

STOCKBRIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
100 Price Avenue Ste A
Stockbridge, Michigan 49285

Board of Education

Regular Meeting #2 – August 11, 2025
Junior/Senior High School Media Center– 6:30 p.m.

MINUTES

I. Call to Order

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

Present: Carrie Graham; President, Erin Gancer; Vice President, Rocky Ramalia; Trustee, Kary Gee; Vice President, Keven Numinen; Secretary

Absent: Cindy Lance; Treasurer, Jill Ogden; Trustee

IV. Approval of Agenda

Move to approve the board meeting agenda for August 11, 2025 as presented/amended.

Motion : Numinen Second : Gancer Passed 5-0

V. Public Comment Addressing Consent Agenda and Action Items

Please address your comments directly to the Board President. It's important to note that while the meeting is open to the public and conducted in a transparent manner, it is primarily a platform for the Board of Education to conduct its business. Board members will not engage in dialogue or respond to comments during the meeting. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in maintaining an orderly and productive meeting environment. Each speaker will be limited to three minutes, with a maximum of thirty minutes of public participation.

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None

VI. Board of Education Comments

None

VII. Board Committee Reports

None

VIII. Reports

Mrs. White - I am very happy to be here. The staff and community support has been wonderful. It's my pleasure to introduce Corinne Clouse who will be our new 1st grade teacher.

Mrs. Kunzelman - I am happy to introduce Lynn Beauregard as our new resource room teacher. We also welcomed Dena Sommer over at Heritage in a new role, Andrea Maples is moving up from 4th grade to 5th grade and Connor Goss is our new custodian.

Mr. Trapp - The Junior/Senior High School has Nate Lott joining us as the new school liaison, Rachel Tierney as a school social worker and Emma Morris, our former student, as a long term sub for special education.

Ms. Jennett - Rachel Tierney is joining us from Chelsea schools. She has a wealth of knowledge in special education and social work. Stockbridge had the opportunity to play a game of kick ball with the Gregory Pub Ballstars. Chris Conley kicked the winning run for Stockbridge. It was a really nice way to get out to communicate socially with the community.

IX. Superintendent Report

Regina Warner, our new business manager, will be starting September 2nd. She has experience in the business office including experience in both payroll and accounts payable.

Thank you to Dena Sommer for sliding over to Community Education as well as supporting Early Childhood and Special Education. Amanda Mathews is our new Early Childhood Director and is leading the expansion of PreK for All.

After tonight's meeting we can tour the hoop house to see all of the produce. The state budget is still undecided. We are expecting they will come together mid-late September. 1.1 billion has been reduced from federal funding, so the state is still working on adjustments at the state level. In regard to school lunches; it is hard to calculate but a rough number would be \$3,000-\$4,000 per day. \$400,000 is what would be needed to budget for this program. We are still funding lunches from the 2025 budget for August and September so meals will be free until September 30, 2025. We will have to see what happens in the state budget to determine what happens as of October 1, 2025. Our field audit was completed last week. They will be coming back at a later meeting to present their report.

Microphones - We are looking at a system that has up to eight microphones. This will have components added into the box in the back room. We are hoping to have this in the next few weeks.

School Improvement Leadership Team (SILT) completed Marzano training; a growth tool used for evaluations.

There is a calendar in your bond folder for Township meetings. Please let me know if you are interested in signing up to attend these meetings.

X Discussion Items
None

XI. Consent Agenda

1. Minutes - July 11, 2025 and July 28, 2025

2. Financials

- a. \$410,087.40 from General Fund
- b. \$4,380.35 from Cafeteria Special Revenues Fund
- c. \$1,209.84 from Student Activity Special Revenues Fund
- d. \$794,148.13 July Payroll

3. Handbooks - as presented

- a. Junior/Senior High School
- b. Heritage School
- c. Smith Elementary
- d. Paraprofessional

4. Athletic Training Services Agreement with Henry Ford Jackson Hospital as presented.

5. New Hires

- a. Regina Warner - Business Manager

Motion : Gancer Second : Gee Passed 5-0

XII. Action Items
None

XIII. Old Business

- 1. Carrie Graham proposed someone that handles social media overall for the district. Someone that is putting positive messages out to the community.
- 2. Beyond Basics - Do you think a board member needs to contract them to get the data?
- 3. Administrators - Do you have a schedule for administrators coming to the meetings this year?
- 4. Athletic Wall of Fame - Maybe something that we can look at. We may want to expand to include distinguished alumni. We would need to create qualifications of what would be allowed on the wall.
- 5. WIFI at the sports fields-Can we get a quote from our tech department about expanding WIFI to the baseball, softball and soccer fields?

XIV. Schedule of Meetings

Work Session	August 25, 2025	6:30 PM	Jr/Sr SSC
Regular Meeting	September 8, 2025	6:30 PM	Jr/Sr SSC
Finance Meeting	TBD September	before the audit meeting	

XV. Acknowledgements

Mr. Trapp - I would like to acknowledge the entire custodial staff. We have a great crew here. A special shout out to Dominic Parker for his enthusiasm. Amy Hodgson - Debby Lopez for all her work throughout the summer organizing the Student Success Center.

Kelsey Jennett - Jessica Lane for being there all summer to help and answer questions.

Brian Friddle - The custodial staff for being so helpful. Bob Richards for all his work in the Ag program. He provides a cool and engaging opportunity for kids.

Kate Fox - Jennifer Matthews for her CPR class. Nikki Clear for how much she has advocated for safety for our kids.

Meghan Kunzleman - Lynn Bulkus and the kids club group team for all of their work on relocating the Kids Club room.

Jamie Kitley - Becky Muraf for her work on the Explorers Program. My son has learned a lot.

XVI. Public Comments

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Kate Fox - I really appreciate the visuals and information about the bond coming up. The message is on point.

XVII. Adjournment

Move that regular meeting #1 of the Stockbridge Community School District Board of Education be adjourned at 7:00 pm.

Motion : Numinen Second : Gee Passed : 5-0

BOARD COMMITTEES & REPRESENTATIVES
January 13, 2025 - December 31, 2025

Board Committees

Committee Name	Chair	Member	Member	Meeting Frequency	
Technology/Curriculum	Gancer	Ogden	Ramalia	Quarterly	
Athletics Committee	Numinen	Ramalia	Gee	As Needed	
Safety/Wellness/Repro	Gee	Lance	Ogden	Annually	

Health/Food & Nutrition					
Facilities Committee:	Graham	Lance	Ogden	As Needed	
Personnel Committee:	Numenin	Gee	Gancer	Bi-Annually	
Policy Committee:	Ogden	Lance	Ramalia	Bi-Annually	
Marketing Committee:	Gancer	Numenin	Graham	As Needed	
Finance Committee	Lance	Graham	Numenin	As Needed	

Board Representatives

Student Representative	Eliana Johnson & Lily Sager		Monthly	Reg Board Mtg
SAEF Member	Lance		Quarterly	
MASB Legislature	Ogden		Annually	
MASB Voting	Ogden		Annually	
ISD Budget Voting	Delegate: Numenin	Alt:Graham	Annually	
ISD Election Rep	Delegate: Numenin	Alt:Graham	Annually	
ISOA Ingham School Officers Association	Graham	Numenin	Monthly	

School Organizations

Panther Cubs PTO	Reaghan Walz	Jessica Lane		Bi-Annually	Sept/Mar
Athletic Boosters	Rebeca Lackey	Stacey Wright	Amy Adkins	Bi-Annually	Sept/Mar