

AGENDA
Star Hill Elementary School
7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting
April 21, 2015
Administrative Items

I. Opening

- A. Call to Order
- B. Roll Call
- C. Adoption of Agenda
- D. Approval of Minutes – March 17, 2015 - Regular Meeting Minutes

II. Public Comments

Time has been allocated for individuals or groups to address the Board on scheduled action items or other issues they wish to bring before the Board. Persons wishing to make comments should sign up on the appropriate form. Each group should choose one representative to speak and comments should be limited to five minutes. Speakers will be recognized by the Board President in the order their names appear. If a large group of people sign up to speak, the Board President may at his/her discretion, limit the number of persons allowed to speak. The Board will not hear comments on issues pertaining to personnel. Issues pertaining to personnel are not part of the public comments. It is the intention of the Board to listen to public comments, but not to respond.

III. Presentation

- A. Presentation
 - 1. Star Hill Elementary School
 - 2. Coach Dan Candeloro – Caesar Rodney High School Football
- B. Recognitions
 - 1. Michael Statham – Spirit of Caesar Rodney Staff Award
 - 2. William “Bill” Webb – Spirit of Caesar Rodney Volunteer Award
 - 3. Aaron Green – Henlopen Conference Swimmer of the Year
 - 4. Jeanette Bendolph – State Indoor Track Champion 800 Meters
 - 5. Maureen VanOrman – Henlopen Conference Swim Coach of the Year
 - 6. CRHS Cheerleading Squad State Champions – Amanda Graham and Ashley Miclette (coaches)
- C. Communications
 - 1. Superintendent
 - 2. School Board

IV. Action Items

- A. Personnel Matters

The following Personnel Matters are presented for Board approval:

- 1. Teacher Appointments/Resignations/Retirements/Transfers

Name	School	Position	Action
Ashley Daube	CHA	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Stacey Mikulak	CHA	Autism	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Jennifer Brown	CHA	Vocational Nurse	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Cynthia Hoffstadt	CHA	Autism	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Jessica Taylor	CRH	Driver Education	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Cristine Perry	CRH	Biology	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Kane Swaney	CRH	Technology Education	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Kailey Brewer	WRB	Grade 3	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Benjamin Erskine	WRB	Music	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Samantha Gustafson	WRB	Grade 4	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Elizabeth Musch	FMS	ML Music	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Katie Maddalena	FMS	ML Math	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Melissa Long	FMS	ML Math	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.

Nancy Schofield	FMS	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Julie Finley	SHE	Grade 2	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Ashley Spada	SHE	Grade 4	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Jennifer Prystash	SHE	Grade 5	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Theresa Charney	FNP	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Kristen Hannah	CRH	Guidance Counselor	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Karine Thibault	CRH	Physical Education	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Amy Roscoe	WBS ILC	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Carolyn Burris	WBS ILC	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Ashley Cressman	WBS	Grade 2	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Nicole Cox	WBS	Grade 3	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Ye Shen	WBS	Grade 2 Chinese Immersion	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Heather Fitzgerald	AFE	Library/Media Specialist	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Stephanie Sweetland	AFE	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Melissa Berman	AFE	Grade 3	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Xiwen Li	AFE	Chinese Immersion	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Michele Gissy	DO	Speech Pathologist	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Leslie Godwin	WEL	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Jennifer Freeman	NHS	Grade 3	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Amy Yanoshak	NHS	Grade 4	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Jodi Stark-Thorpe	MECC	Early Childhood	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Barbara Gravatt	MECC	Kindergarten	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Victoria Hodgson	ABM	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Wendy Dotson	ABM	Exceptional Children	Temporary contract concludes 6/30/2015.
Christina Evans	WRB	Librarian/Media Specialist	Resignation effective 4/6/2015.
Maria Paxson	NHS	English LL	Resignation effective 5/1/2015.
Lynn Knable	CHA	Autism	Retirement effective 6/30/2015.
Richard Howell	CRH	Teacher	Resignation effective 4/9/2015.

2. Paraprofessional Appointments/Resignations/Retirements/Transfers

Name	School	Position	Action
Stacy Sylvester	NHS	Clerk/Part-time	Resignation effective 4/10/2015.

3. Custodial Appointments/Resignations/Retirements/Transfers

Name	School	Position	Action
Abu Mansaray	FNP	2 nd Shift Custodian	Appointment effective 4/6/2015.

4. Secretarial Appointments/Resignations/Retirements/Transfers

Name	School	Position	Action
D. Elaine Charles	DO	Financial Secretary	Retirement effective 4/30/2015.

5. CREA Travel Requests

Name	School	Position	Action
Ashlee Miller	AFE	Grade 3 Teacher	To attend 2015 National Chinese Lang. Conf. from 4/15/15 through 4/18/2015.

6. Leaves of Absence

Name	School	Position	Action
Victoria Haynes	AFE	Teacher	REVISION: LWOP 3/26/15 through 3/31/2015.

