

UPPER PERKIOMEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Education Center
2229 E. Buck Road, Pennsburg, PA
Extracurricular Committee

February 24, 2026, 5:00 pm

Meeting Location Change – Start at 5:00pm at the UPMS Auditorium
and mid-meeting transitioning to UPHS Auditorium

CHAIR: Peg Pennepacker

MEMBERS:

Sarah Bieber

Elizabeth Fluckey

Ex-Officio: Melanie Cunningham, President

Superintendent: Dr. Allyn J. Roche

AGENDA / MINUTES

1. Call the Meeting to Order / Attendance – 5:00pm at UPMS Auditorium – Ms. Pennepacker, Mrs. Bieber, Mrs. Fluckey, Mrs. Cianfrani, Mrs. Cunningham & Dr. Roche
2. Approval of January 28, 2026, Meeting Minutes – Accepted
3. Old Business / Follow-Up
 - a. Extra-Curricular Funding Possibility and Ideas (standing item) – No Discussion
4. Presentations/Discussions
 - a. Upper Perkiomen Middle School Spring Musical – *Seussical Jr.* – Director Jodie Sell
 - i. Meet in the rear of the UPMS Auditorium – Mrs. Sell, UPMS Musical Director, welcomed the committee members, shared an update about the upcoming musical and facilitated a meet & greet & discussion with the full cast and the committee members. The committee was able to interact with the cast and walk on stage to see the set and overall MS stage facility.
 - b. Upper Perkiomen HS Spring Musical – *The Adams Family* – Director Alicia Austin
 - i. Meet in the rear of the UPHS Auditorium – The committee transferred to the UPHS Auditorium and meet with Mrs. Austin, UPHS Musical Director. The committee was able to walk on stage and see both the stage area and the behind the stage areas with an explanation from Mrs. Austin. The committee also visited the storage area downstairs where the theater program stores many props and materials. Two assistant directors and a few students were also present to answer questions and talk about the impact of the theater program.

c. High School Athletics Discussion/Topic – PIAA State Championships: Separate Boundary vs. Non-Boundary School Championships – The committee sat in the back of the UPHS auditorium to discuss the topic of Boundary vs. Non-Boundary PIAA State Championships in the future. There is a petition that is circulating, and schools/districts are being asked to sign in support. At this time, Upper Perk does not plan to sign the petition, and we will wait to see the progress at the state level.

5. New Business – None

6. Public Comments – None

7. Committee Member Comments – Great Meeting! Looking forward to more adventures in future meetings.

8. Adjourn – 6:25pm

Next Committee Meeting: Monday March 23, 2026 – 6:00pm – Ed Center