

SENECA FALLS CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
August 17, 2021 Board of Education Special Meeting
Mynderse Academy Auditorium
6:00 PM

BOE Members Present:

Mr. Jeffery Hartwell, Mrs. Linda Jones, Mrs. Cara Lajewski, Mrs. Joell Murney-Karsten, Mr. Michael Mirras,
Mr. William Reigel, Mrs. Heather Zellers

BOE Members Absent: Mrs. Deborah Corsner, Mr. Joseph McNamara

Present:

Mr. Clingerman and Mr. Bruni

Mrs. Lajewski called the meeting to order at 6:15 pm. A quorum of the Board of Education was present; the Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Approval of Agenda

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to approve the agenda with addendums as listed.

Add under VIII. Consent Agenda

A. Appointments

1. Professional Appointments

c. Name: Anthony Noone

2. Increase in Hours

a. Name: Jeanine Watkins-Steinruck

Civil Service Position: Cashier/FSH

4. 2021-2022 Annual Appointments

Mynderse Academy 2020-2021 Appointments

9. Probationary to Permanent

Chad Burnham

James Marley

Add under IX. Old Business

A. Rescind Motions

2. August 4, 2021 Coaching Appointments

B. Appointments

2. Coaching Appointments

Add under X. New Business

A. Contract Award Recommendation

Mrs. Zellers made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Jones.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Approve or Amend

Board of Education Minutes

July 22, 2021 Minutes

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to amend the Board of Education Minutes dated July 22, 2021 as presented

5. Probationary to Permanent

Be it resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education hereby approves the following probationary to permanent appointment.

<i>Employee</i>	<i>Position</i>	<i>Permanent Effective Date</i>
<i>Mary Jo Cook</i>	<i>School Monitor-Cashier/FSH</i>	<i>08/13/2021</i>

Mrs. Murney-Karsten made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Zellers.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

August 4, 2021 Minutes

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to approve the Board of Education Minutes dated August 4, 2021.

Mr. Reigel made the motion, seconded by Mr. Hartwell.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

There was no public comment.

Information

Business Administrator

Mr. Bruni reported the State Auditors were still in the District. Mr. Bruni expects them to be in District through the month of September. Technology items were installed in the transportation center today (Aug. 17). Telephones will be installed in the transportation center tomorrow. Fifty-six (56) SMART Boards were delivered to replace the old boards for the high school and middle school. Mr. Bruni hopes to have 60% of them installed before school starts and gradually complete the installation after the new school year starts. K. through Gr. 8 will receive new Chromebooks with touchscreens. Grades 9-12 will also receive new Chromebooks (no touchscreen).

Superintendent Report

Mr. Clingerman discussed athletics with the Board. Mr. Clingerman stated there was no clear definition of which sports are considered high risk. He has received no word on it. Mr. Clingerman is going look at local data and respond accordingly.

BOE President Report

Mrs. Lajewski thanked the Superintendent for the presentation at the question and answer session prior to the board meeting. Mrs. Lajewski also thanked the organizations that participated in "Fill the Bus" campaign for school supplies. Seneca Falls CSD was well represented at the campaign. Mrs. Jodie Verkey, Mrs. Amy Hibbard, Mrs. Paula Coffey were all present as well as Mr. Bruni, who brought Mynderse Academy students to help.

There were no committee reports.

Consent Agenda

Retirements/Resignations

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education accept the following resignations:

SFEA

Laura Rundell

Position: Health Teacher

SF Middle School MTSS Coordinator

Effective: the end of the day on August 31, 2021

SFSSA

Jessica Lambert

Position: Teacher Aide

Effective: the end of the day on August 17, 2021

Penny Lincoln

Position: Cleaner

Effective: the end of the day on August 31, 2021

Appointments

Professional Appointments

The Board of Education of the Seneca Falls Central School District, pursuant to Section 3012 of the Education Law and in compliance with Part 30.3 of the Rules of the Board of Regents, upon the recommendation of Jeramy Clingerman, Superintendent of Schools, hereby appoints (*Probation dates are tentative and conditional only. Except to the extent required by the applicable provisions of Education Law*

sections 2509, 2573, 3212 and 3014 of the Education Law, in order to be granted tenure the teacher must receive composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Section 3012-c and/or 3012-d of the Education Law of either effective or highly effective in at least three (3) of the four (4) preceding years, and if the teacher receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period the teacher shall not be eligible for tenure at that time):.

