

# PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Brodheadsville, PA 18322

Minutes of the November 8, 2018 Board of Education Meeting

**Board Approved 12-6-18**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Pleasant Valley School District Board of Education was held on November 8, 2018 and called to order by President Len Peeters, at 7:01 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Ms. Kelli George, followed by a moment of silence. The meeting was held in the Administrative Offices, 2233 Route 115, Brodheadsville, PA 18322.

**Roll Call – School Board Recorder:** Ms. Debra Duff

**School Board members in attendance:** Len Peeters, President, Sue Kresge, Vice President, Kenneth Cocuzzo, Treasurer, Delbert Zacharias, Dan Wunder, Donna Yozwiak, Laura Jecker. Absent: Bob Serfass, Russell Gould.

**Administrative staff in attendance:** David Piperato, Superintendent, Ken Newman, Assistant to the Superintendent, John Burrus, Director of Human Resources, Susan Famularo, Business Manager, Stacy Stair, Administrative Assistant to the Business Manager, Marcia Taylor, Accountant, Lee Lesisko, Director of Technology, Susan Mowrer Benda, Director of Curriculum & Instruction, Shavonne Liddic, Mathematics Supervisor, Lori Hagerman, Reading Supervisor, Travis Serfass, Director of Buildings & Grounds.

**Building Administrative staff in attendance:** Matt Triolo, Kelli George, David Sodl, Josephine Fields, Todd Breiner, Roger Pomposello, Sabrina Albright.

**School Solicitor in attendance:** Mark Fitzgerald, Esq.

**Student Government Representative in attendance:** Ms. Riley Hughes

**Notification of Executive Session:** Mr. Peeters announced that an executive session was held on November 8, 2018 immediately prior to the regularly scheduled meeting for purposes of personnel matters including, but not limited to, performance and/or discipline; negotiations; and legal issues.

President Len Peeters announced the meeting procedures which were attached to the agenda and welcomed those present.

**Pleasant Valley Citizens:**

Mr. Dave Weinman, Chestnuthill Township, questioned if the District is continuing to pay an administrator on administrative leave. He expressed concern about the burden on taxpayers. Solicitor Mark Fitzgerald stated that the Board cannot answer questions relating to personnel matters.

**SECRETARY’S REPORT: Ms. Susan Famularo, Board Secretary**

Ms. Yozwiak motioned, seconded by Ms. Jecker to approve the minutes of the Board of Education meeting held on October 25, 2018.

VOICE VOTE: CARRIED

**TREASURER’S REPORT: Mr. Ken Cocuzzo**

Ms. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mr. Zacharias to approve Agenda item #3.A. – Accounts Payable, as attached:

Approval of #3.B. Accounts Payable – Manual checks October 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018

Approval of #3.C. Accounts Payable – Manual checks PSDLAF October 1, 2018 to October 31, 2018

Approval of #3.D. Accounts Payable – November 8, 2018

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

Abstained on Agenda item #3.D. Check No. 00222589: Mr. Cocuzzo 6-0-1 CARRIED; Check No. 00222611: Mr. Peeters 6-0-1 CARRIED; Check No. 00222658: Ms. Yozwiak 6-0-1 CARRIED; Check No. 00222589: Ms. Kresge 6-0-1 CARRIED (Abstention Forms Attached)

Ms. Jecker motioned, seconded by Mr. Wunder to approve Agenda item #3.E. – Financial Statements for October 2018 as attached:

Approval of #3.F. Trial Balance/Financial Statement October 2018

Approval of #3.G. Asset Cost Summary October 2018

Approval of #3.H. Condensed Board Summary/Expenditures and Revenues October 2018.

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #3.I. - The Accounts Payable approved at the October 25, 2018 Board meeting was attached to the agenda for informational purposes.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

**Solicitor: Mark Fitzgerald, Esq.** – No report.

### **Other:**

Ms. Yozwiak stated that at the last meeting, Dr. Susan Mowrer-Benda and her team provided a comprehensive and concise presentation and a recommendation to begin all-day Kindergarten for next year.

