

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE DECEMBER 2024 BOARD REORGANIZATION MEETING

The Board approved the following items at their December 3, 2024 Board meeting:

- The Northgate Board of School Directors, at their Reorganization meeting, elected Mrs. Cheryl Patalano as President and Mrs. Wendi Lee as Vice President.
- The Board also appointed the law firm of Andrews and Price, as represented by Ms. Patricia Andrews, to serve as the School District Solicitor at a rate of \$135 per hour and a retainer of \$450 per month.
- The Public meeting dates, times and location for 2025 were approved as shown on the attached.
- The Board identified the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, 2201 Sweeney Dr., Clinton, PA 15026, and the Tribune Review, 210 Wood St., Tarentum, PA 15084, as the official school newspapers, either of which may be used for legal advertisements.
- The Board appointed Mrs. Wendi Lee and Dr. Melissa Bilski as representatives to the A.W. Beattie Career Center Committee. Also, any interested Board Member may serve and act on behalf of Northgate School District during the absence of appointed representatives.
- Approved Julian Nicotero, a 12th-grade Northgate student, to intern with Ms. Ash Emmrich of Arts Greenhouse as a paid Horticulture Intern with a start date of January 2, 2025 at a rate of \$10 an hour not to exceed 120 credit hours. This will be paid through our Moonshot Grant and is at no cost to the District.
- Approved an elementary musical to be run by parent volunteers:

Alisa Mehlo - Director

Maria Sassani - Music Director

Caitlin Kapoor - Choreographer

Sarah Denton- Parent Volunteer

All volunteers will be required to have the appropriate clearances. The Board also approved the purchase of musical supplies in an amount not to exceed \$2,500.