



## Agenda

### July 8, 2022

- > Visit with Exhibitors 7:30 AM-4:00 PM
- > Breakfast 7:30 AM-8:30 AM
- > Administrative Professionals' Workshop 8:30 AM-4:00 PM  
SBC-3  
This full-day workshop will cover onboarding new board members, building agendas, keeping minutes and managing public meetings, and offer opportunities for networking
- > Preconference: Engage Every Family 8:30 AM-4:00 PM
- > Break 9:45 AM-10:15 AM
- > Lunch 12:00 PM-1:00 PM
- > Break 2:30 PM-3:00 PM
- > Adjourn 4:00 PM-4:00 PM

### July 9, 2022

- > Breakfast 7:00 AM-8:00 AM

## > Visit with Exhibitors

### ✓ General Session: Why Family Engagement Matters: Understanding the Five Simple Principles

8:15 AM-10:00 AM

SBC-11



Jim Green  
Executive Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Dr. Steve  
Constantino  
Leader, Teacher,  
Speaker,  
Bestselling Author

#### Opening Remarks

*Jim Green, Executive Director, OSBA*

#### We're Here for You

#### Oregon School Board Member of the Year

#### Keynote: "Why Family Engagement Matters: Understanding the Five Simple Principles"

*Dr. Steve Constantino*

Every school strives to engage families in the academic lives of their children, but results vary widely. Through storytelling, humor and straight talk, author and international family engagement practitioner Dr. Steve Constantino will introduce you to the five principles of effective family engagement. He will leave you both smiling and thinking, but most importantly, motivated to establish practices that engage every family.

## > Break

10:00 AM-10:30 AM

### ✓ Board leadership skills

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-26



Vince Adams  
Board Development  
Specialist  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Participants will hear tips on how board officers can lead their teams in smooth meetings, help everyone retain focus and get the best work from the group. This session will include OSBA-recommended practices as well as lessons from participants' experiences.

### ✓ School law for board members

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-15



Brian Kernan  
Assistant Legal  
Counsel  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Haley Percell  
Litigation Services  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Leslie Howell  
Senior Assistant  
Legal Counsel  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Join OSBA attorneys for an overview of Oregon ethics laws, public meeting laws and public record laws. The discussion will include answers

## ✓ Aligning for student success: ODE's integrated guidance

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-25



Scott Nine  
Assistant  
Superintendent of  
the Office of  
Education  
Innovation and  
Improvement  
Oregon Department  
of Education

The Oregon Department of Education is aligning and integrating separately created federal and state educational investments focused on innovation and improvement. "Aligning for Student Success" was provided more than a year ahead of when applications will be submitted to ODE in March 2023. ODE wants to give grant applicants time to prepare and this session will help explain the alignment effort's scope and goals.

## ✓ Complaint procedures: grievances versus public complaints

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-26



Callen Sterling  
Assistant Legal  
Counsel  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Spencer Lewis  
Policy Services  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

OSBA staff will describe the types of complaint policies and procedures. Learn about the board's role in navigating these complex situations.

## ✓ Embracing equity to improve student achievement in rural settings

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-34



Mark Mulvihill  
Superintendent  
InterMountain  
Education Service  
District



Matt Combe  
Superintendent  
Morrow County  
School District



Elizabeth  
Rosen  
Counselor  
Morrow County  
School District

Learn how to create a safe environment focused on equity work. Hear best practices from rural districts that have moved the dial and improved achievement for students of color.

## ✓ Regional school board equity team: our journey and next steps

10:30 AM-11:45 AM

SBC-14



Helen Ying  
Board Member  
Multnomah  
Education Service  
District



Dr. Paul E.  
Coakley  
Superintendent  
Multnomah  
Education Service  
District



Sonja Mckenzie  
Board Member  
Parkrose School  
District

Learn how the Multnomah Regional School Board Equity Team was established and how you can form a similar team. The Multnomah ESD

## > Lunch

11:45 AM-1:15 PM

## ✓ School finance

1:15 PM-2:30 PM

SBC-37



Vince Adams  
Board Development  
Specialist  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Join us for an interactive session on school finance and the budgeting process. How do Oregon public schools obtain their funding? What is the formula that distributes money to districts? What does it mean if something is "weighted?" Explore the board's role in fiscal oversight and hear an overview of the budget process, including the role of the budget committee.

## ✓ Superintendent evaluation and performance management

1:15 PM-2:30 PM

SBC-20



Haley Percell  
Litigation Services  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Steve Kelley  
Board Development  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Employees want to know what their bosses think of their performance and how they can improve. Your one employee, the superintendent or charter school director, is no different. Learn about the board's role in hiring, evaluating and monitoring the performance of your top administrator.

## ✓ Boosting summer learning for Oregon's students

1:15 PM-2:30 PM

SBC-39



Jessica  
Brenden  
Program Director  
Oregon Association  
of Education  
Service Districts

In 2021, the legislature provided funds to support summer credit earning and enrichment opportunities for students in grades K-12 across the state. The Oregon Association of Education Service District (OAESD) will distribute \$50 million through grants to community-based organizations to

## ✓ Educational equity and the board's role

1:15 PM-2:30 PM

SBC-17



Jessica Mallare-Best  
Director of Educational Equity  
Center for Equity and Inclusion

Learn about the board's collective and individual roles in equity work from some of OSBA's community-based partners. You'll hear about these organizations' missions and their work with boards and other agencies in advancing equity and inclusion for all students.

