

PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Brodheadsville, PA 18322

Minutes of the March 24, 2022

Board of Education Meeting

Board Approved 4-7-2022

CALL TO ORDER:

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Pleasant Valley School District Board of Education was held on March 24, 2022 and called to order by President Sue Kresge at 7:00 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by a guest in the audience followed by a moment of silence. Mrs. Kresge asked that all keep the family of Sarah Sipler who passed away, in their thoughts and prayers as well as other PV families during this moment of silence. The meeting was held in the Pleasant Valley High School Auditorium, Route 209, Brodheadsville, PA 18322 and via Zoom.

Roll Call – School Board Recorder: Ms. Debra Duff

School Board members in attendance: Mrs. Sue Kresge, Mrs. Laura Jecker, Mr. Todd Kresge, Mr. Norm Burger, Ms. Teresa Greggo, Mr. Michael Galler, Mrs. Diane Serfass, Mr. Delbert Zacharias, Ms. Melanie Zipp.

Administrative staff in attendance: Dr. James Konrad, Superintendent, Dr. Rae Lin Howard, Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Michael Simonetta (via Zoom), Business Manager, Mrs. Tammy Smale, Assistant Business Manager, Mr. Bill Gasper, Director of Operations, Ms. Lynn Courtright, Chief of Security, Mr. Chuck Tomori, Technology Coordinator, Mr. Michael McMullen, Special Education Supervisor, Ms. Julie Harris, Director of Special Education, Ms. Deena Boyne, Supervisor of Transportation and Student Operations, Dr. Susan Mowrer Benda, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment, Ms. Lori Hagerman, Curriculum Supervisor.

Building Administrative staff in attendance: Mr. Brian Boylan, Jonathan Ayre, Angela Borealo, Kendal Askins, Jason Van Voorhis, Roger Pomposello, Sabrina Albright.

School Solicitor in attendance: Mark Fitzgerald, Esq.

Notification of Executive Session:

President Sue Kresge announced that an executive session was held on March 22, 2022 and March 24, 2022 immediately prior to the regularly scheduled meeting for the purposes of personnel matters including, but not limited to, performance and/or discipline; negotiations; and legal issues.

Mrs. Kresge announced that Addendum item #9.F., the hiring of Mr. Kyle Bonser as Athletic Director at a prorated salary of \$84,000 effective March 28, 2022 has been added to the Agenda. She also announced the removal of Agenda item #8.E. – Classroom monitor-Act 91.

Dr. Konrad stated that it was his privilege to honor two heroes, Derek Snyder and Michael Ditty, for saving the life of another. Dr. Konrad read the Proclamation:

WHEREAS, Derek Snyder, St. Luke's Trainer and Michael Ditty, Jr. Softball Volunteer Coach at Pleasant Valley School District; and

WHEREAS, on the 10th of March 2022, during the performance of their daily work responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, Derek Snyder and Michael Ditty were present at Pleasant Valley Middle School and witnessed a student in apparent physical distress; and

WHEREAS, Derek Snyder and Michael Ditty both determined that the student had passed out and began performing CPR where with the assistance of others was able to resuscitate the student; and

WHEREAS, emergency medical services personnel arrived at the scene and the student was safely transported to a hospital and is now recovering from that medical emergency; and

WHEREAS, Derek Snyder and Michael Ditty selflessly made a split-second decision of a life and death nature to perform a purposeful, distinctive and successful lifesaving act on another human being;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Pleasant Valley School District Superintendent and the Board of Education this 24th day of March 2022, that they hereby commend both Derek Snyder and Michael Ditty, and express their sincere appreciation and gratitude for their heroic actions in saving the life of another.

Dr. Konrad stated that this Proclamation is presented with heartfelt thanks from the Pleasant Valley School District and the Board of Education. Mr. Snyder and Mr. Ditty were present and accepted this Proclamation.

Student Class President – Ms. Olivia Altman

Ms. Altman reported on events and activities at the high school:

- GAPP will be hosting an exchange student from German in the Fall and students taking German will be traveling to Germany in the Summer.
- The Drama Club musical performance of the High School Musical was a great success.
- PV Baking class for life skills students.

