

MINUTES

<p>President Salisbury called the meeting of the Unatego Central School District Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. in room 93 at the Middle/Senior High School.</p>	<p>Call to Order</p>
<p>Clapper, Downey, McDermott, McMichael, O'Hara, Salisbury and Treffeisen answered roll call.</p>	<p>Roll Call</p>
<p>Absent: None.</p>	
<p>Administrative members present: Supt. Dr. David S. Richards, Business Manager Loker and Clerk French.</p>	
<p>Visitors/Staff: 20</p>	
<p>President Salisbury led the Flag Salute.</p>	<p>Flag Salute</p>
<p>Motion by O'Hara, seconded by McMichael, to approve the Regular Board Meeting Minutes of April 9, 2018 as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p>	<p>4-9-18 Reg Brd Mtg Min</p>
<p>Motion by Downey, seconded by McMichael, to approve the Special Board Meeting Minutes of April 17, 2018 as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p>	<p>4-17-18 Special Brd Mtg Min</p>
<p>Motion by Downey, seconded by McMichael, to adopt the Agenda as presented. Yes-7 No-0. Carried.</p>	<p>Adopt Agenda</p>
<p><u>Public Comment</u></p>	
<p>K. Clapper - read a prepared statement to the Board regarding the fields at Otego for sports. Mrs. Clapper feels keeping the fields at Otego will continue to keep the children and families involved in the community. Losing these fields will have an impact on the community and children.</p>	
<p>D. Clapper and L. Clapper (students) also read statements to the Board in support of keeping the fields for sports.</p>	
<p>D. Hamilton - keep the fields. They are part of Unatego.</p>	
<p>D. Birdsall - keep the fields. It would be a devastation to sell them. His son also spoke in favor of keeping the fields.</p>	
<p>President Salisbury read a letter to the Board from the Otego Youth Recreation Commission. The Commission is comprised of two Village and two Town of Otego Trustees. They are very interested in acquiring the fields at the Otego Elementary School. They are looking to the future and want to protect and possibly expand the programs that they already have.</p>	