Ms. Yozwiak motioned, seconded by Ms. Jecker to approve Pleasant Valley School District beginning an all-day Kindergarten program beginning with the 2019-2020 school year.

Prior to the roll call vote, President Peeters offered the Pleasant Valley Citizens and Board members the opportunity to comment. No Pleasant Valley Citizens commented. Ms. Jecker, Ms. Yozwiak, Mr. Peeters, Mr. Cocuzzo, Mr. Wunder, and Ms. Kresge all offered positive comments in support of an all-day Kindergarten program based on the importance, value to students and teachers, research, and budget numbers provided by Ms. Famularo.

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

Mr. Peeters and Ms. Jecker also questioned the budget impact for remedial math and reading teachers which Mr. Piperato clarified is in the budget plan.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**Monroe Career & Technical Institute: Ms. Donna Yozwiak** – Ms. Yozwiak reported on the meeting held on November 5, 2018:

- HVAC Controls Renovation and Generator Replacement Project have been approved.
- Carbon-Monroe-Pike Drug and Alcohol Commission will once again provide classroom instruction to the 9<sup>th</sup> graders.
- Chapter 339 Guidance Plan Outline was approved.
- Both the Cafeteria Egress and Welding Projects came in under bid saving more than \$300,000 – \$19,426 on the cafeteria ramp and \$284,183 on the welding project as a result of a grant.
- A lengthy discussion about the possibility of a full-time career and comprehensive school occurred. The continued concern deals with its funding and when final amounts will be determined.
- Career Exploration Night for any 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> graders interested in attending MCTI is set for Tuesday, November 13, 5-6:15 p.m. at MCTI.
- The National Technical Honor Society Induction Ceremony will be held on Thursday, November 29<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.
- In order to promote a healthier school environment, MCTI students have started Aavidum Heroes Initiative to acknowledge individuals who are committed to making the school a better and healthier place. In addition, students are promoting Mindful Mondays and distribute cards with a weekly positive quote. The quote is displayed on MCTI Facebook page, on building TVs, and on student announcements.
- Pleasant Valley MCTI enrollment is 197 students which is 90% of our quota.
- Discussion was held concerning JOC members' terms concluding including that of Mr. Cocuzzo. Mr. Cocuzzo expressed his desire to continue to serve on the JOC.

Ms. Yozwiak stated that the next JOC Meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.

**Colonial IU #20: Mr. Daniel Wunder** – Mr. Wunder stated that he was not in attendance at the meeting; however, provided the Board with a written report for the October 24, 2018 meeting. He outlined the routine business held and of note to Pleasant Valley, reported the following:

- Job Status Change – Edgardo DeJesus from Mental Health Worker to Full-Time Mental Health Treatment Specialist in the Partial Hospitalization Program and Pleasant Valley High School.
- Replacement of Dr. Brennan as Executive Director at the IU is ongoing. The IU is in the process of hiring Dr. Charles Amuso to head the search process. The first round of interviews for which Mr. Wunder and other IU members will be a part of, are expected to be held on December 10<sup>th</sup>.
- PA Schools Work, a coalition of education advocates working to increase the state's share in education funding, is holding regional Summits around the Commonwealth on November 17<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Wunder has further information for anyone interested in attending. Although Mr. Wunder cannot attend the Summit, he encouraged other Board members to attend.

Mr. Wunder provided a copy of *The Twenty* newsletter and the IU 20 Student Services brochure.

**PSBA Legislative Liaison Report: Ms. Susan Kresge** – No report.

**Curriculum Committee: Ms. Susan Kresge/Ms. Donna Yozwiak** – No report.

**Finance Committee: Mr. Peeters** – Mr. Peeters stated that the next meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Athletic Committee:** – No report.