- Carbon County band music students' performance.
- Easter basket drive for children.
- Scholastic Scrimmage Team competing in the Quiz Bowl.
- Girls' Lacrosse upcoming games.
- MiniThon May 7th event.

Students of the Month –

The student of the month event was presented by principals and teachers recognizing students nominated by their teachers. They read statements of praise and accomplishments of their respective students who received the honor of being named Student of the Month. Students recognized along with their families were: PVE – Madison Lanusse, Hunter Fallat, Adalyn Haydt, and Gil Portillo Ramirez; PVI – Pierre Vale (not present), Wesley Flickner, and Caelie Boyd; PVMS – Averie Acevedo, and Ciara Watson; PVHS – Abygail Borger, Ellie Lata, Emma Bergstresser, and Ashley Molino.

State of the School District Presentation – Dr. James Konrad

Superintendent James Konrad presented a PowerPoint report in order to provide a transparent view of the school district after meetings with the Board, staff, students, parents, and community members for the last four months. He reviewed the current financial challenges and rationale for such challenges. Mrs. Smale provided information on the 2022-2023 budget status and obligations looking ahead. She reviewed the history of property assessed value, charter school, and PV Cyber Academy. Mrs. Smale reviewed the budgeted vs. actual numbers for Basic Education Subsidy, Special Education Subsidy, and Special Education Expenses, and Special Education subsidy vs. actual costs. PVSD Contributions to PSERS was also included as well as health care expenses. Mrs. Smale also reviewed the budget and fund balance history. Dr. Konrad spoke about declining enrollment and district employment history. He reported on the need for financial, enrollment, and grade level realignment and a district-wide reduction in all areas while maintaining appropriate class size with a goal to address the staff/student enrollment issue now and not having to furlough in the future. Dr. Mowrer Benda reviewed the academic challenges and rationale for grade level realignment. She outlined the proposed grade realignment – PVE Grades K-2; PVI Grades 3-5; PVM Grades 6-8; and PVHS Grades 9-12. Principals Askins and Pomposello together with Director of Special Education Harris spoke about the benefits of grade level realignment. Dr. Konrad stated that these changes will transition PVSD from the current state of the district to solutions for the future.

President Sue Kresge announced the meeting procedures and provided an opportunity for public comment on agenda items. She stated that the presentation given by Dr. Konrad is not an action item and therefore no comments can be made on the presentation until the second public comment portion of the meeting.

Pleasant Valley Citizens – (Agenda items):

Lauren Nagy, Polk Township, expressed her opinion about changes in the dress code.

Nellie Gordon, Chestnuthill Township, expressed her opinion on charter school costs; students returning to brick-and-mortar school.

Maria Ramos, Chestnuthill Township, expressed her concerns and opinions about changes in the dress code.

Desiree Murray, Chestnuthill Township, expressed concern and opinions about the support staff retirement incentive; learning loss and lack of staff; and grade realignment.

Alice Wheelis, Ross Township, expressed her opinion about dress codes in general and thanked the Board.

End of public comment

SECRETARY’S REPORT: Mrs. Tammy Smale, Board Secretary

Mr. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mr. Galler to approve the minutes of the Board of Education Meeting held on March 10, 2022; to approve the Board Meeting Agenda of March 24, 2022 as amended to remove Agenda item #8.E. – Classroom Monitor Act 91; and the addition of Agenda item #9.F. hiring of Kyle Bonser as Director of Athletics and Activities.

VOICE VOTE: 8-0 CARRIED

TREASURER’S REPORT: Mrs. Diane Serfass

Mr. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mrs. Jecker to approve Agenda item #3. – Accounts Payable, as attached:

Approval of Agenda item #3.A. – Accounts Payable March 24, 2022

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #3.B. - The Accounts Payable approved at the March 10, 2022 Board of Education meeting was attached to the agenda for informational purposes.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Solicitor: Mark Fitzgerald, Esq. – Mr. Fitzgerald stated that he anticipates that his office will be sharing with Mr. Matt Gruenloh from PSEA a draft version of the CBA with PVEA. He said that discussions are taking place with representatives of the Association and administration with regard to language and if agreement can be made, he is hopeful that a contract will be presented to all parties and voted on at a meeting in April.

NEW BUSINESS:

Monroe Career & Technical Institute: Mr. Todd Kresge – No report.

