

## **BMU BOARD MEETING**

**Via Zoom**

**March 3, 2021**

Present:

Board Members: Angeline Alley, Sara Dennis, Paul Hazel, Allison Ingerson, Judy Murray, Kristen Murray, Allana Page, Kelsey Root-Winchester, Sarah Sanders

Administration: Emilie Knisley, John Barone, Scott Blood

Others: Nadia Fraser, Coco Huang

- I. The meeting was called to order at 6:02 PM by Angeline Alley, Chair. The agenda was approved
  - A. Motion by Paul Hazel, seconded by Judy Murray to approve the Board minutes of February 3, 2021. Corrections: Section V: There are four cafeteria workers instead of five. Section VII: Judy Colby was the person who handled preparing the Annual report. Motion voted on and approved as corrected.
- II. Correspondence: None
- III. Principals' Report
  - A. Congratulations to Julie Gandin, Elementary Guidance Counselor, who was honored with the Elementary Guidance Counselors' Lifetime Achievement Award
  - B. Congratulations to Jake Faucette, BMU junior, who came in third in the Impromptu category at the Vermont State Speech Tournament, during which he competed against students from Rutland, Essex, Colchester, South Burlington and CVU. Forensics has all been conducted virtually this year, and BMU students are competing and doing well at the state level
  - C. The budget passed yesterday
- IV. VSBA Update—no report, as they meet next week
- V. OESU Report—will meet next week
- VI. Action Items—None
- VII. Public Participation—none
- VIII. Executive Session—none needed
- IX. Other Business
  - A. Kristen Murray thanked BMU for sharing the basketball games on YouTube. She thanked Neil Emerson for his great commentary and for making the video very engaging. Kudos to the school for putting that together. She is thinking about some good things that will come out of this after the pandemic is over. Others from out of the area are able to watch our teams play. Good luck to all students, who are back in session tomorrow. She (Kristen) is glad that the remote Wednesdays will be continuing
  - B. Judy Murray and Sara Dennis: appreciate seeing all the teams play. It has been almost a year since seeing the inside of the gym.
- X. Motion by Paul Hazel, seconded by Kristen Murray to adjourn the meeting at 6:11 PM. Motion voted on and approved unanimously.

Respectfully submitted:

Nancy Perkins, Minutes Clerk

**The minutes are in draft format and are unofficial until formally approved by the Board at a subsequent meeting.**