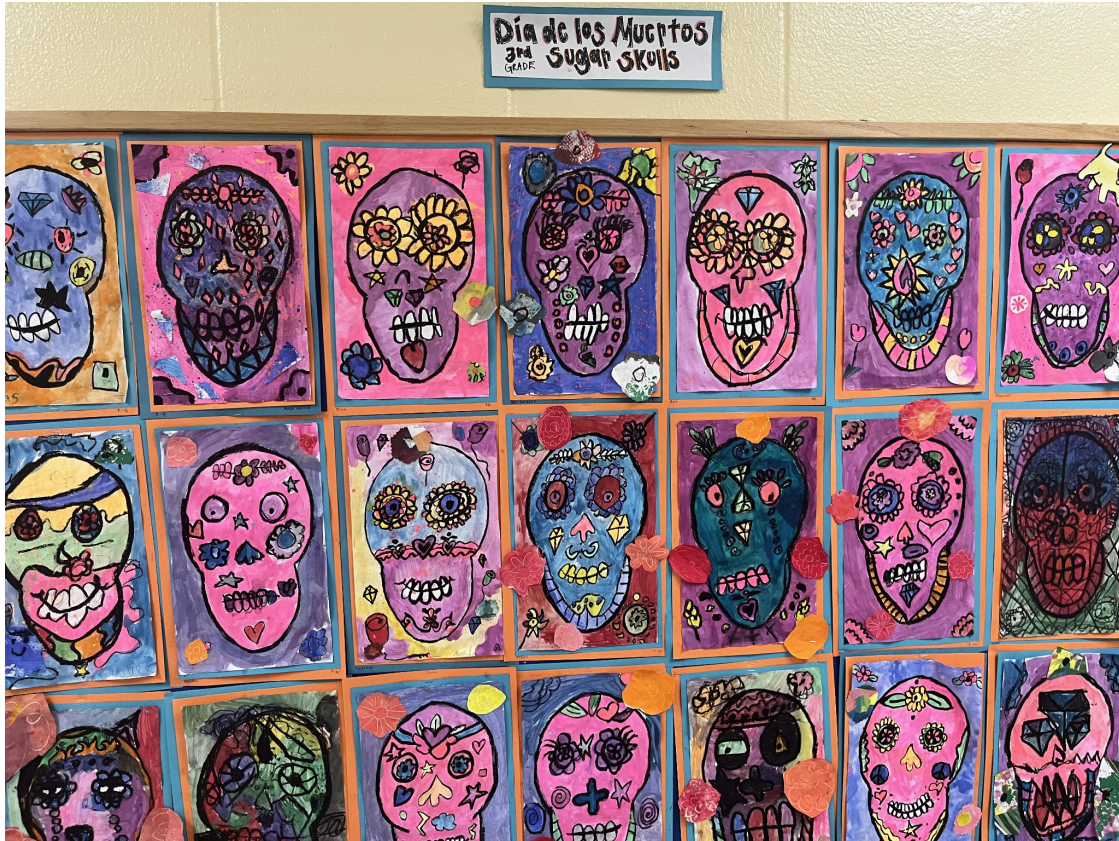


**Superintendent's Report  
Rye School Board Meeting  
Wednesday, October 23, 2024  
5:30 PM**



**Agenda Overview**

You have the usual approvals of minutes, manifests and any transfers. There are no other votes forecasted for your meeting.

**SAU 50 Sensation**

Please find the latest edition of our newsletter [here](#).

**Strategic Plan Update**

Our SAU 50 Strategic Plan is posted on our website [here](#). We continue to work collectively on the school-based plans aligned with the SAU 50 Strategic Plan. We also look forward to reviewing the submission for the student contest to create a logo for the Portrait of a Learner.

**Secondary Advisory/AREA**

The Secondary Advisory/AREA committee met last month. In addition to PHS updates, we discussed the process and appetite for exploring changes to the AREA agreement. We have a folder to all meeting agendas and documents on our [website here](#).

It was suggested at our Joint Board meeting that we bring Board Chairs or their representatives together to discuss the AREA agreement as it currently stands. That meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 21st at 4:30 PM.

### **Professional Growth Committee**

The PGC had its first meeting recently. The group is working on developing a menu of PD offerings that could be tied to the strategic planning goals. They are also doing planning work for the March 11th in-service day. We will be sending out a survey on PD to staff to help plan.

### **Proposed Policies**

The following policies are for first reading. To better communicate changes to the policies, Rebecca has created this [new summary](#) we use going forward.

#### **First Reading**

**DAF:** Administration of Federal Grant Funds

**EBCH:** Chemical Safety and Chemical Hygiene Plan

**IGE:** Parental Objections to Specific Course Material

**IHAM:** Health Education and Exemption From Instruction

### **2024-2025 Meeting Dates**

Wednesday, November 6, 2024 at 6:30 PM at Rye Junior High School (Joint Board)

Wednesday, November 20, 2024, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Tuesday, December 3, 2024 at 5:00 PM at Portsmouth High School (AREA)

Wednesday, December 18, 2024, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Wednesday, January 15, 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Wednesday, February 19 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at 5:00 PM at Portsmouth High School (AREA)

Wednesday, March 19 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Wednesday, March 26, 2025 at 6:30 PM at Greenland Central School (Joint Board)

Wednesday, April 23, 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 5:00 PM at Portsmouth High School (AREA)

Wednesday, May 14, 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School

Wednesday, May 21, 2025 at 6:30 PM at Maude H. Trefethen School (Joint Board)

Wednesday, June 18, 2025, 5:30 PM at Rye Junior High School