

North Tonawanda City Schools



BOARD BANNER

UNOFFICIAL MEETING SUMMARY

Meeting of August 16, 2023

PRESENTATIONS

Lifetime Lumberjack Award – Presented to Dr. John George

Technology Update – Given by Matthew McCall

Reach/Rise and Rebound– Given by Mike Tambroni, Rachel Wagner, and Josh Janese

Special Education- Given by Mike Hiller and Liz Petryk

PERSONNEL

Instructional

Appointments: Substitute Teachers – Certified: Melinda Wright, David Nash, Tara O-Brien-EC, Annette Follendorf, Sarah Hansgate, effective September 5, 2023.

*EC – Emergency Conditional

Appointments: Substitute Teachers – Un-Certified: Rosemarie Forzano, effective September 5, 2023.

Volunteer for the 2023-2024 School Year: Oksana Sparacino, Occupational Therapist student.

Resignations: Joshua Pawlik, *Boys/Girls Cross Country Head Coach*, effective July 26, 2023; Melissa Pierce, *Building Based Substitute*, effective July 26, 2023; Robert Biddlecombe, *Special Education Teacher*, effective July 25, 2023; Lauren Miranto, *Reading Teacher*, effective at the end of business on August 20, 2023.

Leave of Absence: Raquel Holloway, *Special Education Teacher*, effective September 21, 2023 and terminating October 9, 2023.

AIS Teacher for the 2023-2024 School Year: Kathleen Wagoner, @ Spruce, effective September 5, 2023.

Appointments: Probationary: **Lindsay Nirschel**, *Special Education Teacher*, commencing on August 30, 2023 and ending on August 29, 2027; **Julia Posch**, *Special Education Teacher*, commencing on August 30, 2023 and ending on August 29, 2027; **Kayley Trimboli**, *Special Education Teacher*, commencing on September 18, 2023 and ending on September 17, 2027.

Coaches for the Fall 2023-2024 School Year: The season begins August 21, 2023 and ends November 4, 2023.

Name	Sport	Position
Robert Albert	Boys Modified Volleyball	Head Coach
Christopher Juergens	Boys/Girls Cross Country	Head Coach
Patrick Angelhow	JV Football	Head Coach
Chad Rieselman	Modified Football	Head Coach
Benedict Ladik	Modified Football	Assistant Coach*
Madison MacNeil	Modified Cheerleading	Head Coach

*Benedict was on June 7, 2023 Board Meeting as Head Coach. He will now be appointed as an Assistant Coach for the Modified Football team.

NTHS Extracurricular/Activity Advisor for the 2023-2024 School Year:

Club/Activity	Advisor
Drama Club	Ashley Holbrook

NTMS Extracurricular/Activity Advisor for the 2023-2024 School Year:

Club/Activity	Advisor
Telecommunications Club	Emilie Pitts
Activities Treasurer	Michelle Edmister

Non-Instructional

Resignation: **Andrew Reinhardt**, *Cleaner*, contingent upon his appointment as a Custodian, effective at the end of business on July 24, 2023; **Christian McIntyre**, *Seasonal Laborer and Substitute Cleaner*, effective at the end of business on August 4, 2023; **Lynda Sumi**, *Substitute School Nurse*, effective August 7, 2023; **Joseph Burngasser**, *School Bus Driver*, effective August 9, 2023; **Dawn Jones**, *School Bus Driver*, effective at the end of business on August 17, 2023; **Victoria Doucette**, *School Bus Attendant*, contingent upon her appointment as Teacher Aide, effective at the end of business on August 29, 2023; **Ryan Simet**, *Dispatcher*, at the end of business on August 30, 2023; **Jacqueline McMahan**, *Personnel Account Clerk*, contingent upon her appointment as Senior Account Clerk, effective at the end of business on August 20, 2023.

Leave of Absence: **Stacy Yaro**, *Teacher Aide*, effective August 30, 2023 and terminating upon physician's release.

Appointment: Promotional: **Andrew Reinhardt**, *Custodian*, effective July 25, 2023.

Appointments: Part-Time:

Name	Position	Effective	Location
Melissa Griffin - EC	School Monitor - 3 hours	September 5, 2023	Ohio Elementary
Kristin Loncar - EC	School Monitor - 3 hours	September 5, 2023	Drake
Nancy Pipalski - EC	School Monitor - 3 hours	September 5, 2023	NTHS

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Appointments: Probationary:

CLERICAL, NURSING, AND TEACHER AIDES UNIT (26 WEEK PROBATIONARY PERIOD)

Name	Position	Building	Effective
Victoria Doucette	Teacher Aide	Ohio	August 30, 2023
Mariah Bellucci - EC	Teacher Aide	Drake	August 30, 2023
Jessica Clayson-Galvin - EC	Teacher Aide	Spruce	August 30, 2023
Diana Ferree - EC	Teacher Aide	Spruce	August 30, 2023
Laura Kaiser - EC	Teacher Aide	Ohio	August 30, 2023
Jennie Kirkwood - EC	Teacher Aide	Drake	August 30, 2023
Jill Snyder - EC	Teacher Aide	NTHS	August 30, 2023
Amanda Ventura - EC	Teacher Aide	Spruce	August 30, 2023

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Appointment: Permanent: Joanne Zalweski, School Bus Driver, effective August 2, 2023.

Appointment: School Security Guard: John Snopkowski, effective September 5, 2023.

Appointments: Substitutes for the 2023-2024 School Year: Molly Dolata, Teacher Aide; Ryan Evarts, Cleaner; Joseph Burngasser, School Bus Driver; Dennis Stachera, School Bus Driver, all effective September 5, 2023.

Appointment: Provisional – Clerical/Confidential: Jacqueline McMahon, Senior Account Clerk, effective August 21, 2023.

Other Matters Approved as presented

Amended SRO Agreement – 2023-2028

Piggybacking Request - Transportation

Adoption of Tax Warrant – 2023-2024

District Wide Safety Plan

District Emergency Response Plans

Student Teacher Placements – 2023-2024

Policy #1110 – School District and Board of Education Legal Status and Authority

Policy #1210 – Board of Education members: Nomination and Election

Policy #1310 – Powers and Duties of the Board

Policy #1330 – Appointments and Designations by the Board of Education

Policy #1331 – Duties of the District Clerk

Policy #1335 – Appointment and Duties of the Claims Auditor

Policy #1336 – Duties of the Extraclassroom Activity Fund Central Treasurer and Faculty Auditor

Policy #1337 – Duties of the School Attorney

Policy #6121 – Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

Policy #7632 – Appointment and Training of CPSE Members – Removal

Policy #3440 – Use of Metal Detectors – New

Additional of ENL Position for 2023-2024

Additional Teacher Aide – Ohio Elementary

~ Next Regular Board Meeting is September 6, 2023 @ 6:30 p.m. ~