



**February 10, 2025 School Board Meeting**

## **WALLENPAUPACK AREA SCHOOL BOARD**

School will be closed February 17, 2025 for President's Day.

High School Career Counselors Mrs. Lauren McGinnis, Mrs. Susan Sullum and Mrs. Melissa Monte presented the School Board with a summary of events and experiences offered to High School students to gain real life exposure to possible future career pathways.

### Building Updates

- South Elementary – 5<sup>th</sup> grade students plan, create and host a carnival for underclassmen on February 21<sup>st</sup>.
- North Primary – Received a grant from Exxon Mobile to provide STEM opportunities for students.
- North Intermediate – Group of 5<sup>th</sup> graders participated in STEM challenge at Johnson College placing 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Middle School – Staff participated in “underground spirit week” where students had to figure out daily themes.
- High School – 8<sup>th</sup> grade students have begun scheduling their classes for next school year in High School.
- Special Education – Beginning transition process for early intervention students entering Kindergarten next year.

Mr. Gunuskey provided an update on the Wayne/Pike CTC Feasibility Study including the selection of architects and engineers, the goals of the study and the timeline moving forward.

**High School Seniors Samuel Sherman, Aubrey Folk and Rachel VanLouvender were recognized for their outstanding academic and co-curricular achievements.**

**The Board took action to approve the N.E.I.U. #19 Proposed General Operating Budget for the 2025-2026 School Year.**

**At the time of this meeting the District has two snow days remaining. Future inclement weather days beyond the allotted snow days will be FID days.**

The next School Board meeting will be held on March 10, 2025 in the High School Library.

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