A. Call to Order: The meeting of the School Committee is called to order by Michael Loughran at 7:00 PM.

B. Open Session:

Present are:

Michael Loughran
Kristin Mirliani
Meg Gannon
John Bonnanzio
Reuki Schutt

Also Present:

Dr. Jennifer Fischer-Mueller, Superintendent
Barry Nectow, Business Manager
Brett McCloud, Recording Secretary
Public
Staff
Press

C. Public Comments/Questions: No public comments.

D. Superintendent’s Report: Dr. Fischer-Mueller provided an update on a variety of matters going on throughout the district which included:

Superintendent’s Activities
Facilities Master Plan. The Working Group has continued to meet with the Dore and Whittier team to further develop the feedback from participants of the third Visioning Day held on Wednesday, May 24th. The Dore and Whittier team will hold a second community presentation on June 15th. The committee is on track for the final Master Plan to be finished this summer, followed by presentations to the School Committee and general public (dates to be determined).

Hiring Processes. Administrators are leading the hiring processes for vacancies in a variety of roles across the school district. Specifically regarding the K-12 Visual Arts Coordinator, Assistant Superintendent Henderson hosted two finalists yesterday, June 7th. The finalists’ day included teaching a lesson at GMS and interviews with Central Office administrators and principals. Feedback from the interviews will be reviewed and references checked before an offer is extended to
one of the finalists. In September the new administrators will be introduced to the School Committee.

Indicators of Excellence
Norfolk County Teachers Association Awards. On Tuesday, June 6th, two staff members and one CHS student were honored at the Norfolk County Teachers Association (NCTA) Awards Ceremony. The Superintendent thanked Katie Leazott, NCTA Director for CPS, for providing the following information on the NCTA Awards:
The Norfolk County Teachers Association honors two people from each district every year to show appreciation for all they do for public education. The Honor Award is given to an educator in the district for their significant contribution to Educational Service, Community Service, and Association Service. The Service Award is given to an individual layperson or group who has demonstrated support and interest in education in the community. NCTA also honors one student from each district with the Harland L. Cook Book Award.
The Superintendent announced the 2017 NCTA Award recipients:
Honor Award: Joyce Stenmon, K-12 Visual Arts Coordinator
Service Award: Peter Gandolfo, Custodian CHS
Harland L. Cook Book Award, Katherine Pineo, Canton High School Senior

Project Based Learning – Thirty-five Canton educators will participate in Project Based Learning from June 26-28 with two additional days in the fall. The Buck Institute for Education will again provide this training.

Standards Based Report Card – The elementary Standards Based Report Card PLC will continue work on the development of the final parent information booklet outlining expectations for each grade level in all content areas. This brochure will accompany the Standards Based Report cards.

Science Curriculum Mapping Committee – This group of ten elementary teachers and five GMS teachers will meet throughout the summer to develop units matched to the new Science/Technology standards. Work will continue with Jayne Moore and Katie Clarke, Teachers 21 Education Consultant. New units will be presented and put into place during the 17-18 school year.

Technology Integration – This two-day workshop provided each summer will offer educators further training in Google in Education, Discovery Education, multimedia presentation development and more. The workshop will be provided by our technology integration faculty.

Cell phone Photography and Videography – This two-day workshop will focus on the grammar of photography and video, digital storytelling, useful apps for
tablets/smart phones, video software for workstations, basic editing, and rubrics and standards for multimedia. This workshop will be provided by Ed McDonough, Visual Arts and Television/Broadcast faculty member.

Facilitative Leadership – Gene Thompson-Grove will return to the district the last week in June to provide a two-day workshop, Facilitative Leadership, for school and district administrators.

GMS Pilot Team – The five teachers of the pilot seventh grade team will be meeting four weeks in the summer to participate in Project Based Learning, and Inclusive and Developmentally Appropriate Practice professional development. Additionally, they will be developing multidisciplinary units to put into place in the 17-18 school year. This team will work with Jen Henderson, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction, Deb Bromfield, Director for Student Services and Dr. William Conard, principal at GMS.

