# Draft Community Access and Media Committee Meeting Notes

Next Meeting: March 13, 2017

February 13, 2017 cancelled due to snow

Meeting Held: January 9, 2017 @ 7pm Meeting held @ HHS Media Room

#### In attendance:

- Dave Malekpour, Committee Chair
- Amy Lipman-White, Committee Co-Secretary
- Susan Glover, Committee Member
- Colleen Smith, HCTV
- Pam Manning, Member
- Stephen Ryerson, Member
- Bruce Bartholomew, Chair of Board of Selectman, guest visitor
- Dr. Sheila Walsh, Humanities Director 7-12 Hanover Schools
- Matt Paquette, HHS Principal
- Tom Kane, Member

- 1. Meeting Opened 7:12pm
- 2. Dr. Sheila Walsh discussed the current class curriculum: See curriculum below

### **Educational Goals:**

- Matt Ferron unable to attend, Matt Paquette and Sheila Walsh in attendance
- Dr. Sheila Walsh gave us a status of the current curriculum.
- Developing Standards-based skills
- Developing Expectations in a 45-minute periods

#### BROADCAST JOURNALISM CURRICULUM 2016-2017 September - December

#### **UNIT 1: Introduction to Writing for Broadcast**

Objectives: At the end of this unit, students will be able to:

- Sign on and sign off a live news broadcast.
   Write with an emphasis for live speech.
- 3.
- Edit an informative text for length and conciseness Use primary and secondary sources to conduct research on a topic of interest.
- Think critically about the world.

Lesson 1: Dream School Report Lesson 2: Reporting on HHS

### **UNIT 2: Interview Techniques**

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  Objectives: At the end of this unit, students will be able to:
  1. Comment and reflect critically on live interviews.
  2. Communicate with potential interviewees via digital and interpersonal means.
  3. Devise and refine interview questions.

  - Interweave online research and formal interviews to support their story.

5. Speak critically about culture and politics.

Lesson 1: Critical Analysis of Broadcast Interviews

Lesson 2: Questioning and Listening Skills

Lesson 3: Conducting an Interview

#### **UNIT 3: Editing**

- Objectives: At the end of this unit, students will be able to:
  1. Import, Cut, Edit, and Export using Adobe Premiere and Final Cut Pro.
  - Manage data on external hard drives and Google Classroom.
     Lesson 1: Adobe Premiere and Final Cut Pro Introductions.

Lesson 2: Intro Edit

UNIT 4: Reporting
Objectives: At the end of this unit, students will be able to:

- Be aware of conflicting opinions and sources.
   Distinguish between reliable and unreliable sources.

Lesson 1: Political Analysis.

Lesson 2: Field Report. Lesson 3: Source Reliability.

# What's next for Broadcast Journalism:

# Spring 2017:

- Co-teaching model;
- Spring classes: Projects: Interviews currently underway
- Visits planned to local high school with working programs: Rockland, Marshfield, Sandwich, Framingham, Hingham, Weymouth Soundstage;
- Develop "teams" of announcers, camera staff, graphics designers, editors;
- Field Trips to ESPN, Fox News;
- Project-based and "Series" development, e.g., following a student through the college application and acceptance process with guidance, parents, other constituents;
- Bringing in outside speakers to film;

2017-2018: Full Integration of writing, speaking, listening, and reading standards with multi-media broadcasting functions to produce regular programming for HHS and HCTV.

# Spring 2017 & Next Year

- Within each unit they hope to make it a project with the camera meet Goals
- Co-Teaching Model Currently Colleen Smith and Jake Plummer
- Media Specialist from the Library Sue McHugh used to be a broadcast journalist to possibly get involved and assist with class.
- Investigate expectations of Broadcast Journalism II advanced class: It has been on hold since the curriculum for the Broadcast I class has not been completed, to the best of our knowledge.
- Get more students involved.
- Pam to Invite back Matt Ferron, Matt Paquette, Sheila Walsh end of year

# Additional Suggested Goals:

- Enter videos into a type of festivals, Video Mag (similar to Lit Mag), Social Media, Cable Channel, Real-life development. Particular section or class paired with certain output
- Projects with different levels of contribution / editors vs. producers vs. writers
- Senior project for college app / training videos for everyday technology / video about something they are passionate about – to keep their interest peaked
- o Progress / follow-up later in the year

- 3. Town Website:
  - a. Post
    - i. Agenda
    - ii. Minutes
- 4. Minutes approved at 8:10 pm
- 5. 2016 2017 Meeting Dates Colleen to reserve the room/dates

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April 10 2017 7pm HHS Multi Media Room

May 8, 2017 7pm HHS Multi Media Room

June 12, 2017 7pm HHS Multi Media Room

6. Meeting Adjourned 8:47 pm