Glen Cove City School District - Board of Education - Brief of Meeting
Meeting Date: June 20, 2011

PERSONNEL ACTIONS:

Name	Board Action
Rescission of Appointment of **Caitlin Donovan**, Social Studies Teacher, Summer Credit Recovery Teacher, effective June 13, 2011	Accepted
Resignation (Retirement) of **Susan Romeo**, Special Education Teacher, Landing, effective June 30, 2011	Accepted
Unpaid Leave of Absence of **Laura-Ann Montuori**, Elementary Teacher, Landing, effective September 1, 2011-June 30, 2012	Approved
Resignation of **Alyssa Katz**, Teacher Assistant, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective June 24, 2011	Accepted
Resignation of **Christinia Braja**, School Monitor, Connolly School, effective June 24, 2011	Accepted
Recession of Appointment of **Linda Thomas-Batson**, School Social Worker, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective September 1, 2011	Approved
Recession of Appointment of **Brendan Clements**, Science Teacher, High School, effective September 1, 2011 - March 9, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Catherine Alvarez-Corrigan**, Elementary Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 - August 31, 2012* PDT	Approved
Appointment of **Allison Hernandez**, Elementary Teacher, Landing School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Claudia Paris**, Teacher Assistant, Deasy School, effective September 6, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Christina Braja**, Teacher Assistant, C Connolly School, effective August 2, 2011	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Caitlin Donovan**, Social Studies Teacher, High School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Kristin Danko**, Library Media Specialist, Landing & Connolly School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Yun Tzu Fan**, Mandarin Chinese Teacher, High School & Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Christopher Lippe**, Music Teacher, Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Rosa Malley**, Foreign Language Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle & High School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Melissa Manzione**, Art Teacher, High and R.M. Finley Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 0 June 30, 2012	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Lisa Pignataro**, Technology Education Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Christina Robino**, Home & Careers Teacher, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Recalled Appointment of **Amanda Sullivan**, Physical Education Teacher, District, effective September 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Lauren Heffernan**, 21st Century Grant Coordinator, effective July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Lane Lipton**, Supervisor of the Adult Education Program, effective July 1, 2011 - May 2012.	Approved
Extra Days of Employment of **Konstantinos Sirakis, Antonie Samuels, John Molina, Francine Luke, Marja Tockman**, R.M. Middle & High School, effective June 25, 2011 - August 31, 2022.	Approved
Appointment of **Alice McGrath, Daniel Yeh**, Teachers for the Credit Recovery Program, effective July 5, 2011 - August 15, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Maria Corrales, Paul Cuomo, Liana Gregorio, Beth Hamburg, Claire Imbergamo, Mark Indiviglio, Maria Macchione, Lori Pagnillo, Terry Tornicchio**, Teacher Assistants, High School, effective on or around June 13, 2011 - on or around June 23, 2011	Approved

Appointment of **Alice McGrath, Nancy Frisch, Kelly Ann Durham,Bruce Trousdell, Randy Finjer, Susan Lordi-Linden, Joanne Maher, Robyn Davis, Dr. Penelope Patsis, Frank Bilello**, Team Leaders, effective 2011-2012	Approved
Appointment of **Felicia Pomeranz**, Summer Home Tutor, effective July 5 - August 18, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Timothy McCarthy**, Cleaner, R.M. Finley Middle School, effective July 1, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Scott Murray**, Security Guard, High School, effective September 1, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Ida Johnson**, District, Board Secretary, effective July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Temporary Summer Appointment of **Joy Karousos**, Technical Services, High School, effective June: 4 days, 24 hours (27, 28,29, 30); July: 20 days, 117.5 hours (1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29); August: 14 days, 77 hours (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31); Sept: 3 days, 18 hours (1, 2, 6).	Approved
Temporary Summer Appointment of **Edward Hackimer**, Teacher Assistant, effective July 5, 2011 - August 12, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Mike Archenbault, Martin Carmody** (Floater), **Jacquelyn Szlakowicz, Byron Wilkins, Pasquale Iannelli** as Per Diem Summer Workers, Technical Services, High School, effective July 1, 2011 - August 31, 2011	Approved
Appointment of **Catherine Papsidero**, Substitute Senior Administrative Clerk, Thayer House & Carriage House Only, effective July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Catherine Papsidero and Marcia Travatello**, Substitute Secretary, effective July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Appointment of **Nathaniel Morton,** Substitute Cleaner, effective June 29, 2011 only	Approved
Appointment of **Vinny Ardito**, Substitute Cleaner, effective July 1, 2011 - June 30, 2012	Approved
Memoranda of Agreement as they Pertain to the Retirement Incentive for Eligible Teachers and Unused Personal Days to be Converted to Sick Days	Approved

Commendations/Education Spotlight

The **6th & 7th Grade Middle School Strings** group was welcomed by Dr. Laria and they performed for the audience in celebration of the evening.

