

School Board Committee Updates Charlottesville City School Board Meeting April 14, 2022

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Board Member	Committee Updates
James Bryant	 March 17-Black Male Steering Committee got an update on Daniel Fairley paternity leave. Reviewed mission, vision, and principles. Boy's council at Buford up and running. There were eight applicants for the Youth Council. March 25th-Superintendent's Equity Committee- met and reviewed general feedback and updated changes based on feedback. I am in the Access and Success group. March 21th-Community Development Block Grant Meeting- We meet to review our scores for the six CDBG applications. Funds can be spent on public service, economic development, housing, and public infrastructure. All of the organizations I suggested were all recommended for funding-PHAR, Literacy Volunteers of Charlottesville-Albemarle and Local Energy Alliance Program and Community Investment Collaborative(Scholarships). March 21th- Naming of School Committee- Dr. Gurley convened the meeting to get an update and get feedback on the committee purpose and direction we are planning to go with the committee. Venable and Clark are the first schools we are gathering feedback on. March 9th- VSBA Board of Directors Meeting I am state chair of the region and we meet quarterly to get updates on the general assembly, collective bargaining, workforce readiness, and Kajeet partnership to name a few. The next meeting is scheduled for June 2nd in Richmond. March 2nd- VSBA 2022 Central Region Spring Network Forum- Central Virginia Region kicked off the regional forum on March 2nd. Dr. Paul Harris, former professor at UVA and currently professor at Penn State University was our keynote speaker.
Emily Dooley	 PREP - Approved budget with a 4% raise. Approved \$1500 bonus to be paid before the end of the school year. Housing Advisory Committee - Reviewed applications and made recommendations to City Council for the Award of FY22 Charlottesville Affordable Housing Funds (CAHF). Public Education Foundation - Discussed creation of Teacher Innovation Grants; Door prizes for back to school kick-off & Day of Play; Possibility of providing World Peace Game camp; commitment of \$5,000 to support the Fine Arts Camp CCS

Sherry Kraft	 March 7: Gifted Advisory Board - Presentation on differentiation by Christine Esposito, Gifted Resource teacher at Johnson; discussed evaluation measures for gifted identification. March 8: School Health Advisory Board - Day to Play 2022 will be April 22-24. Students & staff may participate in health & wellness activities for free. March 21: Re-naming Committee - Re-launching this committee after a Covid hiatus; discussion of process for input & decision-making. March 10: Paramount Education Committee - discussed return to in-person arts education programs next year for Pre-K to 12. April 10: MLK Community Celebration - honoring MLK essay winner Jakia Maupin from CHS! Community award presented to Alex-Zan. April 11: Emily Couric Leadership Luncheon - honoring the leadership scholarship winner Kaymin Hester from CHS along with all outstanding young women nominated by their area schools.
Dom Morse	 TJACE@PVCC Advisory Board Meeting (3/29/2022) - Update on programs and continuation of online/in-person/hybrid classes. Contract w/ IRC to support incoming refugees. Career focused programs that prepare language learners with employable skills and continue english language development. Looking to connect with community partners to increase awareness and enrollment of potential GED students. Charlottesville Scholarship Program (4/13/2022) - Approved scholarship recipients for this year. Financial report update and subcommittee updates.
Lisa Torres	Division-Level Equity Committee meeting (3/25/2022) - The committee had received feedback relating to our Inclusive Excellence Framework and broke off into groups to incorporate the feedback into assigned sections/groups (Access and Success/Culture, Climate and Relationships/Family and Community Engagement/Training and Education/Organizational Infrastructure/Data Dashboard