Colonial IU20: Mr. Michael Galler – No report.

PSBA Legislative Liaison Report: Mrs. Melanie Zipp – No report.

Education Committee: Mrs. Sue Kresge – No report.

Finance Committee: Mr. Norm Burger – Mr. Burger stated that the Committee met on Tuesday and are continuing to work on ways to reduce the deficit. He said that outstanding contracts need to be resolved; however, seem to be moving in the right direction.

Athletic Committee: Ms. Teresa Greggo – No report.
Mrs. Jecker stated that as of June 15th officers of the All Sports Club are all leaving and that the Club needs help in order to support our students. She said a flyer is on the District website, as well as the by-laws outlining what each position requires and what the duties are. Ms. Greggo stated that these officers hold their positions until June 14th. The flyer can be found on the District website, District Facebook page, and a ConnectEd call was sent out to parents of 7th – 12th graders.

Policy Committee: – Mrs. Diane Serfass – No report.

West End Park and Open Space Commission: Ms. Melanie Zipp – No report.

SUPERINTENDENT-REPORT/REQUESTS: Dr. James R. Konrad

Mr. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mrs. Zipp to approve Agenda item #6.A. – Superintendent Items:

Approval of Agenda item #6.B. – Final Reading of Policies:

- Policy 221 Dress and Grooming

This policy would go into effect April 1, 2022.

Approval of Agenda item #6.C. – Extension to Homebound Instruction (Per Board policy, re-evaluation will be done in ninety (90) days if needed.)

Pleasant Valley Elementary School:

Student # HB01062204-E

Reason: Medical, retroactive to 01/06/2022, originally approved at the 1/13/2022 Board Meeting

Approval of Agenda item #6.D. – Agreement of Expulsion for Student #E03022215-H.

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #6.E. – The March Enrollment Report was provided for informational purposes.

ADDENDUM – SUPERINTENDENT REPORT/REQUESTS: Dr. James Konrad

Agenda item #7.A. – Informational – First Reading of Policies:

1. Policy 113 Special Education
2. Policy 200 Enrollment of Students

Dr. Konrad stated that Policy #221 Dress and Grooming, will go into effect on Friday, April 1st which eliminates the standardized dress code. He said guidelines can be found on website.

HUMAN RESOURCES: Dr. Rae Lin Howard

Mrs. Serfass motioned, seconded by Ms. Greggo to approve Agenda item #8.A. (#8.B. through #8.D. and Agenda item #8.F. through #8.K.) - Personnel Items:

Approval of Agenda item #8.B. – Hiring of Professional Staff Long Term Substitute (pending receipt of required paperwork):

1.	Name:	Zoe Attinello
	Position:	Kindergarten Teacher

Building:	PVES
Education Level:	BS: Early Childhood Education
Undergraduate School:	East Stroudsburg University
Certificate:	Instructional I: Grades PK-4
Experience:	2021 – present: Pleasant Valley School District, Substitute Teacher
Salary:	B, Step 1: \$45,067 (prorated)
Effective Date:	March 15, 2022 – end of 2021-2022 school year

Approval of Agenda item #8.C. – Supplemental Contracts: Athletic Non-Coaching (pending receipt of required paperwork):

Appointment herein and the District’s obligation to pay the coaches and supplemental positions approved in this motion(s) is subject to the District's ability to hold and/or participate in the activity in light of the COVID-19 Crisis. In the event (1) the District is closed or providing modified services, (2) unable to hold the activity as the result of direction from outside agencies such as PDE, PIAA, the CDC, the Governor’s Office, District XI, etc., or (3) the Administration determines not to hold such activities for the safety of the students and community, the District shall have no obligation to pay athletic and non-athletic contracts appointed herein. In the event sports and/or activities are reduced, the athletic and non-athletic contracts approved herein shall be paid a pro-rata amount of the stipends herein based on the percentage of the season/activity that was held and students participated. The decision to cancel and/or discontinue the activities or sports season shall be at the exclusive discretion of the administration based, in part, on guidance from the Center for Disease Control, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, other health agencies, and student participation in such activities.

