



Thomas E. Bowe Middle School
BOARD REPORT
September 2022

Principal - Craig Stephenson
Assistant Principal - Lauren Kerr

PERSONNEL

- Appointments: None
- Resignation/Retirement: None
- Staff Evaluations to Date - N/A
 - Tenured: 0
 - Nontenured: 2
 - Non-Certificated Staff: 0

COMMITTEE MEETINGS & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- GPSD Safety & Security – None
- Bowe Faculty Meeting – 9/1
- SLT – 9/1
- SciP - None
- Glassboro Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) – 9/14
- Bowe Emergency Response Team Meeting – 9/16
- PDS – 9/21

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION (C&I)

- Unit Plans & Curriculum Rewrites - N/A
- Assessments/CSAs - MAP Baseline Testing – Week of 9/19
- Inservice Training – 9/1 & 9/16 (2-Hour Delay)

SPECIAL EVENTS

- **Thomas E. Bowe School Back To School Night 2022** - The Thomas E. Bowe School Back to School Night program was held on Thursday, September 22, 2022. It was a successful night that provided an opportunity for staff to provide to parents an overview of what their children will experience in their classes. Several agencies including the PTO, Glassboro branch of the GC Library, JURASSIC, and Girl Scouts were present to share information with our families.
- **Bowe Parent Advisory Committee (BPAC)** - Thomas E. Bowe School parents, guardians, and community members are invited to join me to participate in the Bowe School Parent Advisory Committee (BPAC). BPAC meetings are held

periodically throughout the school year. These meetings are open to everyone and provide an opportunity to meet with the principal and discuss events and programs at our school. The first BPAC meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 12, from 6 PM to 7 PM and will be held in the Bowe computer lab. Information on how to register for this meeting will be shared out in advance of October 12.

OPERATIONS

- **Safety & Security Drills** - In September, Bowe School conducted a fire drill and a security drill as per NJ State Law 18A:41-1 (the drilling law). An additional security drill beyond the monthly requirement was planned and implemented in the effort to reinforce safety & security protocols at the outset of the year.

FACILITIES

- **Bowe Construction** – Construction of the new science labs and gym locker rooms continues. The classes that will ultimately be housed in the science labs are located elsewhere until they are ready for occupation. Physical Education & Health classes are held in the gym and/or outside. Students come to school dressed to participate in PE activities Monday through Thursday. Fridays are dedicated the Health instruction. Construction meetings were held on 9/7, 9/14, 9/21 & 9/28.

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES (Guidance/SAC/CST)

- None

BULLDOG PRIDE

- **Bulldogs of Character** - The Thomas E. Bowe Middle School is proud to continue the Bowe tradition of highlighting those students who routinely demonstrate high character. We do so through our Bulldog of Character Awards program. The Bulldog of Character Award recognizes one student per grade level each month for being outstanding students and citizens and for demonstrating the six pillars of character: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship. The September 2021 Bulldogs of Character as selected by our English/Language Arts staff are Felix Nicholson (6), Seth Taylor (7), and Joey Mingioni (8). Congratulations to these outstanding Bowe Bulldogs!
- **TEB Middle School Sports** – Our Cross Country and Field Hockey teams have been practicing and have begun competing with other area middle schools. We are proud of the work our student-athletes and coaches are putting into preparing for competition. Both programs are off to a great start.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Attendance Committee** – 10/5

- **Bowe Construction Meetings – 10/5, 10/12, 10/19 & 10/26**
- **School Leadership Team (SLT) – 10/5**
- **GPSD Safety & Security Meeting – 10/6**
- **Bowe Faculty Meeting – 10/11**
- **Bowe Parent Advisory Committee (BPAC) Meeting – 10/12**
- **I & RS Meeting – 10/18**
- **PDS Meeting – 10/19**
- **Bowe C&I Meeting – 10/27**

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