

NEW PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF EDUCATION

September 9, 2024

The Regular Session of the New Philadelphia Board of Education was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President MacMath at the Administration Office with the following members present: Ms. Fontana, Mr. Gallentine, Mr. MacMath, Mr. Ricklic and Mrs. Schrock. Also present were Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Wentworth and Mr. Williams.

Approval of Agenda 82-24

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the regular Board Meeting agenda including the additions or deletions to the agenda including the addendum.

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath (5)

Nays: (0)

Motion carried.

Minutes 83-24

Mr. Gallentine moved, Mr. Ricklic seconded to approve the minutes of the Special Meeting dated August 5, 2024, and the Regular Meeting dated August 12, 2024.

Roll call: Ayes: Gallentine, Ricklic, Fontana, MacMath, Schrock (5)

Nays: (0)

Motion carried.

Building Spotlight – Preschool

Mrs. Hall presented her staff which included Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Martinez, Mrs. Woofter, Ms. Vermillion, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Hamilton. Mrs. Woofter read the book “If You’re Happy and You Know It”. The preschoolers clapped and followed along with the book.

Public Participation – All participants spoke re: LifeWise

- 1) Mr. Brian Proctor - Parent, Head of Steering Committee for LifeWise.
- 2) Mrs. Jill Rippeth - Teacher and parent
- 3) Tiffany Miskimen - Parent
- 4) Jane Bachman – Parent
- 5) Michael Valot – Parent
- 6) Kathy Bachman – Resident
- 7) Josh Nims – Resident
- 8) Karen Gallagher – Resident and former teacher
- 9) Matt Ferris – Non Resident - the Board of Education ended Public Participation prior to Mr. Ferris addressing the board.

Treasurer’s Report 84-24

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the following items under the Treasurer’s Report.

- A. Approval of the August 2024 Financial Statement - [Financial Report](#)
- B. Approval of FY 2025 Key Indicator Report - [Key Indicator](#)
- C. Approval of the Cash Flow Report - [Cash Flow](#)

- D. Approve the Check Register. - [Check Register](#)
- E. Approval of the Bank Reconciliation - [Bank Rec](#)
- F. Approval of the contract with ECOESC for Educational Services. - [ECOESC](#)
- G. Approval of the Agreement for Law Enforcement Services with the City of New Philadelphia in the amount of \$92,025.02 for FY25. - [SRO Agreement](#)
- H. Approval of MOU with Stark County Educational Service Center for Title III Consortium Services in the amount of \$3,000 for FY25. - [SCESC Title III](#)
- I. Approve FMLA for Amy Lorenz beginning approximately September 12, 2024.
- J. Approve the following donations:

Marsh Foundation	\$ 357.15	Project Lead the Way
Wayne Garage Door	\$ 7,580.00	Garage Doors at the Stadium
VFW	\$10,562.31	Trailer for the Football Team
Anonymous	\$ 150.00	Toward Pay to Play for Students in Need
The Reeves Foundation	\$ 8,000.00	PLTW
Ryan Swailes/Jason Bambeck	\$ 400.00	Guys with Ties

K. Approve the following Salary Moves

Cheyenne Brown	BS	to	BS + 18
Zach Ross	Master's	to	Master's + 15
Amy Lorenz	Master's	to	Master's + 15
Kelly Mikula	Master's + 15	to	Master's + 30
Jennifer Corder	Master's + 15	to	Master's + 30
Stephanie Speedy	Master's + 15	to	Master's + 30
Jamie Shuman	Master's + 15	to	Master's + 30
Chad Roberts	Master's + 15	to	Master's + 30

- L. Approve the Amended Certificate of Estimated Resources for FY25 as follows:

Special Trust (007)	\$ 14,675.00	Increase
Auxiliary Service (401)	\$ 15,430.00	Increase

- M. Approve the Amended Appropriations for FY25 as follows:

Special Trust (007)	\$ 14,675.00	Increase
Auxiliary Service (401)	\$ 15,430.00	Increase
Title IV (584)	\$ 5,043.44	Increase

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Schrock, Gallentine, MacMath (4)
 Nays: (0)
 Abstain: Fontana (1)

Motion carried.

Personnel 85-24

Mrs. Schrock moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the following items under personnel.