Collaborative Problem Solving – Ben Stich will provide a “refresher” course on August 29th for all educators who are interested and have previously attended the full training. This will be the sixth year of continuing work in Collaborative Problem Solving.

Experiential Education and 9th Grade Wellness Curriculum – A group of wellness educators will be rewriting the 9th grade Wellness curriculum with consultant Nate Folan and K-12 Wellness Coordinator, Ryan Gordy.

Technology Tools – Staff will be offered training opportunities in August to introduce the new absence management system, Frontline, as well as the new gradebook system (within our current student information management system, Rediker) that will be implemented next year.

New Educator Orientation and Substitute Educator Orientation – Every year new educators are welcome to the Canton Public Schools with a two-day orientation in August, and another two days for substitute teachers.

Important Dates and Events
Tuesday, June 13 – Elementary Concert
Wednesday, June 14 – GMS Cultural Heritage Night, 6pm – 8pm
Wednesday, June 14 – CPACSS Meeting
Thursday, June 15 – Future of Our Schools – Facilities Master Plan Presentation
Friday, June 16 – Last Day for Pay and Ride Applications
Monday, June 19 – Last Day for PreK and Kindergarten
Tuesday, June 20 – Luce Kindergarten Screening
Wednesday, June 21 – Hansen Kindergarten Screening
Thursday, June 22 – JFK Kindergarten Screening

Approved by the School Committee
July 13, 2017
Friday, June 23 – Last day of school for Grades 1-11

E. Old Business –

1. **CTA Plaque Naming:** Robie Peter requested approval to mount a plaque at the entrance of the Luce School in honor of a former Luce student. Kristin Mirliani motioned to approve the request. The motion was seconded by Meg Gannon. It was voted 5-0.

   
   5 yea 0 nay

2. **Policy 1st Read:** Kristin Mirliani presented the 1st read for Interscholastic Athletes Policy (File #JJIB). John Bonnanzio motioned to waive the second read for the Interscholastic Athletes Policy (File #JJIB). Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 5-0.

   
   5 yea 0 nay

   John Bonnanzio motioned to approve the Interscholastic Athletes Policy (File #JJIB). Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 5-0.

   
   5 yea 0 nay

F. New Business

1. **World Language Awards:** Heidi Olsen presented an overview and the recipients of the World Language Awards. The following students were recognized:

   Grade 7 FRENCH HONOR CERTIFICATE (Madame Keverian)
   Honor (1)
   Carly LaFrance

   Grade 8 FRENCH HONOR CERTIFICATE
   Honor (14)
   Veronica Bell
   Michael Bornstein
   Kayla Camille
   Valerie Casimir
   Amanda Duffin
   Vedanti Kamble
   Sarah Kelly
   Rachel Kupferman
   Skyler Lam
   Holly MacMullen
Michael Mondillo  
Nam Pham  
Matt Thompson  
Mia Walsh  

Bronze (3)  
Kylie Callagee  
Laura Emde  
Anna Reilly  
Silver (2)  
Stephen Derbin  
Harshitha Valluri  

2017 World Language Awards Night Recipients  
National Spanish Examinations – Galvin Middle School  

GRADE 7  
Honor (5) - (Jana McNeil)  
Andres Castro  
Mia Galvin  
John Kelleher  
Sara Lopez Rodriguez  
Caroline Wong  
Honor (2)-(Diane Keverian)-2 award winners  
Clara Lipson  
Emily Lynch  
Honor (2)-(Laurie Moore)-2 award winners  
Alexander Hartman  
Tess O’Riordan  
Bronze (1) - (Jana McNeil)  
Diego Leyva  
Silver (1) - (Jana McNeil)  
Ana Beatriz Serodio  

GRADE 8  
Honor (3) - (Laurie Moore)  
Aaron Mar  
Marie Messinger  
Patrick O’Leary  

Honor (6)- (Señora Bajramovic)  
Steven Burbank  
Angela Elias
Katherine Larsen  
Meredith Madden  
Kaitlin McKenna  
Amanda Vrabel  
**Bronze (1) - (Laurie Moore)**
  