**Property Committee: Mr. Ken Cocuzzo** – Mr. Cocuzzo stated that the next meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Policy Committee: Ms. Donna Yozwiak** – Ms. Yozwiak stated that she has been in touch with PSBA and has received all of the policies that need to be considered for review. She said that she will meet with Dr. Burrus and a Policy Committee meeting will be scheduled in the near future.

**Student Government Representative: Ms. Riley Hughes** – Ms. Hughes reported on events and activities:

- Two FBLA members, Sophomores, Jaxon Haven and Tyler Moore, have published articles in the PA FBLA Magazine.
- FBLA members attended the PA FBLA State Leadership Workshop.
- Senior Logan Mackes was awarded a four-year Army ROTC scholarship.
- Little Bears, a free program where child development students plan activities to ensure a fun and learning experience, will be starting November 15<sup>th</sup>.
- MCTI Career Exploration Night for students and parents is scheduled for November 13<sup>th</sup>.
- The Class of 2019 is hosting a movie night to view Polar Express.
- Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled for November 13<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>.
- The Monroe-Pike County Chorus event was a wonderful night.
- The boys' and girls' soccer teams are planning to have a tribute game for Schyler Herman with funds being donated to the Herman family.
- The senior panoramic photo will be taken on November 14<sup>th</sup>.
- The performance of *You Can't Take it With You* will be performed next Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
- A dress down day will be held tomorrow in honor of Veterans Day.

**SUPERINTENDENT-REPORT/REQUESTS: Mr. David Piperato**

Agenda item #6.A. – The Enrollment Report for November 2018 was attached for informational purposes.

Agenda item #6.B. – Potential Substitute Solutions – Mr. Piperato addressed the issue of the shortage of substitutes in the District and strategies taken to attract substitutes including raising pay. Dr. Burrus stated that more aggressive advertising efforts for substitutes not only for teachers, but for support staff, have taken place including on our web site, newspapers, and through Indeed. He stated that PSERS has approved Pleasant Valley to use retirees as day-to-day substitutes. Dr. Burrus stated that he will participate in the IU Teacher Training Program on January 3, 2019 and he outlined the process for teachers receiving emergency certificates. In addition, Dr. Burrus said that Act 86 now allows students who are enrolled in PA colleges and universities who are education majors to substitute 20 days over one year and renew for a second year. He stated that he will be presenting at ESU for students with at least 60 credits on how to become a successful substitute and interviews will be held at ESU. Dr. Burrus also stated that a two-day Emergency Substitute Program has been created beginning in January and will be advertised next week. In addition, an email will be sent to staff requesting knowledge of

any students in a PA school with 60 credits who may be interested in substituting including support staff. In answer to Ms. Yozwiak’s question, Dr. Burrus stated that these hours will not be counted as student teaching hours.

Mr. Piperato stated that in looking at next year’s calendar, he will propose four half Act 80 days for students in order to allow for staff development. He said the four half days would be spread out over the course of the year proposing three of the four in the first semester. The proposed calendar will be presented to the Board in the near future. Ms. Kresge questioned the effect on MCTI students and discussion was held. Mr. Piperato also recommended that the Board consider hiring a building substitute for each building as a contracted position with benefits. He asked Ms. Famularo to provide numbers for the Board’s consideration.

Agenda item #6.C. – Administrative Realignment – Mr. Piperato provided a PowerPoint presentation regarding an organizational restructuring at the cabinet level. He provided the current structure and the proposed restructure models and outlined job title changes and responsibilities. The Board was provided a copy of a draft Administrative Organizational Chart. He asked that the Board consider this proposal and will revisit it in December. Discussion was held about all positions with regard to credentials and additional responsibilities, supervision roles, among other things. Dr. Burrus provided copies of job descriptions to the Board.

