100.00
	SHMS		\$ 25.00	\$ 75.00
	SRS		\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00
	NPE		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
	WES		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
Gymnasium	SHHS		\$ 30.00	\$ 250.00
	SHMS		\$ 20.00	\$ 150.00
	SRS		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
	NPE		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
	WES		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
	CADES		\$ 15.00	\$ 50.00
Cafeteria, Without Kitchen	SHHS		\$ 20.00	\$ 150.00
	SHMS		\$ 20.00	\$ 100.00
	SRS		\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00
	NPE		\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00
	WES		\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00
Cafeteria, With Kitchen	SHHS		\$ 35.00	\$ 400.00
	SHMS		\$ 35.00	\$ 350.00
	SRS		\$ 30.00	\$ 200.00
	NPE		\$ 30.00	\$ 200.00
	WES		\$ 30.00	\$ 200.00
All-Purpose Room			\$ 15.00	\$ 150.00
	Classrooms		\$ 5.00 [or \$10/week seasonal]	\$ 75.00
Parking Lots			\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00
King Stadium			\$ 150/event	\$ 400/event
King Stadium With Lights			\$ 200/event	\$ 450/event
Athletic Fields			\$ 10.00 [or \$15/week seasonal]	\$ 100.00
Tennis Courts			No Chg.	\$ 75.00
Designated Grounds			No Chg.	\$ 75.00
Non-High School Library			\$ 25.00	\$ 75.00
High School Library			\$ 35.00	\$ 200.00

#### Notes:

- The fees shown here are in addition to the \$25 application fee and any overtime charges for custodial or other staff costs.
- All costs specified above are per-use fees, for a reserved room, court, or field for a day or any part thereof, which aggregate depending upon the number of days reserved (whether or not the room, court, or field is actually used). Fees in brackets are per-field (or classroom) per-week for seasonal use.
- Fees are halved for nonprofit groups using a location for two (2) hours or less for each event.
- Fees are halved for nonprofit groups after \$500 aggregate payments per semester. All fees can be pre-paid as a flat fee for the year by written authorization of the Director of Operations.

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# Separation and Release Agreement

Motion to approve separation and release agreement with **Dr. Ethan Ake-Little** accepting his irrevocable resignation dated December 30, 2022, and terminating his employment agreement as Director of Human Resources effective December 30, 2022.

Motion to approve the emergency PSERS engagement of **Cathy Rossi** as substitute/acting Director of Human Resources retroactive to October 24, 2022, at a rate of \$100/hour.

Over 25 Years of Experience in Human Resources  
**Personnel Director** - Wissahickon School District  
**Assistant Personnel Director** - Wissahickon School District  
**Benefits Administrator** - Wissahickon School District  
**Human Resources Specialist** - Methacton School District



# Kindergarten Registration Opening

Kindergarten Registration opens on **Tuesday, November 1**

- To be eligible for kindergarten admission in September 2022, children must be 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2023.
- Students must be registered by Friday, February 24, 2023 to be eligible for the lottery to select AM/PM sessions.
- The district offers **online registration**. This can be accessed at [www.wssd.org/register](http://www.wssd.org/register).
- Questions concerning online registration should be directed to **Derrick L. Clements** at [dclements@wssd.org](mailto:dclements@wssd.org) or 610-892-3470 ext. 1203.





# **Important District Dates**

**NOVEMBER 8 - Teacher In-Service Day (Schools Closed)**

**NOVEMBER 17 & 18 - Kindergarten Conferences (throughout the day)**

**NOVEMBER 21 & 22 - K-5 Conferences (No school for K-5 students)**  
**- Grades 6-8 Afternoon/Evening Conferences (11:05am student dismissal)**

**NOVEMBER 23-25 - Holiday - District Closed**



# Board Meeting Dates

## **Policy Committee - Wednesday, October 26, 2022**

Strath Haven Middle School, Room B-226 - 7:00 p.m.

## **Educational Affairs Committee - Thursday, November 3, 2022**

*Change of date from Wednesday November 2nd: Marching Band Showcase*

Strath Haven Middle School, Room B-226 - 7:00 p.m.

## **Facilities and Finance Committee - Wednesday, November 16, 2022**

Strath Haven Middle School, Room B-226 - 7:00 p.m.

## **Regular School Board Meeting - Thursday, November 21, 2022**

Strath Haven Middle School, Room B-226 - 7:00 p.m.

## **Policy Committee - Thursday, November 22, 2022**

Strath Haven Middle School, Room B-226 - 7:00 p.m.



# Halloween Safety

## → Be Alert!

Watch for Trick or Treaters when driving on Halloween. Drive slowly.

Do not trick or treat alone. Go with a group and/or responsible adult.

## → Be Visible!

Use flashlights or other forms of light after dusk when walking in your neighborhood.

## → Pay Attention!

Keep your head up and put away electronic devices. Be aware of your surroundings. Always look both ways before crossing the street.

## → Check Candy!

Let an adult check candy or treats before they are consumed.

