

The Regular meeting of the Canandaigua City School District Board of Education was held on Monday, November 7, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the Canandaigua City School District, Operations Center, Mrs. Grimm presiding.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeanie Grimm, Milton Johnson, Julianne Miller, John Polimeni, Jen Schneider, Beth Thomas

BOARD MEMBER ABSENT: Amy Calabrese, Megan Personale, Jenny Tessendorf

LEADERSHIP TEAM PRESENT: Jamie Farr, Matt Fitch, Brian Nolan, Matt Schrage

ADMINISTRATION PRESENT: John Arthur, Brian Amesbury

BOARD DISTRICT CLERK: Deborah Sundlov

OTHERS PRESENT: Kim Reisch, Noah Rose, Sarah Panica, Jamie Purdy, William Purdy, Liam Purdy, others that did not sign in

Meeting Called to Order

Mrs. Grimm called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with fifth grader Noah Rose leading all in the Pledge of Allegiance.

President's Comments

Mrs. Grimm welcomed all in attendance.

Superintendent's Report

Ms. Kim Reisch, Director of Center for Dispute Settlement, shared restorative practices taking place at Canandaigua. She reviewed the framework, where we are going, and currently in year two of implementation plan. Year one and two is building a community and trust so people can speak their truth. Years three-five years will be for the district to make the full change. Restorative plans/conferencing will begin later this year.

Ms. Reisch left at 6:52 p.m.

Board Student Representative

Neil Stringer reported the Student Government trip to Niagara Falls is coming up soon as well as the Senior Trip to New York City. The Soccer Powder Puff game is scheduled for November 10 with the juniors against seniors and funds going towards Special Olympics. Another Pop-Up Breakfast is scheduled for this week, and the Academy Players Musical *Clue* had a great turnout.

Public Comments

William and Jamie Purdy, Liam Purdy, 2090 Sand Hill addressed the Board.

Educational Presentation- Middle School World Language- Comprehensive Input

Curriculum Area Lead Teacher for World Languages, Sarah Pennica, presented on Comprehensive Input. Comprehensive Input is an instructional technique in which teachers provide students with immersive opportunities while learning about a new language.

Board Meeting Minutes

Upon a motion made by Dr. Schneider, seconded by Mrs. Miller, with all present voting yes, the Board of Education approved the October 17, 2022 Regular Board Meeting minutes.

APPROVED: MINUTES

Consensus Agenda

Upon a motion made by Dr. Schneider, seconded by Mrs. Thomas, with all present voting yes, the Board of Education approved/accepted the Consensus Agenda.

APPROVED: CONSENSUS AND SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA

Business

1. Surplus Books

the request of Mrs. Marissa Logue, Academy Principal, to declare as surplus items library books from the Academy Library.

2. New Club

the request of Mrs. Marissa Logue for a new club:

- **Investigations-** to allow in-depth, hands-on exposure to real life Criminal Scene Investigation and forensic specialist for beginners and those with previous knowledge in the field. The club will solve crimes using forensic techniques. The unpaid adviser is Ms. Ludwig-LaSoto.

3. Change in Scholarship

for the Janice T. Bell Scholarship to continue under the care of the district. This scholarship has been active for several years under the CA Alpine Ski Booster Club. This scholarship will continue until there are no funds available.

4. Food Service Agreement

of the Food Service Association agreement for the years 2022-2023, 2023-2024, 2024-2025, and 2025-2026.

5. Volunteers

the request of Mrs. Emily Bonadonna, Primary School Principal, for the below volunteers:
Brittany Broderick, Josiah Moore, Amanda Pritchard, Thomas Flicker, Kimberly Whitbeck-Drake, Laura Sandler, Jenna Tenney, Nicole Pace, Lena Bement, Audrey Bartling, Elizabeth Roaix, Robert Whitbeck, Beth Whitbeck, Heidi Lead, Nicole Becker-Tuccio, Abbey Stafferi, Kimberly Brenchley, Cindy Serafine, Brendan Fox, Tracy Dello Stritto, Ashley Anderson, Maren Welch, Thomas Pierce, Julianna Briggs, Emily DuMee, Victor Hernandez

6. Athletic Volunteers

of the athletic volunteers for winter sports season as follows:

- Don Boylan- JV Boys Basketball
- Matt Johengen- V Boys Basketball
- Bill Erb- Bowling
- Brian Groff- Hockey
- Kasey Smith- Outhouse Pole vault (indoor track)
- Colleen Tauriello- Girls Basketball
- Mark Weller- Indoor Track and Field

- Jack Leasure- Girls and Boys Basketball (and will occasional be paid by Booster Club)

7. Field Trip- Initial Approval

the request of Mrs. Marissa Logue for initial approval of the below trip.

- FIRST Robotics, Albany, NY, March 29-April 1, 2023

8. Athletic Trip- Initial Approval

the request of Mr. Jim Simmons, Athletic Director, for initial approval of the below trip.

