

**RECORD OF BOARD PROCEEDINGS
(MINUTES)**

Ft. Mitchell, KY

The BEECHWOOD Board of Education met in a Joint Session with the High School and Elementary SBDM Councils in the Beechwood Teacher Learning Center at 6:00 PM, on September 15, 2025, with the following members present:

I. Call to Order

Rationale:

The mission of Beechwood Independent School District is to provide innovative education grounded in tradition. Our educational vision is to inspire students to embrace responsibility, productivity and compassion of a global community. Our vision is communicated to students, faculty, and our community by various media from the printed word to the internet and is exemplified by our district slogan: Innovative education grounded in tradition.

I.A. Roll Call

Attendance Taken at 6:00 PM:

Present Board Members:

Mrs. Jeanne Berger
Mr. Kyle Burns
Mr. Bradford Hood
Mrs. Amy Sleet
Mrs. Laura Wooten

I.B. Board Members, Cabinet Members and SBDM Member Introductions:

Cabinet

Justin Kaiser, Superintendent
Sarah Schobel, Assistant Superintendent
Alan Yanke, High School Principal
Jana Bromley, Assistant High School Principal
Zach Ashley, Elementary Principal
Alicia Wittmer, Assistant Elementary Principal
Lauren Steltenkamp, Director of Special Education

Tim Lillard, Director of Technology
Kristi Ward, Director of Finance
Ashley Ritchie, Gifted/Talented Coordinator
Ryan Booth, Athletic Director/DPP/Transportation
Stephanie Layton, Business and University Liaison

High School SBDM

Alan Yanke - Principal/Chair
Loni Gentry - Parent Representative
Bill Stamm - Parent Representative
Joe Tafienyika - Parent Representative
Selena Ballou - Faculty Representative
Michele Sturm - Faculty Representative - not in attendance
Celeste Brockett- Faculty Representative
Erin Goetz, - Faculty Representative

Elementary SBDM

- Zach Ashley - Principal/Chair
- Ashley Chaiken -Faculty Representative
- Hannah Burns - Faculty Representative
- Stephanie Wessel - Faculty Representative
- Chris Korba - Parent Representative
- Normarys Perez - Parent Representative

II. 3-Year Plan Overview (Leading Together: Excellence in Action)

III. Rotations - 5 Pillars, Goals and Action Steps

5 Pillars Discussion:

- Personalized Learning led by Alan Yanke and Alicia Wittmer
- Wellness led by Lauren Steltenkamp and Zach Ashley
- Community Engagement led by Sarah Schobel, Stephanie Layton and Tim Lillard
- Leadership led by Ryan Booth, Jana Bromley, and Ashley Ritchie
- Culture led by Justin Kaiser and Kristi Ward

IV. Group Share Outs

Discussion:

- Key points from the groups were communication, partnerships with parents/community, digital footprint, wellness opportunities for staff and leadership opportunities for students.
- Concerns with pillars are how to implement, measure and make stakeholders aware of the work being done.

V. Agenda in Official Board Minutes

Motion Passed: Approval of making the agenda part of the official board minutes passed with a motion by Mr. Bradford Hood and a second by Mrs. Amy Sleet.

Mrs. Jeanne Berger	Yes
Mr. Kyle Burns	Yes
Mr. Bradford Hood	Yes
Mrs. Amy Sleet	Yes
Mrs. Laura Wooten	Yes

VI. Adjourn

Motion Passed: Motion to adjourn the meeting passed with a motion by Mrs. Amy Sleet and a second by Mr. Bradford Hood.

Mrs. Jeanne Berger	Yes
Mr. Kyle Burns	Yes
Mr. Bradford Hood	Yes
Mrs. Amy Sleet	Yes
Mrs. Laura Wooten	Yes

ATTEST: _____
Secretary

APPROVED: _____
Chairman