	Name	Position	Salary
1.	Augie Kresge	Spring Event Manager	\$610.41

Approval of Agenda item #8.D. – Athletic Volunteers:

	Name	Sport
1.	Trevor Knappenberger	Baseball
2.	Christian Constantinou	Baseball
3.	Dallas Greenzweig	Baseball
4.	Maria Lacatena	Softball

Approval of Agenda item #8.F. - Family and Medical Leave:

1.	Employee ID:	218
	Position:	Paraprofessional Associate
	Building:	PVMS
	Number of Days:	Ten (10)
	Dates:	March 7, 2022 – March 18, 2022
2.	Employee ID:	138
	Position:	Teacher
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	Four (4)
	Dates:	March 8, 2022 – March 11, 2022
3.	Employee ID:	3372
	Position:	Teacher
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	One (1)
	Dates:	March 3, 2022
4.	Employee ID:	1855
	Position:	Teacher
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	One (1)
	Dates:	February 22, 2022

Approval of Agenda item #8.G. – Leave Without Pay:

1.	Name:	Deb Hvasta
	Position:	Monitor
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	One (1)
	Dates:	March 4, 2022
2.	Name:	Lynn Palmese
	Position:	Food Service Employee

	Building:	PVIS
	Number of Days:	One (1)
	Dates:	March 10, 2022
3.	Name:	Dee Walsh
	Position:	Monitor
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	Two (2)
	Dates:	March 1, 2022 - March 2, 2022

Approval of Agenda item #8.H. – Retirement Incentive: PVEA 2022:

	Name	Position	Building
1.	Cynthia Bartoli	1 st Grade	PVES
2.	Daniel Beck	Special Education	PVHS
3.	Karen Behmke	Special Education	PVHS
4.	Scott Castone	Business Education	PVHS
5.	Kathleen Dekmar	Reading	PVMS
6.	Timothy Ernest	Science	PVHS
7.	Anne Frohnheiser	Reading	PVES
8.	Caroline Gold	Science	PVHS
9.	Amy Hafferty	Music	PVMS
10.	Carla Karpinski	Music	PVMS
11.	Sandi Kapszyk	Instructional Support	PVES
12.	Melissa Lambert	Guidance Counselor	PVHS
13.	Catherine Lauchnor	2 nd Grade	PVES
14.	Kristen Matweecha	Special Education	PVHS
15.	Deborah Olah	Special Education	PVES
16.	Ann Parham	Gifted	PVHS
17.	Carol Patterson	Spanish	PVHS
18.	Paulette Percey	Reading	PVES
19.	Kimberly Sautter	Special Education	PVES
20.	Bobbi Shupp	Information Processing	PVMS
21.	Susan Squindo	Math	PVMS

Approval of Agenda item #8.I. – Retirements:

	Name	Position	Building	Effective Date
1.	Jane Fisher	Secretary	PVMS	April 22, 2022
2.	Shelley Kotulka	Teacher	PVIS	Conclusion of the 2021-2022 school year

Approval of Agenda item #8.J. – Resignations:

	Name	Position	Building	Effective Date
1.	Adam Bastidas	Boys Soccer Head Coach	N/A	March 1, 2022
2.	Theresa Dinunzi	Substitute Monitor and Substitute Paraprofessional Associate	N/A	March 8, 2022
3.	Debra Hvasta	Substitute Monitor	N/A	March 4, 2022

Approval of Agenda item #8.K. – Rescind Hiring Due to Lack of Required Paperwork:

	ID #	Position	Building
1.	20220324-1	Food Service Employee	PVMS

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

Abstained on Agenda item #8.C.1.: Mr. Kresge 7-0-1 CARRIED (Abstention form attached)

ADDENDUM – HUMAN RESOURCES: Dr. Rae Lin Howard

Mr. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mrs. Zipp to approve Addendum item #9.A. – Personnel Addendum Items including the addition of Agenda item #9.F.:

Approval of Addendum item #9.B. – Resignation:

	Name	Position	Building	Effective Date
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1.	Patrick Luchowski	Boys Baseball Scorebook/Scorekeeper	N/A	March 16, 2022
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Approval of Addendum item #9.C. – Family and Medical Leave:

1.	Employee ID:	1855
	Position:	Teacher
	Building:	PVHS
	Number of Days:	Three (3)
	Dates:	March 3, 2022; March 8, 2022 and March 11, 2022

Approval of Addendum item #9.D. – Memorandum of Understanding – PVESPA Retirement Incentive, as provided.

