

Superintendent's Update **April 3, 2019**

News from Around the District

- The Business Manager and the Superintendent continue to work to prepare for the new ELHS project. Next week, they meet with the Maine Board of Education's Construction subcommittee for their recommendation for approval to the full Board of Education. The Superintendent will present the process up to this point and Harriman architects will do an overview of the Concept Design.
- Larry Gordon and one of his students is working on a new logo for the new ELHS project that will be used as part of the campaign to encourage voters to vote on June 11.
- The Superintendent spoke to the Auburn Middle School parent group and Auburn's Democrat group this week and will speak to the Exchange Club next week regarding the new ELHS project. The Superintendent is scheduled to speak to PTOs, attend the April Auburn Business Association meeting and the project will be a Spotlight at the May Chamber Breakfast. Other meetings are also being scheduled in order for the department to continue to get information out to the community.
- **Here is a wonderful article about the importance of instructional coaches:**
http://www.ascd.org/ascd-express/vol14/num13/emotionally-compelling-buildingwide-differentiated-coaching.aspx?utm_source=twitter&utm_campaign=Social-Organic&utm_medium=social#.XJl5k0RQyrk.email

6:00: **Budget Workshop:** The School Committee will discuss the Superintendent's recommended reductions to her proposed budget.

7:00: School Committee Agenda Items

Information:

Public Hearing on the Superintendent's Proposed Budget

This is an opportunity for the public to ask questions and share comments regarding the Superintendent's proposed budget. Here is a link to school budget information:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/12n0Tb7lkkNNtaLEimlvYHV-h762oijMV>

Business:

Second Reading of Policies

The Assistant Superintendent will present the following policies for second reading:

- EEA - Student Transportation Services
- IHBAC - Child Find
- JLF - Reporting Child Abuse-Child Protection

Auburn School Department's Emergency Operations Plan

Annually the School Committee is required to approve the school department's Emergency Operations Plan. The School Committee will meet in executive session prior to the vote to review any changes that have been made to the plan.

Have a wonderful weekend!

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