



# Shrewsbury Borough School Board of Education News

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## New SBS News

### Committee Chairs:

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*Facilities: Ray Soya*

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*Policy: Kimberly Rose*

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*Personnel:*

*Lisa Barnes*

*And we welcome our  
newest board member,  
Andrew White*

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### Calendar of Board Meetings for the Year

October 21, 2014

November 18, 2014

December 16, 2014

A lot has been going on here at SBS! We have put together a list of all the great things that our committees have worked on with the administration.

### Facilities

**Paving-** An emergency access road for first responders was added in case of emergencies and the basketball courts were extended.

**Additions-** New benches were added around the basketball courts.

**Security-**The lobby project planned will be finished after the new year.

### Personnel

There have been many great hires for our district. Please say hello when you meet the following faculty and staff at school:

Mrs. Erica Reynolds - Supervisor of Curriculum & Instruction

Ms. Christine Saba - CST Social Worker

Mrs. Sun Mi Kim - BCBA/ABA Program

Ms. Erin Fitzgerald - Pre-School Disabled/ABA Program

Mrs. Jamie Meseroll - Spec. Ed. Teacher

Mrs. Allison Wiesel - 7/8 Science Teacher

Ms. Kaitlin Murphy & Ms. Clare Higgins - Instructional Aides

Mrs. Marguerite Welsh - Lunch Aide

Mrs. Mary Ellen Phillips - Reading Specialist

Mrs. Cheryl Peterson - Special Ed. Teacher

Miss Amanda Timoney - Pre-K

Mrs. Emily Cuervo - 4th Grade Teacher

Mrs. Christine Merten - Long Term K Sub

**Phone system-** a new school wide system will accommodate new extensions \*\*\*

### Technology

**Laptops-** We have 4 new carts for the whole school which puts the district at approximately 1 laptop per every two students.

**Mac Lab-** There's a new apple iMac lab in Mrs. Dotto's technology classroom.

**Library-** A new SmartBoard to complement the PC laptop lab.

**iPads-** These 2 carts continue to be used in special areas (music and art)

### Curriculum

Implementation of Co-Teaching Model in Grades 3, 5, 6, 7, & 8. Regular and Special Education are receiving ongoing training to support an integrated services delivery model, helping all of our students.

New Pre-School Disabled and Integrated Pre-K Program. Integrated services including ABA, speech, OT, and PT for Pre-K students. These teachers and instructional aides are also participating in professional development in Rethink Autism instruction, curriculum, and software.

Reading Specialist Mrs. Phillips is leading the Reading Clinic, assisting other teachers and instructional aides as part of our Intervention & Referral Services.

### Upcoming Events

Veteran's Day Assembly-Nov. 11th

Nat'l Education Week-Parent Visits

Nov. 11th - 12th