Approval of Addendum item #9.F. – Change of Current Assignment:

1.	Name:	Kyle Bonser
	Current Building:	PVMS
	Current Position:	Health and Physical Education Teacher
	New Position:	Director of Athletics and Activities
	Salary:	\$84,000.00
	Effective Date:	March 28, 2022

Mr. Kresge amended the motion, seconded by Mrs. Zipp for approval of Addendum item #9.E., not #9.F.:

Approval of Addendum item #9.E. – Change of Current Assignment:

1.	Name:	Kyle Bonser
	Current Building:	PVMS
	Current Position:	Health and Physical Education Teacher
	New Position:	Director of Athletics and Activities
	Salary:	\$84,000.00
	Effective Date:	March 28, 2022

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

CURRICULUM/STAFF DEVELOPMENT: Dr. Rae Lin Howard/Dr. Susan Mowrer Benda
– No report.

SPECIAL EDUCATION: Ms. Julie Harris – No report.

OPERATIONS SERVICES: Mr. William Gasper –

Ms. Greggo motioned, seconded by Mrs. Jecker to approve Agenda item #12. – Operations items:

Approval of Agenda item #12.A. – Facility Usage Request:

A.	Organization	PVYA
	Facility Requested	PVHS Stadium, Concession Stand, Restroom
	Purpose	Youth Lacrosse Games
	Dates/Times	Sunday, April 3, 2022 Sunday, May 8, 2022 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
	Requestor	Cassi Bertoline
	Attendance	250
	Tuition	N/A
	Fee by District	Class 3- All Appropriate Fees Apply

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

BUILDING REPORTS: The March Building Reports were provided for informational purposes. PVE Principal Roger Pomposello offered condolences on the passing of Sarah Sipler, beloved teacher at PVE. PVI Principal Kendal Askins highlighted events at PVI including the PTO basket raffle held successfully as well as the Leprechaun on the Loose event. Middle School Principal Jason Van Voorhis thanked all teachers; newly formed PTO and events held; and extracurricular programs. High School Assistant Principal Jason Ayre highlighted the marching band performance at the Pocono Chamber of Commerce luncheon.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT: Mrs. Tammy Smale

Mrs. Serfass motioned, seconded by Mrs. Zipp to approve Agenda item #14.A. – Business Management Items:

Approval of Agenda item #14.B. – Cafeteria Accounts Payable for March 24, 2022, per attached.

Approval of Agenda item #14.C. – Payment from the 2018 Bond Fund as per attached - \$3,992.00.

Approval of Agenda item #14.D. – Rescind Approval of Agenda Item #14.B.1 dated November 18, 2021 - Four Diamonds Mini-Thon Partnership Agreement for PVHS Mini-THON event on 5/07/2022 5pm-10pm

Approval of Agenda item #14.E. - The following contracts:

1. Four Diamonds Mini-Thon Partnership Agreement for PVHS Mini-THON event on 05/07/2022 at 7pm - 05/08/2022 at 7am
2. All-American Publishing - Sport Poster Agreement with 15% Rebate from sponsors Terms: Fall Sport Season 2022 - Spring Sport Season 2025. No cost to district.

Approval of Agenda item #14.F. – 2022-2023 Fall Athletic Supplies and Equipment Bid: The following bid awards are recommended. A breakdown by sport was provided.

BSN Sports.....\$5,298.15
Medco.....\$3,018.14
Pyramid School Products.....\$880.68
Riddell/All American.....\$10,152.20
Scholastic Sports Sales.....\$2,839.80
Sportsmans.....\$21,326.33
Triple Crown Sports.....\$9,591.00

Total 2022-2023 Fall Athletics Supplies & Equipment Bid \$53,106.30.

Approval of Agenda item #14.G. – Settlement Agreement and Release 110948.

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #14.H. – Informational – Purchase using St. Luke’s District Sport Facility Sponsorship: Purchase from FITHQ for replacement pads for Middle School Fitness Room equipment - Total Cost \$1,350.00.

Agenda item #14.I. – Informational: Student Fundraiser Report.

Agenda item #14.J. – Informational: District Investment Report.