Adam Jones

Position: Physical Education Teacher
NYS Certification: Physical Education-Initial Certification
Tenure: Physical Education
Probation: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2025
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Salary: \$42,500

Madelyn Reppucci

Position: Social Studies Teacher
NYS Certification: -Pending Certification (Social Studies 7-12)
Tenure: Social Studies
Probation: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2025
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Salary: \$42,500

Anthony Noone

Position: Elementary Education/Interventionist Teacher
NYS Certification: Pending Certification (Elementary Education)
Tenure: Elementary Education
Probation: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2025
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Salary: \$49,866

Name: Jessica Lambert

Position: Teaching Assistant
NYS Certification: Teaching Assistant-Level I
Tenure: Teaching Assistant
Probation: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2025
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Salary: \$20,193

2021-2022 Annual Appointments

Mynderse Academy 2020-2021 Appointments

Position	Employee	Stipend
Yearbook Literary Editor	Alison DeFavero	\$2,124.00
Yearbook Photo Design Editor	Heather Schantz	\$1,901.00

Civil Service Appointments

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the following civil service position(s) (All appointments are conditional until paperwork is completed and fingerprints are cleared).

Name: Joan Barrett

Civil Service Position: Custodian
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Probationary Period: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2022
Hours: 8 hours
Hourly Rate: \$17.43

Name: Harry Morgan

Civil Service Position: Custodian
Effective Date: 08/18/2021
Probationary Period: 08/18/2021 through 08/17/2022
Hours: 8 hours
Hourly Rate: \$14.48

Name: Claire Brotherton
Civil Service Position: Teacher Aide
Effective Date: 08/31/2021
Probationary Period: 08/31/2021 through 08/30/2022
Hours: 6 hours
Hourly Rate: \$12.81

Name: Tammy Butler
Civil Service Position: Teacher Aide
Effective Date: 08/31/2021
Probationary Period: 08/31/2021 through 08/30/2022
Hours: 6 hours
Hourly Rate: \$12.81

Name: Jennifer Cook
Civil Service Position: Teacher Aide
Effective Date: 08/31/2021
Probationary Period: 08/31/2021 through 08/30/2022
Hours: 6 hours
Hourly Rate: \$12.81

Name: Amanda Fisher
Civil Service Position: Teacher Aide
Effective Date: 08/31/2021
Probationary Period: 08/31/2021 through 08/30/2022
Hours: 6 hours
Hourly Rate: \$12.81

Name: Margaret Moreland
Civil Service Position: Teacher Aide
Effective Date: 08/31/2021
Probationary Period: 08/31/2021 through 08/30/2022
Hours: 6 hours
Hourly Rate: \$12.94

Substitute Appointments:

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the following substitute position(s) *(All appointments are conditional until paperwork is completed and fingerprints are cleared)*

Name: Julie Gonyou
Position: Substitute Teacher
Substitute Teaching Assistants
Effective Date: 09/01/2021

Increase in Hours

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approves the following increase in hours:

Name: Jeanine Watkins-Steinruck
Civil Service Position: Cashier/FSH

Increase in hours: 3.75 hours/day increased to 5.75 hours/day
 Effective Date: 08/18/2021

Probationary to Permanent

Be it resolved that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Education hereby approves the following probationary to permanent appointment.

Employee	Position	Permanent Effective Date
Zoe Adams	Health Aide	09/01/2021
Chad Burnham	Head Automotive Mechanic	08/30/2021
James Marley	School Monitor	09/02/2021

CSE Minutes- None at this time

Gifts and Donations-None at this time

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to approve the consent agenda as listed.

