

# Board Meeting Summary: January 14, 2026

## EDGAR SCHOOL DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN

**MISSION:** We inspire and engage every student to learn, grow, and explore new experiences in a safe and inclusive learning environment.

**VISION:** Every graduate will be prepared for success and be a responsible citizen.

**MOTTO:** Inspiring students. Preparing them for life.

**VALUES:** Excellence, Diversity, Growth, Accountability, Respect

### Staff Presentation:

Nexus Facility Audit Presentation: Lauren Wanner and Paul Hathaway of Nexus Solutions of Milwaukee presented findings from the preliminary facility audit.

FFA Presentation: Mr. Matt Reinders and members of the Edgar FFA presented projects that fit within the three pillars: Growing Leaders, Building Communities, and Strengthening Agriculture. The students' hard work in those priority areas, gave us a clear and impressive look at the real-world impact of the FFA program. Thank you!

### Cari Guden reported on the following:

1. Open Enrollment Dates: Feb. 2-April 30, 2026
2. Edgar High School Fall 2025 Athletic & Co-Curricular Participation
3. Communication
  - a. Board Elections Update
  - b. MCSE December Board Highlights
  - c. Grants Update
  - d. School and Business Partnerships
  - e. Long Range Plan—Projects

### Lisa Witt reported the following:

1. January inservice days:
  - a. January 23: complete report cards AM and speaker from Solution Tree PM
  - b. January 26: work day with focus on data
2. Assessments:
  - a. aimswebPlus (reading and math) grades 4K-5th – January 19-30
  - b. Fastbridge (reading and math) grades 6-8 – January 27-30
3. Upcoming Dates:
  - a. January 22 Family Fun Night (Make-it & Take-It) with Mr. Hanson. Partner with Blake Lehman and Stratford's Tech-ed department to make our wooden games (triangle and circle wooden peg games)
  - b. Quarter ends January 22; Quarter 3 begins January 27; report cards go home on January 27th
  - c. January 27th Family Literacy Day @ 2:15 (D.E.A.R.) – books and bakery
  - d. January 29th Celebration Assembly
4. Winter Olympics - 2026
  - a. Olympic torch passes from country to country starting January 27th
  - b. Opening ceremony February 9th @ 12:30 – special performance TBD
  - c. PE competitions occur February 10-24
  - d. Special Assembly with Olympic Speed Walker (Debi Spino) TBD
  - e. Olympic bonfire February 20 (volunteers needed to make hot chocolate and keep the bonfire going during 9:30-2:00) during PE classes
  - f. Special fieldtrips:
    - i. Grade 5 Curling @ the Wausau Curling Center
    - ii. Grades 3-4 Ice Skating @ Greenheck Field House
  - g. Closing Ceremony tentatively set for Monday, March 2nd at 9:00

**Mr. Wilhem reported the following:**

1. Tech Ed and Ag Site Visits
2. Juniors Taking the Practice ACT-January 14
3. Sonja from the Math Institute here on January 8
4. Fastbridge Math and ELA Screener January 26-January 30
  - a. Meetings to work through those results
5. High School Course Book and Planning Guide
6. Past and Upcoming Dates:
  - a. January 22-End of the 2nd Quarter/ 1st Semester
  - b. January 23-Teacher Inservice
    - i. Work on and Finalize Grades
    - ii. PLC Institute
  - c. January 26-Teacher Work Day
  - d. January 27- Start of 3rd Quarter/2nd Semester

**Mr. Twomey reported the following:**

1. Open Enrollment for Special Education
2. Plan of Service 2026-2027 School Year
3. Coaching Cycles - Mallory Foss (MCSE), Audrey Wittry (MCSE), & Rich Twomey
4. Special Education Department Team Meeting: January 2026

**Student Board Representative:** Tucker Streit reported on the following:

1. Winter Sports Doing Well
2. Chess Tournament Results from 1.10.26
3. ETC Performance went well over the weekend.
4. FBLA completing pre-tests for upcoming competitions.
5. NHS just completed tutoring with MS students and helping with NHD.

**Board Members:** Mr. Mueller gave kudos to the ETC and Chess Club for the awesome performance and competition the past weekend. Mrs. Wesolowski shared that some staff had asked her if she would have the board reconsider allowing remote days during snow days.

**Consent Agenda**

The School Board Approved the Agenda, Minutes, Financial Statement & Bills for Payment from December 17, 2025 – Special Board Meeting, Regular Board Meeting, and Executive Session

**Policy**

1. Policy #5113: Open Enrollment Program—determining annual capacity/space for Regular Education and Special Education. The School Board approved the following: no space available for open enrolled students in Special Education with guaranteed space for currently enrolled students and their siblings if the district has the program and services listed in the IEP and no limits for regular education.
2. 2026-27 Course Description Handbook—Mr. Wilhelm discussed the changes made to the course description handbook. The School Board approved the 2026-27 Course Description Handbook.

**Next Regular School Board Meeting:  
Wednesday, February 18, 2026 at 6:00pm**