

**-Key Communicators Meeting-
March 22, 2018**

-Superintendent Search: Dr. Orner has been appointed Superintendent of the Octorara Area School District in Chester County. Her resignation is effective June 30th. The School Board will update the community at future meetings about the process they will use to hire a new superintendent.

-Business and Operations Manager Search: Ongoing. The hope is to have an individual in place by July 1st. Mr. Bower retires on June 30th.

-Summer Programming: Recommended that HASD also send summer programming information to students who are homeschooled and students enrolled in private schools, Christian schools, and cyber-charter school programs.

-HWEF Camps:

-Free to all students.

-Registration begins on April 15th. Check website for details. HASD will also send an email out to all parents.

-DCTS Career Camp:

-June 12-14

-Transportation for all students provided by HWEF.

-HASD Literacy and Enrichment Programs:

-Based on feedback and turnout (even with transportation) we are feeling that we should focus on kindergarten readiness. Administration will be talking with the kindergarten teachers about having a one event. We are in the early stages of planning.

-Summer Lunch: schedule available mid-April.

-Community Library: Pilot TBD. May be put on hold until a new superintendent is hired. Dr. Orner will speak with administration about the possibility of another person leading the summer community library pilot program.

-RockSTARt Summer Program at HES: Contact Krista Keiter at 717-439-2881.

-Valley's Church Back to School Project:

-MS Gym as staging area.

-Dates: July 23rd through August 22nd. Facilities request has been submitted.

-Communities that Care: Community Day: Update from Heather Crook and her team. Documents are attached.

-Administration's Proposed Operating Budget for 2018-2019:

-(1) Budget information has been posted to website. (2) The Budget Workshop is scheduled for: April 19th at 7:00 p.m. in the Media Café.

-New for School Year 2018-2019:

-Partnership with Junior Achievement funded by the Halifax Wildcat Education Foundation.

-Drivers Education: Vendor Changes: The Capital Area Intermediate Unit will no longer offer Behind the Wheel training effective June 30th. HASD is accepting bids from private vendors in the hopes of continuing the program during the 2018-2019 school year.

-Additional Discussion Items:

-School Safety; School Resource Officers. Will continue this conversation at the next Key Communicators Meeting.

NEXT MEETING:

Monday, June 18th at 6:00 p.m. in the Media Café.