- Varsity Hockey, Delmar, NY, November 25-26, 2022
- Girls Wrestling, Troy, NY, January 20-21, 2023
- Boys and Girls Wrestling, Oswego, NY, November 28-29, 2022

9. Donation

acceptance of a donation from Ontario Children's Foundation in the amount of \$1,000 to be used to purchase various supplies for students as determined by school social workers.

10. Field Placement

the request of Mr. John Arthur, Middle School Principal, is for the below field placement:

- Victoria McClain, Keuka College with Victoria Gashlin- December 19, 2022-January 20, 2023

11. Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES Bid

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Canandaigua City School District, does authorize the purchasing agenda for Monroe 2-Orleans BOCES, to enter into any and all Cooperative bidding ventures conducted during the 2022-2023 school year.

12. Authorizing Commencement of E-Cigarettes and Vaping Litigation

WHEREAS, the use and abuse of e-cigarettes and vaping devices has increased dramatically among high school and middle school students in recent years, leading to significant risks of addiction, potentially life-threatening respiratory ailments, and other health consequences; and

WHEREAS, the use of e-cigarettes and vapid devices by students has caused the Canandaigua City School District (the "School District") to incur costs in the form of staff time, disciplinary proceedings, and other costs, with the expectation that these costs will only increase unless and until student use of these devices decreases; and

WHEREAS, the School District's Board of Education (the "Board") has been invited to join a nation-wide lawsuit by school districts against Juul Labs, Inc. the largest seller of e-cigarettes in the United States and other parties responsible for the production, marketing, sale and distribution of e-cigarettes and vaping devices; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to join this lawsuit to discourage the proliferation of e-cigarettes, end the marketing of e-cigarettes to children, and seek compensation for harm caused to the District due to e-cigarette use.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education hereby resolves:

1. To appoint the law firms of Ferrara Fiorenza PC, and the Frantz Law Group, APLC and approve the agreement to provide legal services in connection with pursuing claims for damages against Juul Labs, Inc. and others consistent with the recitals above;

2. To authorize the Superintendent to take all steps necessary for the District to become an active co-plaintiff to pending litigation filed on behalf of school districts Nationwide by the Frantz Law Group against Juul Labs, Inc. and others.

13. Professional Agreement

a Professional Services Agreement with Ellen Tempest for St. Mary's through a Title I Grant for the 2022-2023 school year an amount not to exceed \$4,200.

14. Partnership for Excellence

a Partnership for Excellence agreement with St. Bonaventure University to place student teachers and field placements of students.

15. Volunteer After School Club

the request of Mr. Brian Amesbury, Elementary School Principal, for Ms. Cindy Vanderlee and Ms. Kim Broderick-Webb who run the Bigs & Littles Program to have the K-9 Bloodhound dog from the Ontario County Sheriff's office visit the Bigs & Littles Program after school on February 15, 2023.

16. Recommendations of the Committee on Preschool Special Education

for review and consideration are the recommendations of the Committee on Preschool Education. Additional information is included as an attachment and is filed in the Supplemental Minutes File.

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Personnel

1. Non-Instructional Personnel

A. Retirement

resignation for the purpose of retirement from the following individual. On behalf of the District, sincere best wishes for a happy and healthy retirement are offered. Thank you for the many years of service to the Canandaigua City School District.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Years of Service</u>
Tamara Moore	Teacher Aide	2/25/2023	20

B. Removals

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Dacia McWilliams	Food Service Helper	Resignation	11/4/2022
Elisha Turner	School Bus Driver	Resignation	11/5/2022
Kathryn Bibbens	Contract Substitute Nurse	Resignation	11/28/2022

C. Leave of Absence

- 1) of Dawn Valente, School Monitor, a leave of absence from November 3, 2022 through November 28, 2022.

D. Appointments

Pending Civil Service approval and NYSED fingerprint clearance where applicable:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Rate</u>
Taylor Foxhall	School Monitor	10/26/2022	\$14.70/hr.
Kendra Rennie	Teacher Aide	10/31/2022	\$14.75/hr.
Alyssa Brickey	Food Service Helper	11/7/2022	\$13.37/hr.
Joseph Burke	Custodial Worker	10/31/2022	\$15.23/hr.
Kathleen Tauterouff	School Monitor	11/3/2022	\$14.70/hr.
Kelly LaBouf	Substitute Teacher Aide	11/1/2022	\$13.20/hr.
Dacia McWilliams	Substitute Food Service Helper	11/7/2022	\$13.20/hr.
Alyssa Cummings	Substitute Food Service Helper	11/7/2022	\$13.20/hr.
Fred Hutton	Substitute Food Service Helper	11/7/2022	\$13.20/hr.

2. Instructional Personnel

A. Leave of Absence

- 1) of Colby Genecco, 2nd Grade Teacher for a leave of absence from November 12, 2022 through February 10, 2023.

B. Appointments

1) Interim Substitute Teacher

the following individuals for an Interim Substitute Teacher positions as indicated at an agreed upon rate for the duration of the assignment:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Building</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Elizabeth Johnson	Special Education Teacher	Middle School	12/13/2022-1/23/2023
Lorraine Williams	Special Education Teacher	Elementary School	12/5/2022-2/17/2023

2) Contract Substitute Teachers

the following individuals to Contract Substitute Teacher positions for the 2022 – 2023 school year at the contractual rate:

- Dondi Ratliff, Academy, Effective 10/18/2022
- Elizabeth V. Johnson, Middle School, Effective 10/25/2022
- Alex Barna, Middle School, Effective 11/14/2022

3) Certified Substitute Teachers

the following individuals to Certified Substitute Teacher positions conditional upon criminal history clearance from the New York State Education Department where applicable.

- Michael Carney
- Ellen Polimeni (Preferred)
- Victor Peterson
- Elizabeth McCourt
- Angela Parkison
- Mary Shaver
- Kelly Edinger-Scammell (Preferred)



4) Non-Certified Substitute Teachers

the following individuals to Non-Certified Substitute Teacher positions conditional upon criminal history clearance from the New York State Education Department and verification of 2 years of college where applicable.

Hannah Proper
Chelsea Schlorff
Deborah Massey

5) Stipend Positions 2022 – 2023 School Year

CO-CURRICULAR POSITIONS:	EMPLOYEE:
Snow Sports Club Advisor	Bruce Hawkins
OTHER STIPEND POSITION:	
Wellness Coordinator	Eric Mullen

6) Winter Sports Coaches 2022 – 2023

the following individuals to Winter Coaching positions for the 2022-2023 school year at the contractual rate:

<u>COACH:</u>	<u>SPORT:</u>
Ames, Cayley	Varsity Winter Cheer
Brennan, Mike	Varsity Girls Basketball
Ceravolo, Colton	JV Boys Basketball
Davern, James	Varsity Boys Basketball
Falk, Matt	Assistant Girls Basketball
Gilligan, Nate	Mod Wrestling
Guay, Connor	Assistant Hockey
Hennessy, Alex	Unified Bowling
Hulme, Robin	Assistant Boys Basketball
Kraft, Rebecca	Boys Diving
Lopez, Donovan	Mod A Girls Basketball
Marsh, Daina	Head Boys Indoor Track
Moore, Derek	Assistant Wrestling
Mullen, Eric	Varsity Wrestling
Notter, Abbey	JV Girls Basketball
Robbins, Dan	Mod B Boys Basketball
Santiago, Jann	JV Boys Swimming
Scheemaker, Erik	Varsity Boys Swimming
Sedita, Paul	Head Girls Indoor Track
Sutter, Mark	Indoor Track Assistant (.5)
Swain, Murphy	Assistant Skiing
Sweet, Adam	Mod B Wrestling
Taft, David	Varsity Hockey
Tepper, Michael	Head Boys and Girls Bowling
Wall, Kevin	Varsity Skiing
Wallwork, Jack	Mod A Boys Basketball
Ward, Matt	Indoor Track Assistant (.5)
Welch, Jeff	Strength and Conditioning
Windheim, Taryn	Boys Mod Swimming

7) Mentors

the following individuals to Mentor assignments for the 2022-2023 school year at the contractual rate:



Kathryn Mathers, Primary School, Effective 10/7/2022
Jeanne Canough, Middle School, Effective 10/7/2022

End of Consensus Agenda

Board Committees

Audit Committee

Mr. Milton Johnson reported on behalf of Audit Committee which met on November 4. The Committee provided feedback to the Internal Claims Auditor to define nominal value for students awards and reviewed the 2023-2024 budget calendar. The next meeting is scheduled for December 9.

District Committee Reports

Character Education Committee-

Mr. Milton Johnson reported on behalf of Character Ed which met on October 27. The Committee received share outs from each of the buildings and discussed community partnerships and potential to continue offering opportunities for Fifth Saturdays after federal funds are no longer available.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Task Force

Mrs. Julianne Miller reported on behalf of the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Task Force which met on November 1. Ms. Svetlana Stowell from Monroe I BOCES attended the meeting to provide guidance to the Task Force and review the next steps.

Upcoming Events

- November 10- Veterans Day Events- Elementary
- November 11- Veterans Day- No School
- November 15- CA Band Concert
- November 16- CMS Small Ensemble Concert
- November 17- CA Orchestra Concert
- November 21- Board of Education Meeting
- November 21- CA Chorus Concert
- November 23-25- Thanksgiving Break
- November 30- Last day to pay taxes with 1% penalty
- November 30- 8th Grade Concert

Adjournment

Upon a motion made by Mrs. Thomas, seconded Dr. Schneider, with all present voting yes, the Board of Education approved the adjournment of the Regular meeting at 7:17 p.m. The next Regular meeting will be on November 21, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah Sundlov
District Clerk