

MINUTES
Special Virtual Board Meeting
CATASAUQUA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
5:00 P.M., Tuesday, June 23, 2020

1. **CALL TO ORDER** **Carol Cunningham, President**
President Carol Cunningham Called the Meeting to Order at 5:02 P.M

2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**
The Pledge of Allegiance was given

3. **ROLL CALL**

Board Members		Non Board Members	
Carol Cunningham	X	Robert J. Spengler	X
Duane Deitrich	X	Dave Knerr	X
Jason Bashaw		Christina Lutz-Doemling	X
Lauren Cieslak		Lois Reed	X
Christy Cooper	X	Kathleen Kotran	X
Jillian Emert	X	Wayne Karess	X
Dale Hein	X	Melissa Inselmann	X
Donald Panto	X	Eric Dauberman	X
Shawn McGinley		Adam Schnug	X
Student Representatives		Shelley Keffer	
Amber Kalnas		Thomas Moll	X
Jacob Drummer		Ronald DeMaio	

4. **AUDIENCE INPUT ON AGENDA ITEMS-** *None*

5. **PERSONNEL**

A. Nomination for Appointment

1. Name: Brett Sonntag*
 Status: 8th Grade Science and Social Studies Teacher
 Assignment: Catasauqua Middle School
 Salary: BS Step 1 \$56,127
 Benefits: As per CBA
 Effective: August 20, 2020

2. Name: Jordyn Gutai *
 Status: 8th Grade Math and Science Teacher
 Assignment: Catasauqua Middle School
 Salary: M Step 1 \$58,808
 Benefits: As per CBA
 Effective: August 20, 2020

3. Name: Tarik Haddad*
 Status: 7th Grade Social Studies and Science Teacher
 Assignment: Catasauqua Middle School
 Salary: BS Step 1 \$56,127
 Benefits: As per CBA
 Effective: August 20, 2020

* pending receipt of employment paperwork

B. Appointment of Mentor Teachers – 2020-2021 School Year

Administration recommends that the names listed below be approved as Mentor Teachers for the 2020-2021 school year at a stipend of \$750.00 as per Collective Bargaining Agreement:

New Educator/Specialist	Mentor
Anthony Brinkley, Grade 3	Christine Snyder
Joseph Rivera, Grade 4	James Wilson
Tarik Haddad, Grade 7 (Science/SS)	Lisa Roth
Jordyn Gutai, Grade 8 (Math/Science)	Kyle Rusnock
Brett Sonntag, Grade 8 (Science/SS)	Janine Hemond

C. Substitutes

The following applicants have requested to be added to the Substitute Employment List for the 2020-2021 School Year as follows:

Name	Assignment
Tamara Miller	Custodian Substitute

** It was noted at this time by Carol Cunningham, an addendum was made to Item 5D-Appointment of Extra-Curricular Positions-2020-2021 School Year #31-Derek Saltzgeber Girls Soccer Coach, and #32-Kayla Cunningham Assistant Soccer Coach were added.*

D. Appointment of Extra-Curricular Positions – 2020-2021 School Year

It is recommended that the names listed below of extra-curricular positions be appointed as noted for the 2020-2021 school-year:

#	Name	Position	Stipened
1	Mark Bartholomew *	Assistant Football Coach	\$4,633.00
2	Brian Reilly	Assistant Football Coach	\$4,633.00
3	James Fisher *	Assistant Football Coach	\$4,633.00
4	Andrew Brett *	Assistant Football Coach	\$4,633.00
5	Scott Rothrock *	Assistant Football Coach	\$4,633.00
6	Donald Panto	Assistant Football Coach	Volunteer
7	Michael Gilmartin *	Assistant Football Coach	Volunteer
8	Roger Scheirer	Assistant Football Coach	Volunteer
9	Brian Monahan	Assistant Football Coach	Volunteer
10	Emily Marley	Head Field Hockey Coach	\$5,399.00
11	Amanda Peters	M.S. Field Hockey Coach	\$2,671.00

12	Selena Safadi	Assistant Field Hockey Coach	Volunteer
13	Kyle Rusnock	Head Cross Country Coach	\$3,510.00
14	David Burkner	Assistant Cross Country Coach	\$1,889.00
15	Mikisha Calhoun	Head Cheerleading Coach	\$2,000.00
16	Nichole Treiber	Assistant Cheerleading Coach	\$1,000.00
17	Kawaunna Waldron	Assistant Cheerleading Coach	Volunteer
18	Jenarose Auriemma	Assistant Cheerleading Coach	Volunteer
19	Jordan DeMasi	Head Girls Volleyball Coach	\$4,000.00
20	Leslie Estrada	Assistant Girls Volleyball Coach	\$2,000.00
21	Joshua Inman	Head Boys Soccer Coach	\$5,399.00
22	Jamal Arnaut	Assistant Boys Soccer Coach	\$2,671.00
23	Thomas Inman	Assistant Boys Soccer Coach	Volunteer
24	Travis Brett	Weight Room Monitor - Summer	\$600.00
25	Joseph Stofko Jr.	Weight Room Monitor - Summer	Volunteer
26	Robert Arnold	Marching Band Director	\$4,500.00
27	James D'Annibale	Assistant Marching Band Director	\$1,734.00
28	John Lucas	Assistant Marching Band Director	\$1,733.00
29	Allison Beecher *	Assistant Marching Band Director	\$1,733.00
30	Amanda Dungan	Assistant Marching Band Director	Volunteer
31	<i>Derek Salts giver</i>	<i>Girls Soccer Coach</i>	<i>\$5,399.00</i>
32	<i>Kayla Cunningham *</i>	<i>Assistant Girls Soccer Coach</i>	<i>\$2,671.00</i>

*pending receipt of employment paperwork

Items 5A, 5B, 5C, and 5D, were combined by Board request

ROLL CALL VOTE

*MOTION BY: Deitrich SECONDED BY: Hein
 AYE: *Emert, Cooper, Deitrich, Hein, Panto, Cunningham*
 NAY: 0
 Six Ayes, Zero Nays, Motion carried*

6. BOARD APPROVALS

A. Approval of Catasauqua Area School District 2020-2021 RETURN TO SPORT COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN (participation waiver)

** Upon request, Mr. Moll provided an overview to the Board of the comprehensive four phase plan to bring the students back for summer workouts. Every student will need to get tested, and have their temperatures taken. Our Athletic trainers will be taking the temperatures with the help of the coaches. The students will be kept in Pods to keep seperated. Chris Leavy, Athletic Trainer with Lehigh Valley Health Network, provided a "cheat sheet" for coaches as to what teams are allowed to do in each phase of the four phase plan. Phase 1 will be focusing on weight training and conditioning. Start of the season is in August.*

ROLL CALL VOTE

*MOTION BY: Deitrich SECONDED BY: Hein
AYE: Hein, Deitrich, Cooper, Emert, Panto, Cunningham
NAY: 0
Six Ayes, Zero Nays, Motion carried*

Derek Saltzgeber was given the opportunity to speak. He expressed his appreciation and excitement to get started.

7. RECOGNITION OF GUESTS & VISITORS

Melissa Inselmann provided information on each of the new Catasauqua Middle School teachers hired during tonight's school board meeting, and in return each of the new teachers got to say something themselves.

8. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION BY: Deitrich SECONDED BY: Emert

Motion carried

Time Adjourned: 5:23 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Bashaw
Secretary