Sawyer Julier-Albert

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2017 World Language Awards Night Recipients

**National Spanish Examinations – Galvin Middle School**

**Bronze (3) - (Señora Bajramovic)**

  - Elizabeth Bickett
  - Caitlyn Cahill
  - Jack Hernon

**Silver (2) (Laurie Moore)**

  - Emma Cao
  - Alexandra Lopez Rodriguez

**Silver (2) - (Señora Bajramovic)**

  - Isabella Botelho
  - Simela Donovan

**Gold (1) - (Señora Bajramovic)**

  - Megan Winkler

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2017 World Language Awards Night Recipients

**FRENCH**

**7th & 8th Grade Special French Awards**

**Excellence**

  - Carly LaFrance (Madame Keverian)
  - Lauren Hernon (Monsieur Snipe)
  - Stephanie Trendell (Monsieur Snipe)

**Growth & Progress/Continuous Improvement**

  - Amy Hylen (Monsieur Snipe)
  - Hailey Lennon (Madame Keverian)

**SPANISH**

**7th & 8th Grade Special Spanish Awards**

**Excellence**

  - Ana Beatriz Serodio (Señora McNeil)
  - Corinne Campbell (Señora McNeil)
  - Carly Fitzgerald (Señora Moore)
  - Nicholas Bonanno (Señora Keverian)
  - Megan (María) Winkler (Señora Bajramovic)
  - Alexandra Lopez Rodriguez
  - Graham Stemm (Señora McNeil)
Growth & Continuous Improvement
Zachary Peters (Señora Moore)
Allie McCabe (Señora Keverian)
Joseph Gerrior (Señora Bajramovic)

MEDALS FOR GERMAN 1 (Frau Haver)
Honor (4)
Bronwyn Mahoney
Leah McDonnell
Maddie McDonough
Samuel Walter

Bronze (3)
Anthony Bautista
Benjamin Colson
Mason Gregerman

MEDALS FOR GERMAN 2 (Frau Haver)
Honor Certificates (4)
Bronze (4)
Gold (1)

2017 World Language Awards Night Recipients
CHS Students
Academic Excellence (AE)-academic excellence, rigor, integrity, honesty, resilience, leadership, and class contributions
Brandon Pho (grade 10, Mandarin-Jian Sun)
Sydney Weng (grade 9, Spanish 2 H-Michael Farkas)
Jessica Powers (grade 11, Spanish 4 CP-Michael Farkas)
Maddie Mantel (ASL 1-Elizabeth Bartz)
Claire Belisle (ASL 2-Elizabeth Bartz)
Chris Milne (French 4 H-Sharyn Hallal)

Continuous Improvement (CI)-academic growth; enthusiasm; positive attitude; inquisitive nature; desire to learn more and take risks
Nicholas Kuk (grade 11, Mandarin-Jian Sun)
Zachary Lum (Spanish 2 CP-Sara McDonald)
Fiona Gilmore (Spanish 3 CP-Sara McDonald)
Riley McDonnell (German-Johanna Haver)
Jack Trendell (German-Johanna Haver)
Dante Rivera (Spanish 1CP-Carol Brooks)
Antony Thelismond (ASL 1-Elizabeth Bartz)
Anita Wexler-Jenkins (French 2 H-Becky Stiles)
Leadership & Service (L & S)-student is a leader and a model for his/her classmates and takes initiative; collaborates and helps others

Tyler Czyras (grade 11, Spanish 4 CP-Mike Farkas)
Perla Montan (French 3H-Sharyn Hallal)

Building Cultural Connections (BCC)-Students who participated in the German Exchange Program will receive this award and Jenny Wolicki

World Language/Global Citizen (WL/GC)
Srimayi Chaturvedula - member of the Project RISE group

2. Canton Parent Advisory Council for Student Services (CPACSS): Debra Bromfield gave a presentation on CPACSS. CPACSS mission statement is to work for the understanding of, respect for and support of all children with special needs in the community.