ADDENDUM – BUSINESS MANAGEMENT: Mrs. Tammy Smale

Mr. Burger motioned, seconded by Mrs. Jecker to approve Agenda item #15.A. – Business Management Addendum Items:

Approval of Addendum item #15.B. – The following contract:

1. NEXT Up Transition Curriculum Inc - Cost: \$3,000.00 Contract Terms: 9/1/2022 - 8/31/2023

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

SOLICITOR: Mark Fitzgerald, Esq. – Mr. Fitzgerald stated that the Board originally amended the Agenda to include Addendum item #9.F. – Change to Current Assignment. He suggested that an amendment be made to the agenda to reflect the addition of Addendum item #9.E. which is what was voted on.

Mrs. Jecker motioned, seconded by Mr. Galler to amend the original motion to reflect the addition of Addendum #9.E. – Change to Current Assignment.

VOICE VOTE: 8-0 CARRIED

Mrs. Jecker motioned, seconded by Ms. Greggo to approve Addendum item #9.E. – Change of Current Assignment: Hiring of Kyle Bonser as Director of Athletics and Activities at a salary of \$84,000.00 effective March 28, 2022.

ROLL CALL: 8-0 CARRIED

PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DIRECTORS:

Mrs. Kresge thanked Mrs. Zipp for the baskets she put together for the PVI PTO raffle.

Ms. Greggo wished Mr. Toth, Athletic Director, the best of luck and thanked him for all he has done for PV. She also welcomed Mr. Kyle Bonser to his new position. Ms. Greggo questioned Mr. Van Voorhis about following up with Senator Scavello regarding the sound system at the middle school. Ms. Greggo commended Mr. and Mrs. Mulligan, Mr. and Mrs. Morris and the entire crew for the success of the play.

Mr. Galler acknowledged all of the HOSA students going to Valley Forge for the state competition next week and wished them best of luck in future competitions.

Mrs. Kresge announced that support staff negotiations will begin on March 31st.

PLEASANT VALLEY CITIZENS – Agenda items/Non-Agenda items:

Leia Leuthardt, Chestnuthill Township, expressed her concern and opinion about curriculum in our schools.

MaryEllen Altman, Chestnuthill Township, expressed concern about graduation requirements.

Desiree Murray, Chestnuthill Township, expressed condolences for the passing of Sarah Sipler. She expressed concern about student to teacher ratio; support staff; staff furloughs.

Mercedes Reed, Chestnuthill Township, expressed her concerns and opinions about a subcommittee being formed for the community; changes in the dress code.

Kelly Patrice, Polk Township, expressed her opinion about decisions made on the dress code; standardized tests; mental and emotional health; support for paraprofessionals.

Richanna Russ, Eldred Township, expressed success of PTO; opinion about dress code; furloughs; realignment of grade levels and concern about sports participation.

End of public comment.

Ms. Greggo offered clarification about 6th grade participation in sports as a result of the proposed grade level realignment and stated that PIAA is 7th grade and up and that the 6th grade will not be included in the sports programs.

Dr. Konrad stated that the National School Lunch Program state review was successfully completed and passed with no findings and he congratulated Food Services Director Beverly Hendricks and Administrative Assistant Augie Kresge. Dr. Konrad thanked Mrs. Hinton, Mrs. DeVivo, Ms. Voulo for his and Dr. Howard's participation in the Life Skills Students event Lettuce Taco 'bout. In addition, he thanked Mrs. Jarrow for the invitation to visit her students at the elementary school. He thanked Mr. DeVivo and the high school band for their performance at the Pocono Chamber of Commerce luncheon. Lastly, Dr. Konrad thanked Dr. Howard, Dr. Mowrer Benda, Ms. Hopely, Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. O'Rourke and all volunteers from FBLA who assisted at the senior citizens' pastries and coffee event prior to the matinee showing of the High School Musical. He recognized the MCTI Culinary students who baked brownies and cookies for the occasion and thanked Mr. Mulligan, Mr. Morris and all of the student performers for helping to make this event happen.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Board, Mr. Galler motioned, seconded by Ms. Greggo to adjourn the meeting at 8:51 PM.

CARRIED

Respectfully submitted,

Tammy Smale, Board Secretary

Debra L. Duff, Board Recorder

Next regularly scheduled Board of Education meeting:
April 7, 2022 @ 7:00 PM