

Regional School District 12
Board of Education
Retreat Minutes
Shepaug Valley School
September 29, 2014

The Board of Education Retreat began at 5:10 p.m. on Monday, September 29, 2014. Present were Board members: Valerie Andersen, Tony Bedini, Alan Brown, Michelle Gorra, James Hirschfield, Jennifer Pote, and Peter Tagley. Gregory Cava, Emily Hibbard, Michael Sinatra and Susan Stumpf were absent. Patricia E. Cosentino, Ed.D., Superintendent and Teresa DeBrito, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment were also present. Kelly Lott arrived at 6:00 p.m.

DISCUSSION OF THE ADVANTAGE (UP TO PAGE 138)

The Retreat began with a review of the Core Values – concentration on active listening.

Discussed characteristics of a leadership team - cohesive, committed, aligned, communicates, clear system - for organizational health of Board.

Conducted Gallery Walk on five essential questions.

ADJOURNMENT

The retreat was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.