

GOUVERNEUR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
November 3, 2025
5:30 p.m. MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA
Final Agenda: www.gcsk12.org/boe/
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- I. CALL TO ORDER
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- II. PROPOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION
To discuss the employment history of particular persons.
- III. COMMENT PERIOD
- IV. DISCUSSION
 - A. Presentation – Staff Recognition Award
 - B. Wildcat News - Capital Project Update
 - C. Upcoming Events
 - November 6 – Tri-M Induction Ceremony, HS Auditorium, 6:30 PM
 - November 7 – Veterans Day Ceremony, Middle School
 - November 10 – Staff Development (full day) – no school for students
 - November 11 – Veterans Day holiday – no school
 - November 14-15 – MS Musical, High School Auditorium, 6:30 PM
 - November 21, 24, 25 – Elementary and MS Parent-Teacher Conferences
 - November 26-28 – Thanksgiving Recess; no school for students.
 - December 8 – Board of Education meeting, 5:30 PM, **GES Cafeteria**
- V. FINANCIAL REPORT
 - A. Approval of GCS External Audit Corrective Action Plan: 6/30/2025
- VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS - None
- VII. CONSENT AGENDA:
Upon presentation and recommendation of Superintendent Jacquelyn L. Kelly, that the Board of Education approve the following items as a Consent Agenda:
 - A. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 20, 2025
 - B. CSE Business
- VIII. CONSENT AGENDA – PERSONNEL:
Upon presentation and recommendation of Superintendent Jacquelyn L. Kelly, that the Board of Education approve the following Personnel items as a Consent Agenda:
 - A. Memorandum of Agreement #8 between the Gouverneur Central School District and the Gouverneur Education Association
 - Approve the MOA#8 to the contract between the District and GEA to amend Appendix A: Coach classifications – move Varsity Indoor Track from Class 2 to Class 1; rename JV Wrestling to Varsity Assistant/JV Wrestling; add Indoor (Winter) Track Assistant at Class 3. Club classifications – remove clubs that have not been filled for five years or more: Communication Club, FHA 7th & 8th, Fitness Center Trainer, Freshman Academy #1, Freshman Academy #2, Hospitality Club, MS Tech Club, Tech Club.
 - B. Retirements
 - Paulette Fenlong, from her position as Cleaner-8hr, effective December 31, 2025.
 - C. Appointments
 - 1. Instructional
 - Teaching Assistant – Counselor. Appoint Lindsey L. Felio, pending NYS Teaching Assistant certification, to the position of Teaching Assistant – Counselor effective November 18, 2025, in the Teaching Assistant tenure area for a four-year probationary period.

2. Substitutes and Tutors

Approve the appointment of the following personnel as listed to work as per diem substitutes in instructional and/or support positions: Jennie Young, Kelly Houle, Kirsten Petrie, Ava Isereau, Tamara Stowell, Johnnessa Simmons, Ciera Way, Marlene Thomson.

3. Extra Duty

Gouverneur Middle School Afterschool Tutoring - Instructors. Appoint the following personnel as Tutoring Instructors (Extended Day After School Program) for the 2025-2026 school year: Evan Shampine.

4. Extra-Curricular

2025-26 Coaches – Winter. Approve the following coaching recommendations, pending completion of any outstanding certification requirements, and compensated in accordance with the 2025-26 Coaching Salary Schedule of the GEA contract:

WRESTLING – VARSITY BOYS	GEORGE J. BAER
BASKETBALL BOYS 8TH GRADE	JARRETT W. BULLOCK
WRESTLING ASSISTANT – VOLUNTEER	ALAN COUNTRYMAN
INDOOR TRACK ASSISTANT	SHAWN P. CUMMINGS
WRESTLING ASSISTANT - VOLUNTEER	DAVID M. DAILEY
BASKETBALL GIRLS VARSITY	SEAN T. DEVLIN
CHEERLEADING WINTER	ERICA DOWLING
BASKETBALL GIRLS 7TH GRADE	CHELSEI (GRIFFITH) PECK
INDOOR TRACK – MODIFIED	JULIE NEISS
BASKETBALL GIRLS 8TH GRADE	KORRINE PATTERSON
BASKETBALL GIRLS 7TH GRADE	SARAH RIUTTA
BASKETBALL BOYS VARSITY	MICHAEL A. SHATTUCK
BASKETBALL BOYS VOLUNTEER	NICHOLAS A. STERLING
BASKETBALL BOYS 7TH GRADE	TRENTON SULLIVAN
BASKETBALL GIRLS JV	RICK L. VROOMAN
BASKETBALL BOYS JV	JACOB A. WELDON
INDOOR TRACK	KURTIS P. WELLS
WRESTLING – MODIFIED	COLTER WHITMORE
SWIM BOYS	BRETT M. WORDEN

5. Students

Approve the appointment of the following student worker(s) for the Buildings & Grounds department for 2025-26, pending completion of all requirements: Karlee L. Ashley

IX. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Approval of Claims Auditor's Reports for the period 10/23/25 – 10/31/25
- B. Approval of District Shared Decision-Making Plan 2025-2027
- C. Resolution Approving Easement for Utility Purposes

X. COMMENT PERIOD

XI. PROPOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION

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No further business is expected to take place.

XII. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT