

Glen Cove City School District - Board of Education - Brief of Meeting

Meeting Date: December 13, 2010

PERSONNEL ACTIONS:

Name	Board Action
Leave of Absence of Allison Spina-Butler , English Teacher, High School effective November 24, 2010 - January 28, 2011	Approved
Leave of Absence of Catherine Alvarez-Corrigan , English Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective December 9, 2010 - January 21, 2011	Approved
Leave of Absence of Monica Altamirano , Speech Teacher, Landing / High School, effective December 13, 2010 - January 31, 2011	Approved
Leave of Absence of Laura-Ann Montuori , Elementary Teacher, Landing School, effective November 3, 2010 - June 30, 2011	Approved
Unpaid Leave of Absence of Terry Tornicchio , Teacher Assistant, High School, effective January 13, 2011 - January 19, 2011	Approved
Leave of Absence of Melissa Pascucci , Teacher Assistant, Connolly School, effective January 18, 2011 - May 6, 2011	Approved
Resignation of Rachel Ashendorf , Permanent Building Substitute, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective December 9, 2010	Accepted
Resignation of Lisa Casale , Teacher Assistant, AHRC School, effective November 30, 2010	Accepted
Resignation of Jillian Callaghan , Teacher Assistant, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective November 24, 2010	Accepted
Extension in Unpaid Leave of Absence, Christopher Claro , TV Production Technician, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective January 3, 2011 - January 24, 2011	Approved
Extension in Unpaid Childcare Leave, Kim Coopersmith , School Lunch Manager, District, effective December 15, 2010 - January 17, 2011	Approved
Unpaid Leave of Absence of Antoinette Sicuranza , Head Cook, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective December 7, 2010 - December 17, 2010	Approved
Appointment of Corey Blair , School Attendance Teacher, High School, effective January 3, 2013 (replacing Sheila Smith - resigned)	Approved
Appointment of Lori Sklar , Art Teacher, High School, effective December 14, 2010 - June 30, 2011 or sooner (replacing Judy Alpert)	Approved
Appointment of Susan Valzovano , Elementary Teacher, Landing School, effective January 3, 2011 - June 30, 2011 (replacing Laura-Ann Montuori - childcare leave)	Approved
Appointment of Allison Hernandez , Elementary Teacher, Landing School, effective December 10, 2010 - February 28, 2011 or sooner (replacing Deborah Villella - sick leave)	Approved
Appointment of Christopher Claro , English Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective January 3, 2011 - January 24, 2011 or sooner (replacing Catherine Alvarez-Corrigan - catastrophic leave)	Approved
Appointment of Kristen Brennan , Speech Teacher, Landing / High School, effective December 15, 2010 - February 1, 2011 (replacing Monica Altamirano - childcare)	Approved
Appointment of Claudia Paris , Teacher Assistant, Deasy School, effective on or around January 3, 2011	Approved
Appointment of Sheena Lightell , Teacher Assistant, Middle School (inclusion), effective December 14, 2010 (replacing Jillian Callaghan - resignation)	Approved
Appointment of Rachel Schultz , Temporary Teacher Assistant, effective January 24, 2011 - May 13, 2011 (replacing Andrea Avolesse - student teaching)	Approved
Appointment of Julie Esposito , Teacher Mentor, effective December 14, 2010 - May 31, 2011	Approved
Appointment of Cynthia Van Ommeren , Teacher Mentor, effective December 14, 2010 - June 24, 2011	Approved

