Tewksbury Township Board of Education
173 Old Turnpike Road
Califon, NJ 07830

BOARD MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2012

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE TEWKSBURY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL BEGIN AT 7:00 PM IN THE LIBRARY OF THE OLD TURNPIKE SCHOOL ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2012.

1. SUNSHINE ANNOUNCEMENT
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. ROLL CALL
4. PRESENTATION
5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
    - August 22, 2012 Regular Meeting
6. AUDIENCE
7. CORRESPONDENCE
8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. **PERSONNEL**
Motions to:

P1. Approve Kelly Cullen for one additional hour per day for school year 2012-2013 from August 29, 2012 through June 30, 2013 at MA+30 Step 10, $49.33 per hour.

P2. Approve the following 2012-2013 Non-Athletic Honoraria positions:

- Student Council Moderator (shared - 30 sessions split)
    - Samantha Tennick
    - Brittany Elder
- Fairview Lake Coordinator
    - Samantha Tennick (16 sessions)
- Odyssey of the Mind (shared - 81 session split)
    - Regina Destefano
    - Patty Mauriello
- Intervention and Referral Service Committee:

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- Guidance Counselor
    - Mary Cutri-French
- School Nurse
    - Kelly Cullen
- Regular Education Teacher
    - Scott Steinman/Yahna Fiscarelli – shared position
- Special Education Teacher
    - Megan Sass
- Child Study Team Representative
    - Connie Feinsod

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- Guidance Counselor
    - Sheila Donovan

- School Nurse
  - Judi Piccolo-Torsky
- Regular Education Teacher
  - Camille Bristow/Gail Grube – shared position
- Special Education Teacher
  - Brenda Votta
- Child Study Team Representative
  - Megan Verderamo

P3. Approve the following 2012-2013 Athletic Honoraria positions:

- Boys Basketball
  - Head Coach
    - Peter Berg
- Girls Basketball
  - Head Coach (shared)
    - Patty Aanonsen
    - Brittany Elder

P4. Approve the following substitutes for the 2012-2013 school year:

- Gina Fernandes
- Marcy Braco
- Nancy Sutor

P5. Approve Karen Hopkins as a Special Education Teacher for the 2012-2013 school year beginning September 17, 2012 to June 30, 2013 at MA +15 Step 3, $59,403 pro rated. The Interim Superintendent was authorized to hire additional personnel as needed during the 2012-2013 school year as approved at the June 27, 2012 BOE meeting.

P6. Approve emergent hire for Karen Hopkins.

Discussion

B. **FINANCE**

Motions to:

F1. Approve the list of bills dated September 20, 2012 in the amount of $745,606.34.

F2. Motion to accept dictionaries for the 3rd grade class from Telcordia Pioneers: approximate value $125.

F3. Motion to approve travel requests:

J Wadler	Art Educatorss NJ Conf	$160 + mileage
C Feinsod	Role of Educator – Identifying Child Abuse	Mileage
J Gamble	Tenure reform-staff Accountability	$147 + mileage
K Laraway	Student Transportation	$50 + mileage
S Stecker	Social Cognitive Disorders	$90 + mileage
C Moran	Intl Dsylexia Conf	$290 + mileage

Discussion

C. **CURRICULUM**
Motions to:
Discussion

D. **FACILITIES**
Motions to:
Discussion

E. **NEGOTIATIONS**
Motion
Discussion

F. **POLICY**
Motions to:

PO1. Approve on first reading Policy #5200 – Attendance

PO2. Approve on first reading Policy #5517 - Interdistrict Public School Choice

Discussion

G. **TECHNOLOGY**
Motion
Discussion

H. **SEARCH /COMMUNICATIONS**
Motion
Discussion

9. BOARD SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT
Motion
Discussion

10. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Motions to:

S1. Approve the following class trips for the 2012-2013 school year:
- Grade 8 to Clinton Twp School, Clinton NJ
- PreK to Whittemore Wildlife Sanctuary, Oldwick NJ
- Kdg to Melick's Apple Orchard, Oldwick NJ
- PreK to West Portal Pumpkin Farm, Asbury NJ
- Grade 8 to Washington DC
- Grade 4 to RVCC, Branchburg NJ
- Grade 2 to Hunterdon Cnty Park, Teetertown, Lebanon Twp NJ

S2. Approve up to three students in the fall of 2012 and up to three students in the spring of 2013 from the College of St. Elizabeth participating in the ACT 3, or preschool to grade three, certification program to complete field observation hours at Tewksbury Elementary School.

S3. Approve the September 2012 School Bus Evacuation Drill reports.

Discussion

11. LEGISLATIVE REVIEW
12. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
13. NEW BUSINESS
14. AUDIENCE
15. ADJOURNMENT
16. BOARD OF EDUCATION GOALS

The next Regular Meeting of the Tewksbury Township Board of Education is Tuesday, October 30, 2012.