

Upcoming Meeting Dates

Policy Committee Agenda, 11/9/2015

CABE Memo 10/13/2015: Fairfield Awarded Honorable Mentions



UPCOMING MEETING DATES

November 9

4:15 PM – Board of Education Meeting
Policy Committee
501 Kings Hwy East
Superintendent’s Conference Room

November 17

7:30 PM – Board of Education Meeting
Regular/Organizational Meeting
501 Kings Hwy East
2nd Floor Board Conference Room

November 30

4:15 PM – Board of Education Meeting
Policy Committee
501 Kings Hwy East
Superintendent’s Conference Room

Newly elected BOE Officers sworn in on 11/16

BOARD OF EDUCATION
FAIRFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FAIRFIELD, CT

Policy Committee Agenda
November 9, 2015
4:15 p.m.
501 Kings Highway East, Suite 210
Superintendent's Conference Room

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Discussion of Board of Education Handbook (*DRAFT, Revised May 7, 2015*)
- IV. Open Discussion/Public Comment
- V. Adjournment
- VI. Future Items

Next Meeting: November 30, 2015

All meetings will be held at 501 Kings Highway East, Superintendent's Conference Room unless otherwise noted.



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October 13, 2015

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Fairfield Public Schools
501 Kings Highway East, P.O. Box 320189
Fairfield, CT 06825

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for Professional Development
Westport

Dear Dr. Title:

John Prins
Secretary/Treasurer
Branford

We are delighted to inform you that your school district has won an **Honorable Mention in the CABE Award of Excellence for Educational Communications**. A list of the winners is attached (please check the list to see which one of your entries won and honorable mention.)

Lydia Tedone
Immediate Past President
Simsbury

Your Honorable Mention framed certificate will be sent directly to your local school district so that you or your board chairperson can present it to the board of education. CABE wants to bring recognition to the talented staff members who create these outstanding examples, as well as to your entire district. Therefore, we believe that by making the presentation at your board meeting you will have the opportunity to invite the local media, and members of the staff and the community who otherwise would be unable to attend the awards presentation ceremony at the CABE/CAPSS Convention.

Donald Harris
Executive Committee
Member at Large
Bloomfield

Winning districts will be showcased at the 2015 CABE/CAPSS Convention in November. Please send approximately 15-20 copies of your winning entry, **PRINT MATERIAL ONLY**, (videos, computer generated projects, and website excluded). Send your display material to CABE, 81 Wolcott Hill Road, Wethersfield, CT 06109 **BEFORE NOVEMBER 6, 2015** or bring them to the registration area before 7:30 a.m. on Friday, November 20, 2015.

Robert Rader
Executive Director

Patrice A. McCarthy
Deputy Director
and General Counsel

Rebecca Adams
Senior Staff Attorney

Bonnie B. Carney
Senior Staff Associate
for Publications

If you have any questions or comments about this process, please contact me at (860)571-7446 or bcarney@cabe.org.

Nicholas D. Caruso, Jr.
Senior Staff Associate
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Sheila McKay
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Sincerely,

Bonnie B. Carney
Senior Staff Associate for Publications

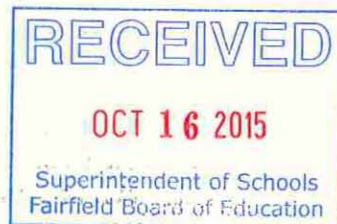
Vincent A. Mustaro
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Teresa Costa
Coordinator of Finance
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Enclosure

cc: Mr. Philip Dwyer, Board Chair, Fairfield Board of Education



2015 Communications Award Winners

Congratulations to the school districts which won awards in CABE's 2015 Award of Excellence for Educational Communications contest.

Over 5000 ADM

**District Budget
Award Winner**
Glastonbury Public Schools
Board of Education Approved
Budget 2015-16

Honorable Mentions
Fairfield Public Schools
District Budget July 1, 2015-
June 30, 2016

**Parent/Student Handbook
Award Winner**
West Hartford Public Schools
Elementary Handbook

**Course Selection Guide
Award Winner**
West Hartford Public Schools
Conard Program of Studies

Honorable Mention
West Hartford Public Schools
Life Learn Adult Fall Catalog

**Calendar
Award Winner**
Glastonbury Public Schools
2015-2016 Calendar

Honorable Mention
Bridgeport Public Schools
2015-2016 Calendar-Handbook

Hamden Public Schools
District Calendar

**Special Project
Award Winner**
West Hartford Public Schools
Creativity

Honorable Mentions
West Hartford Public Schools
Pops n' Jazz Poster,
Tickets and Program

Manchester Public Schools
Better Manchester Magazine
Special "Education Edition"

Wallingford Public Schools
Video "I am Proud"

**Special Project (AV)
Award Winner**
Milford Public Schools
New Standards, New
Standardized Assessment

**Social Media
Award Winner**
Stratford Public Schools
Stratford Board of Education
Facebook Page

Honorable Mention
CREC
Facebook: CREC Excellence
in Education

Fairfield Public Schools
Superintendent Twitter

**Going Green
Award Winner**
Manchester Public Schools
"Saving Trees" Thru
Digital Strategies

**Computer Generated Projects
Award Winner**
West Hartford Public Schools
Convocation Video

Honorable Mention
Fairfield Public Schools
Worlds Language Curriculum

West Hartford Public Schools
Homelessness

Fairfield Public Schools
Superintendents District Budget

**Web Sites
Award Winner**
CREC
Crec.org

Honorable Mentions
West Hartford Public Schools
Website: whps.org

Fairfield Public Schools
Website

Manchester Public Schools
mpspride.org

**Newsletter
Award Winner**
West Hartford Public Schools
Bugbee Buzz

Honorable Mentions
Bridgeport Public Schools
District Wide Monthly Newsletter

Meriden Public Schools
Teval Times

CREC
Executive Director's Report

**Annual Report
Award Winner**
CREC
2013-2014 CREC Annual Report

Honorable Mention
Stamford Public Schools
Annual Report to the Community