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| Clarksville School BoardMeeting Minutes |
| **Date** | 1/13/2025 |
| **Time** | 4:00 p.m. School Board Meeting |
| **Location** | Clarksville Town Hall |
| **Chairperson** | Linda White |
| AttendanceAttendance Legend: **P** – Present **A** – Absent **E -** Excused |
| **School Board Members** | **Principal** | **SAU Members** |
| P | Julie Semprebon | E | Erin Blanchard | P | Debbie Lynch | E | Bridget Cross |
| P | Linda White |  |  |  |  | P | Dana Hilliard |
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| **Public in Attendance:**  None |

**Roll Call:** The meeting was called to order at 4:17 pm by the Board Chair.

**Agenda Adjustments:** None

**Hearing of the Public:** None

**Reading of the Minutes:**

**J. Semprebon/L. White:** Motion to approve Clarksville School Board meeting minutes of December 12, 2024, with correction of showing Debbie Lynch as present should reflect her as absent.

**VOTE:** Motion Carried

 **Principal Report:** Debbie Lynch

January Report – Reviewed her report.

**Superintendent Report**: Dana Hilliard

January Report – Reviewed his report. Discussed the Connecting the North Country meeting and their discussions on creating a greater collaboration between towns, utilizing the rec center in Colebrook for meetings and possibly getting some vendors there. Julie mentioned an indoor walking track

ENSU – Discussed that there may be a potential for teaching resources from ENSU. A teacher needs to be licensed in New Hampshire to teach in New Hampshire. The teacher needs to be willing to teach in NH and cannot be made to do it.

Superintendents Meeting – Spoke about the bills being brought forward. Talked about only having two SAU’s in the north country Berlin/Gorham and everyone else. Dana is not in favor of this. Dana will keep everyone informed of how this moves forward.

Policy Committee Meeting – We will be cleaning up all of the outstanding policies prior to spring SAU Meeting.

School Board Open Seats – There is one three-year term open seat for a school board member this year. The sign-up period is January 22nd to January 31st.

February 11th school board meeting scheduled for 5:00 pm followed by public hearing at 6:00 pm (verifying that times are ok)

Reviewed Clarksville Tuition Rates – The rates are figured by the state average plus $500 for elementary and $800 for high school students.

**Unfinished Business:** None

**New Business –** None

**Information –** None

**Meeting Dates:**

• SAU School Board Meeting January 30, 2025, at 6:00 pm Stewartstown Community School

• Clarksville School Board Meeting February 11, 2025, at 5:00 pm/Public Hearing at 6:00 pm Clarksville Town Hall

**Adjournment:**

**J. Semprebon/L. White**: Motion to adjourn the meeting at 4:48 pm

**VOTE:**

Minutes Submitted by:

 Billie Paquette