3. Personnel Appointment: Dr. Jennifer Fischer-Mueller presented Particia Kinsella as the recommendation for the temporary position of Assistant Superintendent of Special Projects. After discussion, Reuki Schutt motioned to approve the recommendation of Patricia Kinsella to the temporary position of Assistant Superintendent of Special Projects. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 5-0.

5 yea 0 nay

4. Facilities Master Plan Presentation: Dore and Whittier provided a presentation on the Facilities Master plan which included findings such as facilities physical condition, enrollment projections, and educational vision. The list of objectives that need to be met are to address physical conditions, alignment of facilities and educational vision, eliminating missing and inappropriate spaces, alleviating existing and future overcrowding, co-locate Pre-K programs with elementary grades, and improving district offices. The Dore and Whittier team also presented several options for the district and the assumed cost of the short listed options. Another presentation was given to the community as well as a question and answer session on June 15th 2017 at 7:00 PM.

5. Recertification of Residency: The School Committee reviewed the residency recertification process and after brief discussion Reuki Schutt motioned to approve the recertification letter to be sent to all families with
students entering the 6th and 9th grade. John Bonnanzio seconded the motion. It was voted 5-0.

5 yea 0 nay

6. Superintendent Evaluation: Chairman, Michael Loughran briefly discussed the process of evaluating the Superintendent. A meeting will be held on July 18th with a representative from MASC to review the process.

7. Lunch Price: Martha Lawless, Director of Food Services, presented a recommendation for an increase to school lunch price. The guidelines are set forth from the USDA for lunch prices. Reuki Schutt motioned to increase breakfast prices by $.25 and increase lunch prices by $.30. Kristin Mirliani seconded the motion. It was voted 4-1.

4 yeas 1 nay

8. Business Manager’s Report: Barry Nectow reported that the track resurfacing in starting by the end of the month and will take six weeks to finish. Mr. Nectow also reported that the Hansen Roof project will begin on June 26th. Bus registration closed on June 16th and all chrome books were distributed to the School Committee members.

G. Routine Matters

1. Kristin Mirliani motioned to approve the minutes dated May 4, 2017. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 4-0-1. Reuki Schutt abstained.

4 yeas 0 nay 1 abstain

2. Kristin Mirliani motioned to approve the Executive Minutes dated May 4, 2017. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 4-0-1. Reuki Schutt abstained.

4 yeas 0 nay 1 abstain

3. Kristin Mirliani motioned to approve the Executive Minutes dated May 4, 2017 for public release. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 4-0-1. Reuki Schutt abstained.

4 yeas 0 nay 1 abstain
4. Kristin Mirliani motioned to approve the Bill Schedule dated June 15, 2017. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was voted 5-0.

5 yeas 0 nay

H. Sub-Committee Reports
1. TEC- Dr. Jenifer Fischer-Mueller
2. CPC – John Bonnanzio
3. BRC- Reuki Schutt
4. Wellness- Meg Gannon
5. Finance – Reuki Schutt/Meg Gannon
6. Policy – Kristin Mirliani
7. Paul Revere Building Use Committee – Michael Loughran requested a School Committee Member be voted to represent the Paul Revere Use Committee. After discussion Reuki Schutt motioned to approve the subcommittee and appoint John Bonnanzio to represent the subcommittee. Kristin Mirliani seconded the motion. It was vote 5-0.

8. Paul Revere Heritage Commission - John Bonnanzio explained the purpose of the Paul Revere Heritage Commission. After discussion Reuki Schutt motioned to approve the subcommittee and appoint John Bonnanzio to represent the subcommittee. Meg Gannon seconded the motion. It was vote 5-0.

5 yeas 0 nay

I. Future Business – Next Meeting Thursday, July 13, 2017 at 7:00 PM.

J. Other Business –

K. Adjournment – Kristin Mirliani motioned adjourn at 9:00 PM. The motion was seconded by Meg Gannon. It was voted 5-0.

5 yeas 0 nay