Mrs. Jones made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Murney-Karsten.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Old Business

Rescind Motions

July 22, 2021 Motion

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education rescind the following July 22, 2021 professional appointment:

- a. *Name: Jordan Emerson*
- Position: Physical Education Teacher*
- NYS Certification: Professional Certification*
- Tenure: Physical Education*
- Probation: 07/23/2021-07/24/2025*
- Effective Date: 2021-2022 school year*
- Base Salary: \$47,362*

Mrs. Zellers made the motion, seconded by Mr. Hartwell.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

August 4, 2021 Coaching Appointments

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education rescind the following August 4, 2021 coaching appointments as listed:

	FOOTBALL		
Gil Santana	Varsity Paid Assistant	TCL 2 nd renewal pending	\$2,000.00
Corey Foster	Modified A Football Coach	TCL 1 st renewal	\$2,918.85
Sean Mullen	Modified A Football Paid Assistant	Professional	\$2,000.00
	VOLLEYBALL		
Stephanie Moll	Modified Girls Volleyball Coach	Permanent	\$2,168.41

Mr. Reigel made the motion, seconded by Mr. Hartwell.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Appointments

Professional Appointment

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that the Board of Education of the Seneca Falls Central School District, pursuant to Section 3012 of the Education Law and in compliance with Part 30.3 of the Rules of the Board

of Regents, and upon the recommendation of Jeramy Clingerman, Superintendent of Schools, hereby appoint the following teaching position as listed

(Probation dates are tentative and conditional only. Except to the extent required by the applicable provisions of Education Law sections 2509, 2573, 3212 and 3014 of the Education Law, in order to be granted tenure the teacher must receive composite or overall annual professional performance review ratings pursuant to Section 3012-c and/or 3012-d of the Education Law of either effective or highly effective in at least three (3) of the four (4) preceding years, and if the teacher receives an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final year of the probationary period the teacher shall not be eligible for tenure at that time):

Name: Jordan Emerson
Position: Health Education Teacher
NYS Certification: Health Education-Professional Certification
Tenure: Health Education
Probation: 07/23/2021-07/24/2025
Effective Date: 07/23/2021
Base Salary: \$47,362

Mrs. Murney-Karsten made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Coaching Appointments

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education approve the following coaching appointments:

	FOOTBALL		
Corey Foster	Varsity Paid Assistant	TCL 1 st renewal	\$2,000.00
Sean Mullen	Modified A Football Coach	Professional	\$2,918.85
Jason Hunt	Modified A Football PAID Assistant		\$2,000.00
	VOLLEYBALL		
Natalie Hare	Modified Girls Volleyball Coach		\$2,168.41
	SOCCKER		
Jim Tanner	Modified Boys Soccer Coach	Certification Pending	\$2,168.41

Mrs. Zellers made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

New Business

Contract Award Recommendation-Site Work for the 2018 Capital Improvement Project: Parking Lots

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion that the Seneca Falls Central School District Board of Education, upon the recommendation from Watchdog Building Partners, LLC, in conjunction with King & King Architects, award the contract for Site Work for the 2018 Capital Improvement Project: Parking Lots, to the following bidder:

Contractor: Landmark Enterprises, 5994 Lake Avenue, Auburn, NY 13021
Total Low Bid \$473,478
Alternate #2-N/A
Total Contract Award: \$473,478

Mr. Mirras made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Executive Session-Personnel Matter(s)

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to move into Executive Session to discuss Personnel Matters at 6:46 pm.

Mrs. Murney-Karsten made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Jones.
Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Monica Kuney, District Clerk

The regular meeting resumed at 7:06 pm.

Adjourn

Mrs. Lajewski asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:07 pm.

Mr. Mirras made the motion, seconded by Mrs. Murney-Karsten.

Yes 7 No 0 Abstain 0 Motion carried

Cara Lajewski, Board President