Resignation

- Evelyn Steele - Homeless Liaison - Effective 7/31/20204
- Crystal Aponte - Paraprofessional, East - Effective 8/1/2024
- Shannon Dye - Paraprofessional, NPHS - Effective 8/9/2024
- Deziree Mazariegos-Victorio - Paraprofessional, West/Central - Effective 8/14/2024
- Sarah Marcovitz - Bus Aide - Effective 8/16/2024
- Casey Jones - Paraprofessional, East - Effective 8/22/2024
- Jack Oliver - Bus Aide - Effective 8/28/2024

Classified

- Sarah Marcovitz - FSW, South - 2 hrs/day - Step 3 - \$14.42 per hr - Effective 8/20/2024
- Lynette Cox - FSW1, NPHS - 4 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$13.69 per hr - Effective 8/16/2024
- Cheryl Shaw - FSW1, York - 1hr/day - Step 0 - \$13.69 per hr - Effective 8/27/2024
- Amanda Pompey - Paraprofessional, Welty - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 per hr - Effective 8/26/2024
- Loraine White - FSW1, Central - 1 hr/day - Step 0 - \$13.69 per hr. - Effective 9/9/2024
- Madison Wright - Paraprofessional, West - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 per hr - Effective 8/23/2024
- Danicka Vanmeter - Paraprofessional, York - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 per hr - Pending License
- Brittany Russell - Paraprofessional, West - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 - per hr - Pending License

Nekiea Somogye - Paraprofessional, East - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 per hr -Pending License
Deborah Meese - Paraprofessional, East - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 -14.09 per hr - Pending license
Zayra Luna - EL Paraprofessional - 5.75 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$14.09 - Pending license
Leah Moore - Bus Aide - 4 hrs/day - Step 0 - \$13.71 per hr - Pending background check/onboarding/License

Certified

Rescind - Nicole Hickman - Kindergarten Teacher, East - 3 yrs Exp. - BS - \$45,851 - Effective 8/1/2024
Hire - Nicole Hickman - Kindergarten Teacher, East - 3 yrs Exp. - MA - \$50,252 - Effective 8/1/2024
Brian Migoni - Homebound Instruction - \$31.88 per hr - Effective 8/29/2024

Supplementals 2024-2025

Rescind -Danielle Levengood - MS Cross Country, Girls - Level 12 (not enough participants)

Supplementals 2024-2025 Continued

Hire -

Cheyenne Brown - Color Guard - Level 5 - \$4,106
Cheyenne Brown - Kaleidoscope - Level 5 - \$4,106
Jillian Lundberg - After School Bus Duty, York - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$668.54
Nancy Cooke - After School Bus Duty, York - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$962.31
George Toland - After School Bus Duty, NPHS - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$942.85
Michael Vandevort - After School Bus Duty, NPHS - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$754.75
Olivia Dunn - After School Bus Duty, South - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$311.54
Alexis Hobart - After School Bus Duty, South - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$311.54
Kara Trimmer - After School Bus Duty, South - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$905.50
Starr Henry - After School Bus Duty, East - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$869.62
Leigh Ann Jones - After School Bus Duty, East - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$905.50
Nicole Hickman - After School Bus Duty, East - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$546.22
Travis Baker - After School Bus Duty, West - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$311.54
Sarah Custer - After School Bus Duty, West - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$446.26
Bridget Irvin - After School Bus Duty, West - 2 Days Per Diem Rate - \$869.62
Amy Hamilton - After School Bus Duty, Dome - 1 day Per Diem - \$452.75
Kara Rodgers - After School Bus Duty, Dome - 1 day Per Diem - \$417.59
Maribel Martinez - After School Bus Duty, Dome - 1 day Per Diem - \$288.71
Alison Marshall - After School Bus Duty, Dome - 1 day Per Diem- \$417.59
Chris Tracy - 6th Grade Camp Coordinator- \$615
Mary Newman - 6th Grade Camp Nurse - Level 22 - 3 days - \$246
Kaitlin Jagunic - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Seth Watson - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Marci Hubbard - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Andi Henry - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Marlene Dunn - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Chris Riker - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Brooke Vozar - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
John Vozar - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Sue Case - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Teresa Young - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Lori Ricklic - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82
Joyce Morrell - 6th Grade Camp - Level 22 - \$82

Mentors \$1,500

Megan Beachy, Scott Houmard, Amanda Baker, Marna Dinger, MaryBeth Edwards, Carrie Morales, Michelle Pipes, Brenda Starkey, Tina Morris