Agenda item #6.D. – Governance Workshop – Solicitor Mark Fitzgerald provided a description of what a governance workshop for the Board would include. He stated that in such a setting he would provide the Board guidance with regard to a number of legal obligations including Right to Know issues, Sunshine Act issues, State Ethics issues and general overall governance issues. He stated it would be an instructional and proactive workshop and he will be looking at dates for the workshop.

Agenda item #6.E. – Five-Year Planning Meeting – Mr. Piperato asked the Board to determine a date for the Five-Year Planning Meeting. Discussion was held and it was agreed that the meeting will be held immediately following the Buildings & Grounds Meeting on Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>.

**HUMAN RESOURCES: Dr. John T. Burrus**

Mr. Wunder motioned, seconded by Ms. Kresge to approve agenda item #7.A. – Personnel Items as follows:

Approval of Agenda item #7.B. – Hiring of Professional Staff Substitutes:

1.	Name:	Victor Golat
	Education Level:	BS: Comprehensive Social Studies MS: Education
	Undergraduate School:	Widener University
	Graduate School:	Wagner College
	Certificate:	Comprehensive Social Studies
	Experience:	1979-1980: Wagner College, Adjunct Professor 1975-1979: Essex Catholic High School, Teacher 1972-1975: St. Sylvester’s, Teacher 1971-1972: Msgr. Pace High School, Teacher
	Salary:	\$110 per diem
	Effective Date:	TBD

Approval of Agenda item #7.C. – Hiring of Support Staff:

	Name	Position	Building	Salary	Effective Date	Replace
1.	Diane Caretta	Monitor	PVHS	\$9.89 per hour	TBD	Barbara Bard

Approval of Agenda item #7.D. – Hiring of Support Staff Substitutes:

	Name	Position	Salary	Effective Date
1.	Christopher Henry	Paraprofessional Associate	\$82.50 per diem	TBD
2.	Jonni Murphy	Custodian	\$10.38 per hour	TBD
3.	Lizbeth Rivera	Paraprofessional Associate	\$82.50 per diem	TBD

Approval of Agenda item #7.E. – Hiring of Casual Security Officer:

	Name	Position	Salary	Effective Date
1.	Felix Gonzalez	Casual Security	\$13.74/hr.	TBA

Approval of Agenda item #7.F. – Change to Current Assignment:

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Current Position</b>	<b>Current Building</b>	<b>New Position</b>	<b>New Building</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
1.	Bryan Kohberger	Casual Security Officer	District	Part-Time Security Officer	District	November 1, 2018
2.	Tyler Martinez	Casual Security Officer	District	Part-Time Security Officer	District	November 1, 2018
3.	MaryAnne Peleschak	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVIS	Paraprofessional Associate (FT)	PVIS	November 12, 2018

Approval of Agenda item #7.G. – Family and Medical Leave:

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Building</b>	<b>Number of Days</b>	<b>Dates</b>
1.	Carol Garcia	Paraprofessional Associate (FT)	PVES	Five (5)	October 22, 2018 – October 26, 2018
2.	Curt Gower	Custodian	PVIS	Sixty (60)	September 27, 2018 – December 23, 2018
3.	Adrienne Keefer	Teacher	PVES	Twenty (20)	November 21, 2018 – December 21, 2018
4.	Augie Kresge	Secretary	PVHS	Three (3)	October 2, 2018 – October 4, 2018
5.	Karl Rentzheimer	Teacher	PVHS	Four (4)	October 24, 2018 – October 29, 2018
6.	Kenneth Titus	Custodian	PVMS	Sixty (60)	November 14, 2018 – February 12, 2019
7.	Julie Tonkay	Teacher	PVHS	Fifteen (15)	October 29, 2018 – November 16, 2018

Approval of Agenda item #7.H. – Leaves Without Pay:

