

**Minutes of the
KUTZTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board of Directors Meeting
Monday, May 2, 2022
7:30 p.m.**

The Board of Directors of Kutztown Area School District met for a workshop board meeting on Monday, May 2, 2022, at 7:30 p.m., in the Middle School Commons and via Zoom, pursuant to due notice to board members and the public.

Present Michelle Batz, Randy Burch, Alan Darion (remotely), Erin Engel, Michael Hess, Caecilia Holt, Jason Koch, Jeremiah Light, Dennis Ritter, Cooper Dunn-Student Representative

Absent

Also Present Christian Temchatin, James Macuso, Esq., Steven Leever, Rikki DeVough, Dave Miller, Ed Myers, Melissa Devlin, Deb Barnes, Barry Flicker, Jim Brown, Richard Laubenstein, Jeff Huffert, Jackie Bridges, Steve Morris, Dan Wismer

Call to Order The meeting was called to order at 7:31 p.m. by President Burch.

Welcome President Burch opened the meeting with a moment of silence and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. He requested that anyone wishing to speak on an agenda item please use the raise his/her hand feature to be recognized. He indicated that this meeting was being recorded and there was an Executive Session held prior to the meeting to discuss personnel and legal matters.

Approval of Minutes Motion made by Michael Hess, seconded by Caecilia Holt, to approve the Minutes of the April 19, 2022 School Board Meeting and the April 25, 2022 Budget/Finance Committee Meeting.

Roll call vote: Yes 7 No 0 NA 2 (Darion, Ritter) Absent 0
Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report Tri-State DisAbility Art Show
Kutztown FFA Banquet
Oratorical Competition
Science Olympiad
Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week

Student Rep Report Mr. Dunn reported AP testing began today and finals are upcoming.

Personnel Motion made by Dennis Ritter, seconded by Michael Hess, to approve the following personnel items:

1. The approval of employee #1771 to take a Family Medical Leave (FMLA) commencing approximately August 16, 2022, and returning on approximately October 24, 2022.
2. The approval of employee #91 to take a Family Medical Leave (FMLA) commencing April 6 2022 and returning on approximately August 16, 2022.
3. The approval of aide/paraeducator Katelyn Martin as substitute teacher for the 2021-2022 school year at a rate of \$110 per day for days 1-20 and \$120 per day for days 21 and thereafter, effective April 20, 2022.
4. The approval of John Seitzinger as a part time flexible custodian at a rate of \$17.36 per hour, effective May 3, 2022.
5. The approval of Jessica O'Neil as a part time flexible custodian at a rate of \$16.43 per hour, effective May 3, 2022.
6. The approval of Lexi Meckes as a part time flexible custodian at a rate of \$15.50 per hour, effective May 3, 2022.
7. The approval of the following coaches and stipends for the 2021-2022 school year:

Annie Schnore	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Cathleen Brown	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Danielle Tackash	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Rebecca Rager	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Don Rager	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Jason Allen Miller	Odyssey of the Mind	VOLUNTEER
Danielle Berger (amended)	Unified Bocce (Special Olympics)	\$500
Erin Tenney (amended)	Unified Bocce (Special Olympics)	\$500

Personnel is Approved Pending Receipt of All Mandated Credentials

Roll call vote: Yes 9 No 0 Absent 0
Motion carried.

