

**MARPLE NEWTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
ACADEMIC COMMITTEE
THURSDAY, November 12, 2009
GAUNTLETT CENTER BOARD ROOM**

PRESENT: **Committee:** Dr. Jeffrey Shapiro, Mrs. Dana Kauffman

Board: Mrs. Nancy Galbraith

Administration: Dr. Merle Horowitz, Dr. Constance Bompadre,
Mr. Chris Lee, Ms. Sandra Schaal

Press: 0

Audience: 5

1. Call to Order

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Dr. Shapiro called the meeting to order at 8:45 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was said at the earlier meeting.

3. Approval of the Minutes from October 8, 2009

The minutes were approved by the committee.

4. Approval of the Agenda

The agenda for November 12, 2009 was approved by the committee.

5. Discussion/Informational Item

Dr. Bompadre shared with the Board an update of ACT and SAT. There were 34 students who took the ACT exam and 25 of them also, took the SAT. Only 9 students took the ACT exclusively.

Comments:

Several audience members asked if the Academic Committee would still exist. Dr. Shapiro said that as of December 1, 2009 the Academic Committee would end. Mrs. Galbraith, Mrs. Kauffman and Dr. Horowitz stated that any questions or concerns can always be brought to the CIT Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.