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Building</b>	<b>Number of Days</b>	<b>Dates</b>
1.	Chelsea Buck	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVIS	Five (5)	November 1, 2018 – November 7, 2018
2.	Viviana Castillo	Monitor	PVMS	One (1)	November 20, 2018
3.	Joann Gantt	Monitor	PVIS	One (1)	October 25, 2018
4.	Diana Graziano	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVES	Two (2)	October 8, 2018 and October 12, 2018
5.	Kate Harkins	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVIS	Two (2)	August 21, 2018 – August 22, 2018
6.	Wendy Heller	Monitor	PVES	Seven (7)	December 6, 2018 – December 14, 2018
7.	Valerie Kaye	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVMS	Five (5)	October 24, 2018 – October 30, 2018
8.	Johnna Kresge	Monitor	PVES	Four (4)	October 24, 2018 – October 29, 2018
9.	April Murray	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVIS	One (1)	October 26, 2018
10.	Jeneen Reitano	Secretary	PVIS	Two (2)	November 5, 2018 – November 6, 2018

Approval of Agenda item #7.I. – Terminations:

Failure to respond to Reasonable Assurance Notice after multiple attempts:

1. Employee #4173
2. Employee #4418
3. Employee #4509

Failure to respond to multiple Job Abandonment letters:

1. Employee #4133
2. Employee #4125
3. Employee #4318
4. Employee #2821

Approval of Agenda item #7.J. – Resignations:

	<b>Name</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Building</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>
1.	Simona Babu	Substitute Teacher	N/A	October 27, 2018
2.	Elizabeth Balser	Substitute Teacher	N/A	October 26, 2018
3.	Jennifer Baker	Substitute Teacher	N/A	October 22, 2018
4.	Olga Blahy	Substitute Teacher	N/A	October 25, 2018
5.	Kelly Frinzi	Paraprofessional Associate	PVMS	October 25, 2018

		(PT) wants to remain on substitute list		
6.	Tammy Rose	Paraprofessional Associate (PT)	PVES	October 9, 2018
7.	David Viglione	Substitute Teacher	N/A	October 9, 2018

Approval of Agenda item #7.K. – Addition to Current Assignment:

	Name	Position	Start Date
1.	Julie Harris	Cyber Graduation Project Advisor	November 12, 2018
2.	Jason Menghini	Cyber Graduation Project Advisor	November 12, 2018

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

**CURRICULUM/STAFF DEVELOPMENT: Mr. Kenneth Newman**

Approval of Agenda item #8.A. – Addendum to High School Course of Studies.

Ms. Kresge motioned, seconded by Mr. Wunder to approve the Addendum to the High School Final Exemption Policy – Course of Studies as attached.

ROLL CALL: 4-3 NOT CARRIED

Voting No: Mr. Zacharias, Ms. Yozwiak, Ms. Jecker

Approval of Agenda item #8.B. – Comprehensive Plan 2019-2022.

Mr. Newman stated that in accordance with Title 22, Chapter 4 of the PA Code, the Pleasant Valley School District convened a Central Planning Committee for the Comprehensive Plan beginning in October of 2016 consisting of parents, teachers, administrators, community members, and a member of the School Board. Mr. Newman stated that the Plan is being presented for approval for the period July 2019 through June 2022 and throughout this period progress will be reviewed and adjustments made as needed. Mr. Newman stated that the Plan has been on public display for 28 days.

Ms. Kresge motioned, seconded by Ms. Yozwiak to approve the Comprehensive Plan 2019-2022 as written and submitted by the Comprehensive Planning Committee.

ROLL CALL 7-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #8.C. – Achievement Data Report. Mr. Newman provided an informational report as gathered from the PA Department of Education website on the Pleasant Valley School District Achievement Data. The report was attached to the agenda. Mr. Newman reviewed the PSSA assessments in ELA and Mathematics for grades 3 through 8 and Science in grades 4 and 8. Keystone exam performance for PVHS was also reviewed as well as the PVAAS growth according to the PVAAS website. Mr. Newman also reviewed the points of emphasis based on 2017-2018 data.

