

# SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Livingston Board of Education Meeting  
June 5, 2017



## Purpose and Responsibility of the Committee

- The Livingston Board of Education Special Education Parent Advisory Committee exists to fulfill the requirements of the New Jersey Administrative Code 6A:14-1.2(h):
  - *Each Board of Education shall ensure that a special education parent advisory group is in place in the district to provide input to the district on issues concerning students with disabilities.*
- **SEPAC** works collaboratively with all special education parents and district staff in an advisory capacity to the Livingston Board of Education

Special  
Education  
Parent  
Advisory  
Committee



# SEPAC 2016-2017

## Executive Committee for the District

- 30 Member Committee with parents, general and special education teachers, supervisors, principals, Assistant Superintendent, and Board members represented
- All SEPAC members have made the commitment to remain on the committee for two full years, allowing continuity in the committee.
- The committee continued the work of developing a vision and mission statement.
- Committee members organized building based SEPAC meetings to open lines of communication, share information, and consider questions to be answered.



# SEPAC 2016-2017

## Building Meetings

- Burnet Hill Elementary School – February 16
- Collins Elementary School – February 25
- Harrison Elementary School – January 25
- Hillside Elementary School – January 26
- Mount Pleasant Elementary School –September 16
- Riker Hill Elementary School – February 14
- Mount Pleasant Middle School – November 2
- Heritage Middle School – June 14
- Livingston High School – May 17

## Executive Meetings

- November 17
- April 27

## BOE Meeting

- June 5

# SEPAC 2016-2017

## Elementary School Based Meetings

- **Burnet Hill Elementary School**
  - Updates on Special Education
- **Collins Elementary School**
  - Special Education in Collins
  - SYLS
- **Harrison Elementary School**
  - Special Education in Harrison
  - SYLS
- **Hillside Elementary School**
  - Special Education In Hillside
  - SYLS
- **Mount Pleasant Elementary School**
  - Special Education Overview
- **Riker Hill Elementary School**
  - Updates on presentations to students
  - School Climate Team presentation



# SEPAC 2016-2017

## Secondary School Based Meetings

- **Mt. Pleasant Middle School**

Self-Advocacy

- **Heritage Middle School**

Transition to HMS

- **Livingston High School**

Managing our New Technology with Lori Perez



**District Celebration – Goal for 2016-2017**  
**Parent Development Programs pre-K- Life**

**Fall Newsletter**

**<http://www.livingston.org/cms/lib9/NJ01000562/Centricity/Domain/29/Newsletter%20Volume%202%20Issue%201.pdf>**

**Spring Newsletter**

**<http://www.livingston.org/cms/lib9/NJ01000562/Centricity/Domain/29/Newsletter%20Volume%202%20Issue%202%20Spring.pdf>**



# SEPAC Mission Statement

*Livingston Public Schools SEPAC  
~Empowering*

**E**<sub>ducate</sub> **A**<sub>dvocate</sub> **C**<sub>ommunicate</sub> **H**<sub>elp</sub>

*to Learn, Create, Contribute and  
Grow.*



# SEPAC 2017-2018

WHERE ARE WE  
HEADING...

- **Continued Parent Development  
and Communication**
- Encouraging Parents to Attend  
SEPAC Meetings

