

In an effort to increase Board/Public Communications, after each Board of Education meeting an email will be sent to parents, staff, and anyone who requested to receive district e-mail communications, highlighting board discussions.

The following was discussed at the April 22, 2021 meeting:

*Student representatives from MS and HS student council gave reports about recent school happenings. PTA Council thanked everyone for their participation in the recent Open Council meeting that featured recent alumni. It was a great success.

*During the Superintendent's Report, Mr. Grishman said that the feedback from everyone has been really positive about bringing all students back to school every day and he thanked staff for all that they do. Our Covid numbers have stayed low and many of the positive cases that we share in email, have been remote students.

*Mr. Grishman also said that the middle school and high school are planning a summer program. This would not be a traditional program but would be for students who are new to the district and have not spent much time in the building or students that have been suffering from anxiety and academic stresses throughout the pandemic. Plans are still being developed.

*The board took action on a number of items, including the approval of schedules. All information, including the full agenda and minutes, is available on the district website at http://jerichoschools.org/district/board_of_education

*The Board Meeting in its entirety is available here:
<https://youtu.be/F0iWHzfrH4E>

*The Budget vote is scheduled for Tuesday, May 18, 2021 from 6 AM to 9 PM in the Sam Springer Gym. Information on the vote is available on the district website, or by clicking here: <https://bit.ly/2QAYvRZ>

*The next regular meeting of the Board of is scheduled for May 20, 2021 at 7:30 PM via Zoom.

*-Bill Ferro, Board President
Sent on behalf of the Jericho Board of Education*