Appointment of Valerie Amilicia (Girls Softball); Matthew Carbone (Boys Track); Richard Bullis (Girls Track); Steven Tripp (Boys Lacrosse); Jacqueline Gow (Girls Lacrosse); William McCumiskey (Golf); Christopher MacDonald (Boys Tennis), Spring Varsity Coaching Positions, effective 2010 - 2011 school year	Approved
Appointment of Adelki Paulino & Peter Falen (Baseball AV/JV); Angela Zupa & Matthew Ryan (Softball AV/JV); Peter Kopecky (Boys Track AV); Adrienne Tonner (Girls Track Av); Frank Curatolo (Boys Lacrosse AV); Kimberly Riso/Nancy Gorman (split) Lauren Portnoy (Girls Lacrosse AV/JV)	Approved
Appointment of Brett Rubin (Baseball - JH); John Molina (Co-Ed Track - JH); Michael Chiclacos (Boys Lacrosse - JH); Amy Serr (Girls Lacrosse - JH); Peter Bednarski (Track *AJH);, Spring Asst JV and JHS Coaching Positions, effective 2010 - 2011	Approved
Appointment of Kathryn Caulfield (R.M. Finley Middle School) Bernice Kaplan (Connolly / Landing), Substitute Teachers for the Literacy through the Arts (Glen Cove After 3), effective on or around December 14, 2010 - June 10, 2011	Approved
Appointment of Joanna DeFelice , Teacher, High School, effective December 13, 2010 - June 24, 2011	Approved
Appointment of Meaghan Crimmins , Permanent Building Substitute, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective January 3, 2011 - May 31, 2011 or sooner (replacing Ms. Ashendorf - who resigned)	Approved
Appointment of Joann Sferrazza , Temporary District Wide Permanent Substitute, effective December 14, 2010 - May 31, 2011 or sooner (covering for Ms. Kaiser)	Approved
Appointment of Meaghan Crimmins and Kate Lazarovic (Gribbin Only), Substitute Teachers, effective December 14, 2010 for the 2010 - 2011 school year	Approved
Appointment of Melissa Pascucci , Substitute Teacher Assistant, effective January 21, 2011 - May 6, 2011 - Fridays Only	Approved
Appointment of Kristin Meier , Part-Time Teacher Assistant, effective on or around December 15, 2010 (replacing Ms. Casale - resignation)	Approved
Increase in job hours for Rita Costantino , Teacher Assistant, Landing School, effective November 3, 2010 - November 12, 2010	Approved
Appointment of Nicholas Tonini as a Volunteer Wrestling Coach, effective November 15, 2010 for the 2010 - 2011 school year	Approved
Appointment of Andrew Hall , Substitute Cleaner, effective December 14, 2010 for the 2010 - 2011 school year	Approved

ACTIONS:

Description of Action	Board Action
Minutes of December 13, 2011	Approved
Amendments of policy and regulation # 5633 (Use of High School Track and Field Lights)	Pending
Policy #'s 6553 (Working from Home) and # 7223 (High School Seniors Status: Class Rank, Valedictorian and Salutatorian)	Approved
Treasurer's Report of December 13, 2010; Revenue Budget Status Reports for the General Fund and Lunch Fund as of September 30, 2010 and October 31, 2010; Appropriate Status Report as of November 30, 2010; Register of Bills as follows: General Fund, Cafeteria, Special Aid, Capital and Workers Comp for the period of November 16 through November 30, 2010	Approved
Donation of \$500.00 from the Norah Lessne Trust	Accepted
Sustain the Superintendent's decision on the suspension of a student named in executive session pursuant to provision of NYS Law Section 3214	Approved
Transfer of excess funds in the amount of \$34,783.56 from Thayer boiler project to high school locker rooms	Approved
Payment of tax certiorari claims as outlined in the memorandum from Kevin Wurtz dated December 6, 2010	Approved
CSE/CPSE Minutes of October 20, 2010 through November 23, 2010	Approved

Donations of \$25,000.00 from the Teresa Cicero Trust to establish the Harry Schinder, M.D. Fund; \$8,680.00 from the Teresa Cicero Trust to establish the Carmen Cicero Scholarship Fund and \$6,320.00 from Catherine M. Bailey to establish the Carmen Cicero Scholarship Fund	Accepted
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REPORTS:

The Board of Education cancelling the January 10, 2011 planning session meeting. The Board will hold a special meeting to meet in executive session on a personnel matter at that time.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Points of Pride:

R.M. Finley Middle School named a winner of the National Association of Secondary School Principals Breakthrough Schools Award. One of ten schools in the country and one of only two in New York state. A celebration will be held this week at the school. Commend the administration of the school, principal, Anael Alston, assistant principal, and the entire staff for making this collaborative effort possible and also the parents who are equal partners in that achievement

Fall athletic awards took place last month to honor many of our fine athletes. The coveted Superintendents award was presented to High School Senior, Heather Artinian, who's a star basketball, lacrosse and volleyball player.

The athletic teams and the individual athletes experienced great successes this year. The boys soccer and football teams qualified for the playoffs, there were three all county athletes, one with all county honorable mention, seven all conference athletes, three all division athletes, two academic all conference athletes in football, one all class athlete in girls soccer, one sportsmanship award in tennis and two cross country athletes competing in the New York state qualifying rounds with one establishing a new school record

In the fine and performing arts arena the Glen Cove High School Masquers Society presented it's production of Arthur Miller's " The Crucible" last month. Michael Banks, Carly Baron and Kyra Martakis were among the stars. Marie Washington was the student director, Nezvina Valley served as the stage manager and Mathew Rottino served as the Masquers Society Advisor who directed the play

Open Session: During open session the members of the audience had the opportunity to ask questions and make comments on any items of their choosing.

The next meeting is scheduled for January 24, 2011 @ 8:00 p.m., Landing School.

Submitted By: Ida Johnson
Board Secretary / District Clerk