



Board of Education

MEETING RECAP

October | 2022

CONSENT AGENDA

- Payment was approved homecoming chaperones as well as Mariemont High School Friday School workers.
- Continuing contracts were granted for the following staff members: David Ballard, Emily Jacobs, Margaret Mullenhour, Faith Mott, Tricia Woitha and Jeremy Prater

FINANCIAL REPORT

- Treasurer/CFO Tom Golinar reviewed the financial report and announced that all district finances are on track per the forecast.
- The student activity budget was approved.

REPORTS/INFORMATION/COMMUNICATIONS/DISCUSSION

- Superintendent Estepp presented a first reading of 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school year calendars to the Board, with no formal action being taken. The Board will vote to approve the calendars at the November Board of Education meeting.
- Director of Data and Assessment Trevor Block presented an overview of the state report card to the Board. This report card was the first to include district and school building ratings since the 2018-2019 report card. The overall rating will return next year with each district and building receiving a score on the five-star rating system. All of the information on the state report card is public and available online.

RECOGNITIONS

- The district held it's second-annual Academic Excellence Celebration at the October Board of Education meeting, honoring and recognizing many staff members and students for their successes. At the meeting, representatives from just about every department in the district, signifying how widespread and universal our academic success really is. It goes far beyond district testing data, and includes the experiential learning program, technology integration, music ensembles and much more. Congratulations to all of these individuals who were honored by the Board.
 - For exceptional testing data on state and/or AP tests: Jennifer Broo (MHS), Jessica Long (MHS), Tom Zaya (TPE), David Ballard (MJHS), Liz Reilly (MHS), Luke Wiseman (MHS), Mike Hanley (MHS), Amy Leatherwood (MHS), Kurry Commins (MHS) and David Wolfford (MHS)
 - Dr. Jim Renner presented the eight Mariemont High School students who were recently named National Merit Scholars, including Daniel Cooper (semifinalist), Harry Manzler (semifinalist), Rachel Bohl (commended), Charlotte Hagen (commended), Samuel Hicks-Jirkans (commended), Stephen O'Hara (commended), Benner Rogers (commended) and Lilly Sharp (commended).
 - MCSD band and orchestra teachers Jimmy Galloway and Sarah McEvoy presented three students who auditioned into prestigious local ensemble groups. Congratulations to Benner Rogers, Nora O'Donnell and Dianna Hester.
 - Staff members Emily Copli, Jackie Heinzelmann, Steve Phelps and Brian Sugerman were honored for earning the title of Apple Certified Educator.
 - Superintendent Estepp brought back the Superintendent's Showcase award and presented it to Brian Sugerman, for being named the NSEE's Outstanding Leader in Experiential Education: K-12, and to Maria-Fernanda Torres for her work introducing our youngest elementary learners to different languages and cultures as the World Language teacher.

