

BURRELL SCHOOL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

June 7, 14 and 21, 2016

ADMINISTRATION

- Heard Student/Staff Recognition
- Heard Michael Manchini Eagle Scout Project information
- Heard Arts Education Collaborative: Health and Physical Education Self-Assessment information
- Approved Policy 626.1 – Travel Reimbursement-Federal Programs
- Approved Policy 827 – Conflict of Interest
- Approved agreement with Lisa Holtzman for Psychological Services for 2016-2017 school year
- Approved substitute pay rates effective July 1, 2016
- Approved Agreement with Family Services of Western Pennsylvania for Student Assistance Services for 2016-2017 school year
- Approved Agreement with Adelphi Education, Inc. for educational services for 2016-2017 school year
- Adopted Westmoreland Intermediate Unit's Policies, Procedures and Use of Funds
- Approved Substance Abuse Services Memorandum of Agreement with Southwestern Pennsylvania Human Services, Inc. for 2016-2017 school year
- Rejected Fact Finding Report of Fact Finder Thomas L. Hewitt, Esq. dated May 18, 2016 in matter between Burrell School District and Burrell Education Support Professionals Association, PSEA/NEA

BUSINESS

- Authorized Jennifer S. Callahan to make all year-end budgetary transfers for fiscal year 2015-2016
- Granted permission to discard obsolete equipment
- Approved request to establish Student Activity Account: Chess Club
- Approved tax settlement and exoneration of Upper and Lower Burrell Tax Collectors from Per Capita and Real Estate taxes
- Approved renewal of the following district insurance policies for period July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017: Commercial Package, Workers Compensation, School Leaders' Legal Liability, Education Excess Liability, Privacy Protection
- Adopted Final General Fund Budget 2016-2017
- Approved Resolution Authorizing 2016 Levy of Taxes
- Approved Resolution Authorizing 2016 Homestead and Farmstead Exclusion
- Cancelled July Board meetings

Professional

- Granted tenure to the following: Michelle O'Keefe
- Accepted the following resignations: Kenneth B. Pruitt, Middle School Assistant Principal, effective June 30, 2016; Ashton Early, High School Mathematics Teacher, effective August 5, 2016
- Accepted the following retirement: Cynthia Peck, Bon Air Kindergarten Teacher, effective June 9, 2016
- Appointed the following: Travis J. Welch, High School Social Studies, effective 2016-2017 school year; Andrew C. Martin, Science 8, effective 2016-2017 school year
- Approved the following Early Credit Recovery: Dawn Lovic, Craig Southern
- Approved the following Summer Credit Recovery: Erica Lang, ELA 7; Heather McKallip, HS Health; Christopher Legters, Math 7-Intro to Pre-Algebra; Bryan Mike, Biology 1; Dawn Lovic, ELA 10, ELA 11, ELA 12, Speech, Tech Set-up; Shaun Reddick, Science 6, Science 7, Science 8; Denise Burns, World Cultures; Melanie Kauffman, English 9, ELA 6, ELA 8; April Sites, Algebra 1, Pre-Algebra, Math 6; Craig Southern, Algebra 2, Geometry; Marla Anthony, American Cultures 1877-1939, American Cultures 1939-Present
- Approved the following Computer Lab Facilitators: Melanie Kauffman, Danielle Kariotis; Kourtney Foriska

Classified

- Appointed the following: Adrienne Yarris, LPN Agreement 2016-1017; Andrea Rose, LPN Agreement 2016-2017
- Approved the following conference: Andrew Klipple, PA Culinary Training for School Food, Hershey, PA, June 20-21, 2016
- Approved the following leave of absence: Carol Daughtry, Unpaid, August 26, November 14-17, 2016

Supplementals

- Accepted the following resignations for the 2016-2017 school year: Ronald Zanella, Football Assistant (split 2); James Brown, Football Assistant (split 2)
- Appointed the following for the 2016-2017 school year: Aaron Frech, Athletic Director Agreement; Pamela White, Elementary Grade Level Leader-K; Rebecca Fisher, Elementary Grade Level Leader-Grade 1; Ronald Spiering, Elementary Grade Level Leader-Grade 2; Catherine Shank, Elementary Grade Level Leader-Grade 3; Denise Burns, Elementary Grade Level Leader-Grade 4; Brooke Miller, Elementary Grade Level Leader-Grade 5; Sharon Ciferno, Team 6; Jill Coury, Team 7; April Sites, Team 8; Shaun Reddick, Encore Team Leader; Bryan Mike, Environmental/Science Club; Jennifer Ulizio, Student Activity Fund Manager; Danielle Kariotis, Reading Railroad; Adam Rossi, Student Council-High School; Justin Miller, Student Council-Bon Air; Steven White, Student Council-Stewart; Linda Wilkins, Student Council-Middle School (split 2); Kelli Williams Student Council-Middle School (split 2); Kelli Williams, Environmental Camp (split 3); Courtney Barbiaux, Environmental Camp (split 3); Kelly Giordano, Environmental Camp (split 3); Anthony Facemyre, Graduation Speech Sponsor; Anthony Facemyre, Yearbook Sponsor-High School; Kristy McCurdy, Yearbook-Middle School (split 2); Kaylyn Stack, Yearbook-Middle School (split 2); Deanna Ladie, Yearbook-Bon Air; Kim Abel, National Honor Society; Kyle Boswell, Newspaper-High School; Dawn Lovic, Literary Society; Dawn Lovic, Freshman Class Sponsor; Megan Aranyos, Class Sponsor-Sophomore; Marla Anthony, Class Sponsor-Junior; Denise Wagner, Senior Class Sponsor; Martin Connolly, Drama Musical Director; Martin Connolly, Drama Coach; Martin Connolly, Drama-Musical-Set Assistant; Martin Connolly, Drama-Play-Set Assistant; Michael Pagnotta, Band-High School Marching; Michael Pagnotta, Band-High School Jazz; Brian Querry, Media-Middle School; Brian Querry, Band-Middle School Jazz; Brian Querry, Band-Middle School Marching; Richard Farinelli, Drama-Musical-Orchestra Pit Director; Shawn Bennis, Basketball-Head Boys; Jeff Karaica, Basketball-Assistant Boys; Steve Yarussi, Basketball-9th Grade Boys; Zachary Ziemianski, Basketball-8th Grade Boys; Edward Shybloski, Basketball-7th Grade Boys; Meghan Ziemianski, Basketball-Head Girls; James Brown, Football-Assistant 3; Sara Nowikowski, Cheerleading Sponsor-Varsity; Brittnee Vickers, Cheerleading Sponsor-JV; Mark Ziemianski, Basketball Assistant-Girls; Courtney Kordes, Basketball-7th Grade Girls; Zachary Ziemianski, Basketball-8th Grade Girls; Joshua Shields, Wrestling-Head; Gino Lanzino, Wrestling-Assistant High School (split 2); Zachary Pisano, Wrestling-Assistant High School (split 2); Francine Corsi, Show Choir