

BOARD REPORT

November 18, 2019

REGULAR MEETING

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Board approved the payment of bills totaling \$72,580.01. The Board appointed Fred Bolden as Superintendent Pro Tempore pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3319.011 and Board Policy 1260 and approved the contract for the Superintendent Pro Tempore.

The Board approved the submission of the district five-year forecast as required by the Ohio Revised Code. The Board appointed Podojil Consulting and Professional Services, LLC to perform duties of compliance officer pro tempore to serve in matters in which currently designated compliance officers are otherwise unable to serve.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Antonio DiLallo, Erika Hays and Lauren Kacica, Louise Maniglia and Steve Sonderman were approved as home instruction tutors for the 2019-20 school year.

Non-district pupil activity permit contracts were approved to the following individuals:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Craig Hoberman	Hockey - Assistant Varsity Coach (50%)	\$2,028.42
Victor Rush	Bowling - Head Coach	3,380.70

Tuition reimbursements were approved for two individuals in the amount of \$2,215.50.

The next board meeting will be December 9, 2019, 6 p.m. at the Board of Education.

INFORMATION ITEMS

SOLON HIGH SCHOOL AMONG TOP U.S. STEM HIGH SCHOOLS

Reflecting the opportunities for students in science, technology, engineering and math, Solon High School has been named to the Newsweek Top STEM High Schools list for 2020. SHS is ranked #3 in Ohio and #156 among high schools nationwide for providing STEM experiences and preparing students for post-secondary pathways.

Newsweek collaborated with STEM.org on the extensive ranking methodology, which used qualitative and quantitative data from 2015-2019, to compile the 2020 list of America's Top STEM High Schools.

“America is a nation of entrepreneurs and innovators, and our economic vitality and national security depend on our sustaining that vibrant culture. Science, technology, engineering, mathematics—these are the fields in which our children need to be fluent,” said Newsweek Editor Nancy Cook in announcing the 2020 list of Top STEM High Schools. “The STEM skills that only specialists have today will be expected of virtually everyone in the American workforce tomorrow. With high-profile institutions in big urban areas and small but strong programs across the nation, America’s future in science, technology, engineering and mathematics is in good hands.”

SIX SOLON HIGH STUDENT ATHLETES SIGN NATIONAL LETTERS OF INTENT

Six Solon High School student athletes inked National Letters of Intent November 13 on signing day to pursue athletics and academics at the college level.

The students signing last week were:

- Nate Kusner, Baseball, Kent State University
- Sloan Ulrich, Baseball, Indiana State University
- Tara FitzGerald, Diving, University of Cincinnati
- Jackson Salisbury, Diving, University of Pittsburgh
- Sam Young, Track, Cornell University
- Grant McCurry, Lacrosse, University of Michigan

Congratulations to the Comet student athletes, their families and coaches.

FALL PLAY FEATURES HUMOROUS PORTRAYAL OF GREEK MYTHOLOGY

The Solon High School fall play features a madcap and fast-paced overview of Greek mythology portrayed by 31 student actors in more than 150 different roles. “The Iliad, the Odyssey and All of Greek Mythology in 99 Minutes or Less” runs from November 21-24 on the Solon High School stage.

The play by John Hunter and Jay Hopkins is set against a literal ticking clock as the Greek myths are quickly reviewed in rapid succession with humor in a production resembling the comedy of Monty Python, Saturday Night Live and Mel Brooks.

Showtimes are 7 p.m. on November 21, 22 and 23, and 2 p.m. for the November 24 matinee. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and senior citizens. Admission is free for senior citizens who live in Solon and Glenwillow with proof of residency. Tickets are available online at solon.es/Greek or by calling the Solon High School Box Office at (440) 349-6249. To obtain the free senior citizen discount code, residents should email solonboxofficetix@gmail.com.