

Facility Needs Comments:

Football field is added expense to all tax payers.

Permanent entrance sign should be many times larger than the existing sign—at least twice as tall and twice as long.

Thanks for a great meeting.

I wasn't aware of the need for separate wrestling facility. I'm surprised it wasn't included in the board's goals. I'd like to see this pursued and attached to the activity center not to a bus barn. Thanks for holding this session.

Need to think hard on phase II of track. I feel it's way too much money and you're going to be way short of volunteers to run it for a meet. Just talk to Laurel about that.

I fully feel that a "wrestling room" should be built before Phase II of the track is started. The reason is this: The safety of the students is the driving force behind the original track project. That has been taken care of by Phase I. The "wrestling room" project would help the safety of even more students that are helped by Phase I of the track.

Do we need to think a little about building some office space by the library. The current offices could be moved there and that extra space could be utilized for something else. This would also help with knowing/seeing who is in our building.

They need a wrestling room before track lights or bus barn.

In light of the budget crunch in state aid, how will the school's budget be affected by that?

The track could potentially bring in some \$\$ in the future.

The bus barn would be increased in importance if a wrestling room was incorporated with it. That would move it to the front of the line, if it were the case. The early/late practices impact (due to the lack of space) between 70-90 students 7-12.

In appreciation for you looking at options to all these projects. Thank you! In letting the teachers be involved in the One-to-One Computers---Wonderful Plan!

We have several families and dozens of student athletes that would benefit immediately from a wrestling room. This issue has been thought through quite a bit about the best location for it. East of the weight room is a unanimous desire by the coaches, athletes and parents. With the large Hispanic population, wrestling very well could be the dominant sport for our school. I think this sport deserves at least the attention the other sports do, maybe more considering our future.

A maintenance shop is essential. Many districts leave their buses outside and this makes more work for bus mechanic or drivers in snow or icy conditions prior to using buses. Visibility out all windows is very important. As a former board member I appreciate all the hard work and effort you spend trying to

balance all these important issues. You will be criticized by some no matter which decision you make.
Thank you all so much.

Central located school offices, could they place them @ the east side of the library with circular desk for secretary, they also can keep account of people using rec center. Move library up to office and computer rooms. With the One on One computer's we probably would not need a room for computers. We could use that to relocate our library.

Need more parking to drop off and pickup kids in morning and afternoon.

For the next meeting, please have a microphone, and if possible, have copies of your powerpoints available. Thanks.

Parking is lacking. Very dangerous to pick up elementary kids. Less wear and tear if buses are in a building instead of sitting out in the elements.

Thank you for the meeting. Good to have the info. A microphone would be great for next year. Appreciate your time and service.

Additional space to allow student athletes to not have to rotate practice time—eliminate late practices.

Need to get our 2 rooms per grade restored for all K-6, even at the financial expense of reducing our pre-k numbers.

Good luck to you. The board has a Big Job. I comment you! Thanks for making Wakefield a great place to send your kids.

Is it an option to put the main offices by the library?