A DVD played entitled "**The Glen Cove Story**". The DVD went over all the good things that Glen Cove has to offer.

Frank Bouza was acknowledged for his many years of service to the schools and community and for his last meeting as a board member. He was given plaques to acknowledge his accomplishments.

Presentation of **High School Yearbook** to Board of Education by the Class of 2011.

The Board recognized **Laurie Maher** for her contribution to the landing school community through her playground fundraising efforts. Laurie coordinated a Zumbathon that took place at landing school and the fundraiser was able to raise $5,000 towards the new playground. Dr. Laria and the board acknowledged Laurie's efforts and presented her with a plaque.

Fine Arts Committee presented their recommendations to the board as to what they feel needs to take place in order to improve the fine arts.

A brief intermission took place with cake, punch and coffee being offered to the audience in acknowledgement of Frank Bouza's last meeting as a member of the board of education.

Policy	**Board Action**
Recommend the Board amend Policy # 7110: Comprehensive Student Attendance Policy	Pending

Actions	Board Action
Description of Action	
Board of Education **Minutes of May 10, 16 & 17, 2011**	Approved
Treasurers Report of 6/20/2011; **Revenue Budget Status Report for the General Fund** as of 43/30/11 and the **Lunch Fund** of 4/30/11; **Appropriate Status Report** of 5/31/11; **Register of Bills for General Fund, Cafeteria, Special Aid, Capital and Workers Comp** from 5/1/11-6/15/11	Approved
Authorization of **Reorganization Meeting** of the Board of Education on Wednesday, July, 6, 2011	Approved
Appointment **SYNTAX** as the District Public Relations Firm for the 2011-2012 School Year	Approved
Recommend the Board Accept the **Donation from Triple Maxx Commercial Mgt & Construction Services** for the JV Fence Project	Approved
WHEREAS, the District has been notified that a majority of the school nurses in the Glen Cove School District has requested representation by the Glen Cove School Nurses' Association, Glen Cove Teachers' Association, NYSUT, AFT, NEA, AFL-CIO; and **WHEREAS**, the Superintendent of Schools has recommended that the Board of Education voluntarily recognize the Glen Cove School Nurses' Association for purposes of representation under the Taylor Law of a unit comprised of all full time school nurses and all school nurses who work twenty or more hours per week; **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education hereby extends voluntary recognition to the Glen Cove School Nurses' Association, Glen Cove Teachers' Association, NYSUT, AFT, NEA, AFL-CIO to act as the exclusive bargaining agent for the position of School Nurse as described above; and **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the District Clerk is directed to (i) post a notice of voluntary recognition of the newly formed bargaining unit as required by law; and (ii) implement all other publication requirements as required by Section 201.6 of the Public Employment Relations Board's Rules; and **BE IT EVEN FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to commence negotiations for the salary and benefits of the School Nurse position provided that there are no objections by other employee organizations within the District following publication of the voluntary recognition as described above	Approved
Final payment for work completed at Connolly school on the modular classroom	Approved
CPSE Minutes of 5/09/11 - 06/02/11	Approved

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

In the words of that classic Sinatra song, "It Was a Very Good Year." Thank you so very much for making education in Glen Cove meaningful and successful throughout the year.

When we first met almost a year ago, I requested that we join together to find a "common north". Looking back over the year and considering where we are now, we have indeed embraced our common north as the Family of Glen Cove. The commitment and dedication of **ALL STAFF** and parents enabled the children to have a fulfilling, gratifying and exciting year. As "equal spokes on the wheel", we supported and respected each other in unimaginable and incredible ways as we pursued our educational mission. I remain so grateful and appreciative for your effective efforts and devotion to improve the quality of life for our children and to enhance the reputation of the Glen Cove School District. Each of you energized my spirit. Hopefully, I energized yours as much in return.

And now, refresh and rejuvenate yourself! May your summer months be healthy, relaxing and peaceful. May you return in September refocused to carry on where we leave off today.

To set the tone for a meaningful school year, our keynote speaker on September 1st will be the nationally renowned Robert J. Danzig who will inspire and motivate us with the theme of "Every Child Deserves a Champion". Bob Danzig will lift our spirits as we continue to work in unity together to preserve Glen Cove's tradition of quality and to create a future of excellence.

In the meantime, savor the summer of 2011 knowing that you are valued and appreciated.
And, in the words of that other song, "See you in September."

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 Wednesday, July 6th @ 8:00 p.m., R.M. Middle School.

Submitted By: Ida Johnson
Board Secretary / District Clerk