

MINUTES OF BABYLON SCHOOL BOARD WORK/STUDY MEETING

DATE OF MEETING: November 17, 2014
PLACE: Babylon Junior-Senior High School, 50 Railroad Avenue, Babylon, NY 11702

Members Present

Mrs. Lisa McKeown, President
Mr. Dominic P. Bencivenga, Vice President (arrived at 6:42 p.m.)
Mrs. Elizabeth Altbacker
Mrs. Carol Ann Dell'Erba
Mrs. Ann Donaldson
Mrs. Linda Jurs
Mr. Dominick Montalto

District Superintendent

Mr. Richard S. Rozakis

Central Office Administration

Dr. Peter Daly, Deputy Superintendent
Mr. Daniel D'Amico, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mrs. McKeown, President. A motion to enter executive session for the purpose of discussing a grievance submitted by the BTA, negotiations and advice from counsel was made by L. Jurs, seconded by E. Altbacker and approved. (6-0). Mr. Bencivenga arrived at 6:42 p.m. Public session resumed at 7:37 p.m. at which time Mrs. McKeown, President, led the assemblage in the Pledge of Allegiance.

WORK/STUDY DISCUSSION

Mrs. Reilly, Director of Practical Arts and teachers in her department presented course offerings to students which include Virtual Enterprise and Engineering by Design and Child Psychology. Mr. Cirone and Mr. Ryan discussed the Freshman Seminar and the testing weeks for seventh and eighth graders. Mr. D'Amico provided an overview of the new SAT exam. He also shared the work of the curriculum committee in developing a district vision. The Board of Education elected to cancel the December 15th Work/Study meeting and to maintain 7:30 p.m. as the start time for public meetings.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 9:52 p.m. on motion by E. Altbacker, seconded C. Dell'Erba and approved (7-0)