7. Extra Duty Recommendations/Resignations

Name	School	Sport	Position	Action
James Harvey	CRH	Tennis	Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Lisa Schafer-Stevenson	FNP	Softball	Volunteer	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Joshua Wich	ABM	Softball	Volunteer	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Kenneth Lott	FNP	Baseball	Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
David Matt Shelor	ABM/FMS/ FNP	Lacrosse	Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Nicholas Rhoads	ABM/FMS/ FNP	Lacrosse	Asst Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Joshua Harris	FMS	Baseball	Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Tammy Geidel	CRH	Track/Boys	Asst Varsity Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Karine Thibault	CRH	Track/Girls	Asst Varsity Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
John Wright	FMS	Service Organization	Odyssey of the Mind	Recommendation for Year Round Activity 2014-15.
John Fuchs	ABM	Baseball	Head Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.
Candace Tillinghast	ABM	Softball	Asst Coach	Recommendation for Spring Sports 2014-15.

8. Child Nutrition Appointments/Resignations/Retirements/Transfers

Name	School	Position	Action
Mary Ann Bendfeldt	FNP	3 hr. General Worker	Transfer effective 4/13/2015.
Sandra Primo	CRH	3.5 hr. General Worker	Resignation effective 4/20/2015.

Recommendation: That the Board approves Personnel Matters A.1 through A.8 as presented.

Board Action Needed: Yes

B. Routine Business

1. Student Travel

The following Student Travel is presented for Board approval:

Caesar Rodney High Students

Event	Date	Location
US History Field Trip	Tuesday, June 2, 2015	Washington, DC
Art Class Trip – Cultural and Artistic Exposure and Appreciation	Tuesday, May 5, 2015	Art Museum Philadelphia, PA
CRHS Freshman Academy Social Studies Classes Class Trip of Historic Philadelphia	Thursday, May 28, 2015	Independence Mall, The Franklin House, The Liberty Bell, Printing Press and Constitution Center Philadelphia, PA

Fred Fifer III Middle Students

Event	Date	Location
BPA National Leadership Conference	Tuesday, May 5 through Sunday, May 10, 2015	Anaheim, CA

F. Niel Postlethwait Middle Students

Event	Date	Location
BPA National Leadership Conference	Tuesday, May 5 through Sunday, May 10, 2015	Anaheim, CA

Allen Frear Elementary Students

Event	Date	Location
Smithsonian Field Trip	Tuesday, May 19, 2015	Washington, DC

Nellie Hughes Stokes Elementary Students

Event	Date	Location
5 th Grade Field Trip	Thursday, May 28, 2015	Smithsonian Washington, DC
4 th Grade Field Trip	Tuesday, May 19, 2015	Washington Zoo 3001 Connecticut Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20008

John S. Charlton Students

Event	Date	Location
Exploring Science, P.E., Art, Music and Technology in the woods	Friday, May 8, 2015 Rain Date: Friday, May 22, 2015	Camp Todd 25012 Beauchamp Branch Road Denton, Maryland

Recommendation: That the Board approves Student Travel as presented.

Board Action Needed: Yes

3. Gifts to Schools

The following donations are presented for Board approval:

- a. Fred Fifer III Middle School received a \$200.00 donation for the middle school baseball team from Mr. Scott Murray, SCM Construction, LLC.
- b. W. Reily Brown Elementary School received select fill dirt for the baseball field, approximate value \$600.00, from EDiS Company and A-Del.

Recommendation: That the Board approves Gifts to Schools as presented.

Board Action Needed: Yes

C. Policy Matters

1. 2014-15 and 2015-16 School Choice Recommendations

2014-15 and 2015-16 School Choice Recommendations are included for the Board's review and approval.

Recommendation: That the Board approves 2014-15 and 2015-16 School Choice Recommendations as presented.

Board Action Needed: Yes

2. 2nd Reading Responding to Teen Dating Violence and Sexual Assault Policy JLDBG

2nd Reading Responding to Teen Dating Violence and Sexual Assault Policy JLDBG is included for the Board's review and approval.

Recommendation: That the Board approves 2nd Reading Responding to Teen Dating Violence and Sexual Assault Policy JLDBG.

Board Action Needed: Yes

D. Curriculum Matters

1. Adoption: 7th Grade Middle School Advanced Math

Enclosed with the agenda is a copy of the proposed 7th Grade Advanced Middle School Math curriculum. The course has been piloted during the 2014-15 school year per the Caesar Rodney Board of Education's request. The course has been approved by the Math/Science Council (3/17/15) and Curriculum Cabinet (3/18/15) and is being recommended for Board approval.

Recommendation: That the Board approves Adoption of the 7th Grade Middle School Advanced Math Curriculum.

Board Action Needed: Yes

2. Adoption: 7th and 8th Grade Middle School Advanced ELA

Enclosed with the agenda is a copy of the proposed 7th and 8th Grade Advanced Middle School ELA curriculum. These courses have been piloted during the 2014-15 school year per the Caesar Rodney Board of Education's request. The courses have been approved by the Humanities Council (3/12/15) and Curriculum Cabinet (3/18/15) and are being recommended for Board approval.

Recommendation: That the Board approves Adoption of the 7th and 8th Grade Middle School Advanced ELA Curriculum.

Board Action Needed: Yes

E. Fiscal Matters

1. Budget/Fiscal Reports

Budget/Fiscal reports are presented for Board acceptance.

Recommendation: That the Board accepts Budget/Fiscal Reports as presented.

Board Action Needed: Yes

V. Discussion Items

A. Directors' Reports

Directors' reports, which include their Supervisors' reports, are included for the Board's review.

VI. Executive Session

The Board will meet in Executive Session for Personnel Matters.

Adjournment