## ✓ Student voices on the board

1:15 PM-2:30 PM

SBC-19



Ben Bowman  
Board Chair  
Tigard-Tualatin School District



Henry Taylor-Goalby  
Student Representative  
Tigard High School  
Tigard-Tualatin School District Board



Mahathi Sridhar  
Student Representative  
Tualatin High School  
Tigard-Tualatin School District Board



Spencer Lewis  
Policy Services Director  
Oregon School Boards Association

Hear about the experiences of school board student representatives serving with boards and learn how to engage with students to help make informed decisions. OSBA's Policy Services director will share ideas on starting the discussion of student engagement and explore different policy options.

## Break

2:30 PM-3:00 PM

## ✓ Hot Topics

3:00 PM-4:00 PM

SBC-21

Rotate through to three tables, and choose from various current hot topics including managing public comment and meeting disruptions, legislative updates and complaint procedures. Bring your questions! (In person only)

## ✓ Region Roundtables

4:00 PM-5:00 PM

SBC-22

Looking for a place to discuss educational issues and challenges unique to your OSBA region? Please attend your OSBA region roundtable led by your region's OSBA Board representative. (In person only)

## > Adjourn

5:00 PM-5:00 PM

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## > Breakfast

7:30 AM-8:30 AM

## Public comment best practices panel discussion

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-13



Chelsea King  
Board Chair  
West Linn-  
Wilsonville School  
District



Osvaldo Avila  
Board Chair  
Salem-Keizer  
Public Schools



Scott Cooper  
Board Chair  
Crook County  
School District



Suzanne  
Messer  
Board Chair  
Medford School  
District



Vince Adams  
Board Development  
Specialist  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Hearing from the public is an essential function of any school board, but during the pandemic, virtual meetings and tensions around schools have often made public comment difficult. A panel of board chairs who have led during contentious meetings will share their experiences and take questions on managing public comment.

## Policy 101

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-36



Spencer Lewis  
Policy Services  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

This workshop explains boards' authority to lead their districts by setting policies. Learn what policy is and the role administrative regulations play in policy implementation. The session will include common mistakes, steps for developing and reviewing policy, best practices, and problems that can result from holes in your policies.

## Board's place in strategic planning

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-27



Kristen Miles  
Board Development  
Specialist  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

How does the board build strategic priorities and align them to the district's vision? How does the board involve the community in setting these priorities? What role should the board play in monitoring progress? We'll discuss the iterative cycle of strategic planning, and what the board's role is ... and is not.

## Oregon School Board Members of Color Caucus Update

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-40



Erika Lopez  
Board Member  
Hillsboro School



Kathy Wai  
Board Member  
North Clackamas

## ✓ The power of board professional development

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-31



Lori Sattenspiel  
Legislative Services  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Steve Kelley  
Board Development  
Director  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

The research is clear: Effective boards positively impact academic achievement while ineffective school boards negatively impact student performance. The latest research will be shared on effective boards as well as any current information on the possibility of mandatory school board training in Oregon's future.

## ✓ Governing through superintendent empowerment

8:30 AM-9:45 AM

SBC-29



Christy Perry  
Superintendent  
Salem-Keizer  
Public Schools



Dr. Kraig  
Sproles  
Superintendent  
Bethel School  
District

Strong school board leadership that improves equity and closes the achievement gap increases student success. This workshop will explore ways the school board can support the superintendent in raising student outcomes and preparing all students for college or a career. Presenters will share strategies for setting goals and monitoring results that empower the superintendent to remain focused on strong student outcomes.

## > Break

9:45 AM-10:15 AM

## ✓ Next steps for superintendent studies

10:15 AM-11:30 AM

SBC-30



Krista Parent  
Director of  
Executive  
Leadership and  
Licensure  
Coalition of Oregon  
School  
Administrators

Learn about the statewide studies conducted on female superintendents and superintendents of color. We will delve into the recommendations from both studies and actions school boards can take to improve the pathway to the superintendency.

## ✓ Public comment and meeting disruptions

10:15 AM-11:30 AM

SBC-18



Spencer Lewis  
Policy Services  
Director



Vince Adams  
Board Development  
Specialist

Politics and the pandemic have caused emotions to run high and spill into school board meetings. Participants will learn practical ways to help boards retain focus and prevent meeting disruptions and what to do when the worst happens. This session will include OSBA-recommended

## ✓ Mitigating risk and legal liability

10:15 AM-11:30 AM

SBC-35



Callen Sterling  
Assistant Legal  
Counsel  
Oregon School  
Boards Association



Michael Miller  
Senior Assistant  
Legal Counsel  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Employment claims are one of the most expensive categories of claims brought against schools. We will discuss how to navigate difficult employment scenarios. Learn the steps of the litigation process from a tort claim notice to a lawsuit to the final resolution and potential outcomes.

## ✓ Basic board-superintendent roles and responsibilities

10:15 AM-11:30 AM

SBC-33



Janet Avila-Medina  
Board Development  
Specialist  
Oregon School  
Boards Association

Learn about the board's relationship with the superintendent and how to avoid common pitfalls. Discover best practices, the collaborative governance and balanced governance approach, and boards' legal roles, authorities and responsibilities found in state statute and board policy.

## > Adjourn

11:30 AM-11:30 AM

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