Agenda item #8.D. – A Curriculum Department update report on the Family S.T.R.E.A.M. Night was attached to the agenda.

**SUPPORT SERVICES: Mr. David Piperato**

Ms. Kresge motioned, seconded by Ms. Jecker to approve Agenda Item #9.A. – Support Services Items, as follows:

Approval of Agenda item #9.B. – 2018-2019 Intramural Advisors:

	Club/Activity	Advisor	Co-Advisor(s)	Dates/Days	Times	Building	Stipend(s)
1.	HS Ski Club	Mark Rehrig		Jan. 2018 – March 2019 Days Vary		PVHS	Prorated based on # of hours
2.	Track & Field	Michelle Piontkowski	Drew Davis Dawn Larkin	11-12-18 to 2-21-19 M,W,Th	2:45pm to 5:30pm	PVHS	Prorated based on # of hours
3.	MS/HS Volleyball	John Gesiskie	Kathleen Gesiskie	Nov. 2018 to February 2019	5:45pm to 8:15pm	PVMS	Prorated based on # of hours

4.	Wrestling	Justin Micklos		9-18-18 to 11-1-18	3pm to 6pm	PVHS	Prorated based on # of hours - Retroactive to 9/18/18
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Approval of Agenda item #9.C. – 2018-2019 Long Term Substantial Volunteers:

	Volunteer Name	Building
1.	Faith Dorn	PVES
2.	Diana Everett	PVES

Approval of Agenda item #9.D. – 2018-2019 Winter Coaching Positions:

	Name	Sport	Position	Coaching Level	Salary
1.	Kaitlin Freeman	Girls Basketball	Freshman Assistant	L1	Per Supplemental Contract
2.	Doug Wisser	Boys Basketball	Volunteer		

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #9.E. – The Cafeteria Participation Report was provided for informational purposes.

Agenda item #9.F. – District events from November 9, 2018 through December 6, 2018 were provided for informational purposes.

**BUILDING REPORTS (Agenda item #10)**

**Pleasant Valley Intermediate School: Mr. Breiner** – An informational report was attached to the agenda. Mr. Breiner highlighted the Veterans Day celebration being held tomorrow. A breakfast will be held and veterans will be led to classrooms to speak to students. Recognition of veterans known by students will be displayed on a Wall of Honor. Mr. Breiner further reported that parent-teacher conferences will be held November 13<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Breiner recognized 11 year old 6<sup>th</sup> grade student, Daisy Sherman for being presented with The Spirit Award by the FDA in New York City in October. A video was shown where Daisy spoke about her disease of Junctional Epidermolysis Bullosa as well as a video of her acceptance speech.

**Pleasant Valley Elementary School: Mr. Pomposello** – An informational report was attached to the agenda. Mr. Pomposello thanked the Board for approving all-day Kindergarten. He spoke of touring the units of study classrooms and invited the Board to tour as well. He highlighted the Veterans Day celebration scheduled for tomorrow and invited all to attend. Mr. Pomposello stated that parent-teacher conferences will be held November 13<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Pleasant Valley Middle School: Ms. Fields** – An informational report was attached to the agenda. Ms. Fields stated that the staff will be assisting in providing twenty families with Thanksgiving meals. She highlighted the Veterans Day assembly scheduled for tomorrow and invited all to attend. Ms. Fields wished all a Happy Thanksgiving.

**Pleasant Valley High School: Mr. Triolo** – An informational report was attached to the agenda. Mr. Triolo highlighted the Veterans Day celebrations being held on Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. Two assemblies will be held honoring Veterans and Veterans from Valor House. Mr. Triolo said that the annual high school honorary award will be presented. In addition, Mr. Triolo stated that next Thursday night, a co-ed tribute soccer game will be held in honor of Schyler Herman with proceeds going to a charity of Schyler’s parent’s choice.