Substitute Teachers 2024-2025

Jennie Arbogast, Nicole Currence, Brittany Finton, Jennifer Flaherty, Donald "Connor" Finnicum, Miriam Kepschull, Teresa Lawver, Julie Maury, Skylar Mendiola, Joe Pry, Ashlie Rhode, Brooke Sommers

Substitute Secretary/Aides 2024-2025

Jennifer Flaherty, Krista Goudy, Zayra Luna, Jennifer Pongratz, Ashlie Rhodes, Brittany Russell, Madison Wright, Danika VanMeter, Nekiea Somogye, Deborah Meese

Substitute Food Service 2024-2025

Cheryl Shaw, Krista Goudy

Student Teaching

Madisyn Rummell, Ace Waldron

Springvale Health Centers

Haley Wiggins

Ohio Guidestone

Lela Pellicier

Kent State Shadowing Nurses

Vanessa Atkinson, Taylor Badger, Drew Congdon, Nevaeh Edmond, Amber France, Camryn Hocking, Nicholas Hostetler, Davian Jackson, Alisha Kerry, Brittany Marshall, Madie Mason, Breann McNutt, Desiree Miller, Alexee Morgan-Cunningham, Francis Newbrough, Rachel Peterson, Sarah Pinney, Stefanie Reddy, Anastasia Reidenbach, Brianne Valliere, Tiffany Weller.

Kent State Junior Literacy Placements

Zoe Jarvis, Jenna Trifelos, Ali Ullom, Hope Whaley, Kylie Culbertson

CBI Students, \$5.25 per hr

Braedyn Ehrmantrout, Rocky Grewell, Trent Jackson, Ronald Long, Allen Swayne, Brooke Smith, Kaylee Smith, Riley Hart, Parker Klinessmith, Cristian Sanchez Ramirez

Volunteers 2024-2025

Cayla Ames, Erin Barnhart, Emily Bates, Brandee Becker, Jordan Beebe, Kelly Beebe, Tamarickia Bloomfield, Mindy Bradford, Tiffany Brehm, Miranda Brown, Briana Burt, Kristie Contini, Mary Copenhaver, Sunny Cox, April Crites, Ashley Curran, Christi Dawson, John DiFonzo, Summer Doss, Olivia Elbert, Denise Endlich, Jennifer Flaherty, Courtney Friend, Laura Furner, Taylor Garan, Kayla Gobely, Angela Grewell, Raymond Grewell, Lacey Haas, Cynthia Hicks, Kenneth Hicks, Patty Hostetler, Caren Jones, Shyane Lance, Shari Lewis, Sharayah LoPresti, Amanda McMillen, Breann McNutt, Erika Metzger, Troy Miller, Melissa Miller, Kristen Miller, Samantha Mollett, Whitney Moore, Chad Morris, Rachel Morris, Stephanie Norman, Erika Ohl, Corey Pace, Mitch Pace, Briana Riebau, Madi Rippel-Myer, Christina Risley, Emily Ross, Sonni Ruth, Bethany Sheets, Jennifer Sheets, Kerri Silverthorn, Jeremy Smith, Rachel Stringfellow, Lisa Tarulli, Erica Troyer, Brandon Tylka, Andrea Valdinger, Ashley Vorhees, Barb Wade, Natasha Waltz, Craig Warner, Katie Warner, Gina Wigert, Broch Wills, Joshua Winn, Carla Yoss, Megan Zimmerman.

Band Volunteers

Carrie Conrad, Melvin Underwood, Melissa Grant, Julie Henke, Mark Henke, Abigail Riggs

Roll call: Ayes: Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)

Motion carried.

Personnel 86-24

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the following items under personnel

Volunteers

Sandy Gallentine

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Schrock, Fontana, MacMath (4)
Nays: (0)
Abstain: Gallentine (1)

Motion carried.

Committee/Representative Report

A. Business Advisory Council Information and Minutes

Assistant Superintendent's Report 87-24

Mr. Williams stated that Ashley Furniture donated a box of school supplies that they had collected.

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mr. Gallentine seconded to approve the following items under the Assistant Superintendent's Report.

- A. Approval of the QDA Financial Reports
- B. Approval of the QPA Financial Reports

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Gallentine, Fontana, MacMath, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report 88-24

Mrs. Schrock moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the following items under the Superintendent's Report.

- A. Approve the [MOU](#) with Mount Vernon Nazarene University for CCP courses..

Roll call: Ayes: Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Adjournment

Mr. Gallentine moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:16 p.m.

Roll call: Ayes: Gallentine, Schrock, Fontana, MacMath, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

President

Attest