

PENN

BOARD REPORT

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September 2017

This report summarizes the actions taken by the Penn Cambria Board of Education at its regular meeting, September 19, 2017. Routine business, such as approval of minutes, treasurer's report, payment of bills, and financial reports was accomplished. The Board also took the following actions:

I. APPROVED THE SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS AS FOLLOWS:

A. PERSONNEL ACTIONS

APPROVE ATHLETIC APPOINTMENT

Mr. Richard Brooks, Volunteer High School Wrestling Coach, effective pending clearances

ACCEPT RESIGNATIONS

Mr. Jordan Alsop, Middle School Mathematics Teacher and Junior High Assistant Basketball Coach, effective August 18, 2017, release date to be determined

Ms. Laura Marshall, Food Service Worker, effective immediately

Ms. Kirstie Semanchik-Barto, High School Media Center and Elementary Title 1 Interventions Long Term Substitute Teacher, effective August 16, 2017

Ms. Laura Storm, Health Room Assistant, effective August 14, 2017

Ms. Amanda Walls, Primary School Teacher, effective August 16, 2017

Mr. Daniel Zentack, Custodian, effective August 28, 2017

APPROVE UNPAID LEAVE REQUEST

#013927, Primary Teacher, effective on or about September 16, 2017 through December 9, 2017

APPROVE APPOINTMENTS PER PCEA CONTRACT

Ms. Lindsay Beyer, Middle School Math Position, \$36,311 Bachelors Step 1

Ms. Kirstie Semanchik-Barto, Primary School Teacher, \$37,811 Bachelors Step 2

Mr. John Stephans, High School, Spanish Teacher, \$39,311, Bachelors Step 3, effective pending clearances

APPROVE SUBSTITUTE TEACHER ASSIGNMENTS

Ms. Michele Nepa, Primary School, approximately 12 weeks, effective on or about September 16, 2017 through December 9, 2017

Mr. Stephen Sharbaugh, Patton, High School Media Center and Elementary Title 1 Interventions, remainder of 17-18 school year, effective pending clearances

APPROVE APPOINTMENTS PER PCESPA CONTRACT, EFFECTIVE PENDING CLEARANCES

Ms. Jacinta Capelety, Cresson, High School Food Service Worker, 3 hours a day

Ms. Leah George, Cresson, Floater Food Service Worker, 3 hours a day

Ms. Sheena McDonnell, Portage, Primary School Food Service Worker, 3.75 hours a day

Ms. Bethany Vinglas, Loretto, Health Room Assistant, effective on or about October 30, 2017

APPROVE APPOINTMENTS PER PCESPA CONTRACT, EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

Ms. Charina Chyr, Special Education Aide, from Primary School at 4.5 hours a day to Middle/Primary School at 7.5 hours a day

APPROVE SUBSTITUTES, EFFECTIVE PENDING CLEARANCES

Ms. Victoria Seymore, Cresson, Substitute Food Service Worker

Ms. Deborah Kelley, Loretto, Substitute Nurse

Mr. Matthew Baughman, Ebensburg, IU08 Substitute

Ms. Margaret Berdine, Belsano, IU08 Substitute

Ms. Kelley Limerick-Hand, Ebensburg, IU08 Substitute

Ms. Gwendolyn Schwab, Johnstown, IU08 Substitute

Ms. Marian Yahner, Nicktown, IU08 Substitute

REMOVE SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

Mr. Josh Bracken

Ms. Apryle Ernest

Ms. Kayla Krumenaker

Ms. Kyresten Whetstone

APPROVE MENTOR TEACHERS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR, PER PCEA CONTRACT

Approve *Ms. Ramona Rodgers* as the Mentor Teacher for *Mr. John Stephans*, Stipend \$1,000, prorated from the teacher hire date

Approve *Mr. Jason Grassi* as the Mentor Teacher for *Ms. Lindsay Beyer* effective September 20, 2017, Stipend \$1,000, prorated from the effective date

APPROVE CURRICULUM MAP

English Language Arts Grade 3

II. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

Ms. Cynthia Pacifico, Principal grades Pre-K – 2, updated the Board of Directors on the Leveled Literacy Intervention system that was added to the Balanced Literacy Program.

III. HEARING OF VISITORS

Request to revisit the Bullying Policy was received from a parent.