**BUSINESS MANAGEMENT: Ms. Susan Famularo**

Ms. Jecker motioned, seconded by Ms. Yozwiak to approve Agenda item #11.A. Business Management Items, as follows:

Approval of Agenda item #11.B. – Cafeteria Fund as was attached:

- Cafeteria Accounts Payable for November 8, 2018 – Total amount \$35,849.93
- Cafeteria Fund Asset Cost Summary – October 2018

Approval of Agenda item #11.C. – Payment from PVSD Capital Reserve to Belfor USA Group, Inc. for mold remediation (PVI) in the amount of \$977,479.84.

Approval of Agenda item #11.D. – The following contracts:

- A. Tutill Corporation t/a Blue Mountain Ski Area. No cost to the school district, each student pays his/her fees.
- B. Fundraising.com. Fundraiser sale of beef sticks for Competition costs for Pleasant Valley High School November 2, 2018 through November 21, 2018 or until sold out for Computer club.
- C. Fundraising.com. Fundraiser sale of beef jerky for Competition costs for Pleasant Valley High School November 2, 2018 through November 21, 2018 or until sold out for Computer club.
- D. Krispy Kreme Doughnuts. Fundraiser for Dance Team at Pleasant Valley High School October 15, 2018 through November 2, 2018.
- E. Stall Day, November 2, 2018. Fundraiser for Pleasant Valley Middle School Mini-THON. Students to stall the start of the school day by placing change of the teacher's desk to be counted.
- F. Holiday Grams. Fundraiser for Bear Facts at Pleasant Valley High School. Students to buy space in the paper to send holiday wishes to a peer.
- G. Barry Isett & Associates. Cost: \$6,800.00. Provide a Mechanical System Assessment of Pleasant Valley Intermediate, Pleasant Valley Elementary, and Pleasant Valley High School New Gym and Library.
- H. Leukemia Society PA FBLA State Project. District Wide Fundraiser for FBLA Walk-a-thon November 4, 2018.
- I. Yankee Candle. Fundraiser for Key Club at Pleasant Valley High School. Items to be sold by taking orders February 4, 2019 through February 22, 2019.

Approval of Agenda item #11.E. – Participation in the Northampton/Monroe/Pike County Joint Purchasing Board for the 2019-2020 school year – Paper and Janitorial Paper Supplies.

Approval of Agenda item #11.F. – Settlement Agreement and Release re A.B.

ROLL CALL: 7-0 CARRIED

Agenda item #11.G. – Informational:

- Student Activity Accounts as per attachment:
  - Beginning Balance October 1, 2018: \$243,784.83
  - Receipts: \$77,419.27
  - Expenditures: \$20,293.76
  - Ending Balance October 31, 2018: \$300,910.34
- District Investment Report for October 31, 2018

**SOLICITOR: Mark Fitzgerald, Esq.** – No report.

**PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DIRECTORS:**

Mr. Peeters made a statement addressing previous comments made by Mr. Wunder. He expressed his views on the role of a Board member making decisions which will best benefit the District. He discouraged making negative comments in public or on social media.

Ms. Kresge wished all a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mr. Wunder expressed his support of the statement made by Mr. Peeters that moving forward for the good of the students is needed.

Ms. Jecker commented about her social media page and stated that she just wants her questions answered moving forward.

Mr. Wunder praised all the accomplishments and events contained in the building reports. In particular he commended the PV Marching Band for their 3<sup>rd</sup> straight championship earning 1<sup>st</sup> place in the PA States Marching Band Championships and that he is proud to be part of a district that supports fine arts. Mr. Triolo stated that there is a clip of the competition on his Twitter account.



**PLEASANT VALLEY CITIZENS:** None.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Board, Ms. Yozwiak motioned, seconded by Ms. Jecker to adjourn the meeting at 8:50 PM.

CARRIED

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Famularo, Board Secretary

Debra L. Duff, Board Recorder

Next regularly scheduled Board of Education meeting (Organization): December 6, 2018 @  
7:00 PM