

Holton Public Schools Board of Education
November 10, 2025 – 6:00 PM
District Services Building
Minutes

- I. Call to Order at 6:00 by Board Vice President Jack Vanderboegh
 - 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Roll Call - Beth Frey, Andy O’Riley, Jack Vanderboegh, Amber Slater, Brian Byrnes, and Sarah Hippler. Absent - Amy Brookhouse
- III. Approval of Agenda
 - 1. Motion by: Amber Slater
 - 2. Supported by: Andy O’Riley
 - 3. Questions or discussion:
 - 4. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent
- IV. Special Presentations / Superintendent Reports - None
- V. Discussion Items
 - 1. Hiring Elementary Paraprofessionals
 - 2. Hiring Coaches
 - 3. 31aa Funding
- VI. Welcome and Public Comments
 - 1. This is the time when members of the audience may address the Board of Education regarding any topic, including items on the agenda. We encourage you to express your concerns and ideas at this time; however, please limit your remarks to no more than three minutes. When addressing the Board of Education, please state your name and address.
- VII. Consent Agenda Items (recommended to and supported by the Superintendent)

1. Approval of the October 27, 2025 Regular Board Meeting Minutes.

- i. Motion by: Brian Byrnes
- ii. Supported by: Andy O'Riley
- iii. Questions or discussion:
- iv. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent

VIII. Supervisor Reports – None

IX. Action Items: (recommended to and supported by the Superintendent)

1. Approve the recommendation to hire Stefani Mock as an Elementary Paraprofessional pending the results of her background check.

- i. Motion by: Amber Slater
- ii. Supported by: Brian Byrnes
- iii. Questions or discussion:
- iv. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent

2. Approve the recommendation to hire Jennifer Faulkner as an Elementary Paraprofessional pending the results of her background check.

- i. Motion by: Amber Slater
- ii. Supported by: Andy O'Riley
- iii. Questions or discussion:
- iv. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent

3. Approve the recommendation to hire Jonathan Brown as the Boys JV Basketball Coach for the 2025-2026 Boys JV Basketball season pending the results of his background check.

- i. Motion by: Brian Byrnes

- ii. Supported by: Amber Slater

- iii. Questions or discussion:

- iv. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent

4. Approve the recommendation to hire the following Returning Coaches for the 2025-2026 Winter Athletic Seasons.

Megan Frees - 7th Grade Girls Basketball

Dustin Wilson - 7th Grade Boys Basketball

Zachery Brown - Varsity Boys Basketball Assistant Coach

- i. Motion by: Brian Byrnes

- ii. Supported by: Andy O'Riley

- iii. Questions or discussion:

- iv. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent

X. Announcements and Correspondence

1. Save the Date! The Board/Admin Christmas Party will be Monday, December 15th in the Banquet room at Northside Pub.

XI. Board Comments

XII. Adjournment

1. Motion by: Sarah Hippler

2. Supported by: Brian Byrnes

3. Time: 6:28

4. Vote: 6 - 0 - 1 Absent