



FREEPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Happenings

*During the Regular Meeting of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors held on Wednesday, **May 14, 2025**, the following agenda items were **approved**:*

Personnel

The resignation of Scott R. Esposito, full time Custodian, effective April 23, 2025.

The resignation of Julie A. Fry, School Nurse Assistant, effective May 30, 2025.

The employment of Nicole L. Cianci as a full time Teacher, effective August 15, 2025.

The employment of Brianna L. Boerio as a full time School Counselor, effective August 15, 2025.

The employment of Tabettha N. Wilbert as a full time Teacher, effective August 15, 2025.

The employment of Andrew L. Brandt as a full time Teacher, effective August 15, 2025.

The employment of the following individuals for the District's Athletics Programs during the 2025-2026 school year:

Sherry A. Eaker, Volunteer Girls Soccer Coach
Misty L. Smulick, Junior Varsity Girls Soccer Coach

The employment of the following individual for the District's Extracurricular Programs during the 2025-2026 school year:

Thomas D. Koharchik, Junior Class Sponsor

Athletics and Activities

The participation of Donald W. Dell, Jr., Special Services Coordinator, in the Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network Bridging Knowledge to Know-How: Empowering Pennsylvania Educators and Partners Conference from July 28-31, 2025, in State College, Pennsylvania.

The request of Robert W. Harris, Buffalo Elementary School Musical Director, for approval of the 2025-2026 student production of a musical: *Schoolhouse Rock LIVE! Jr.*

The request of Sara B. Sypulski, Middle School Dramatics Advisor, for approval of the 2025-2026 Middle School student production of a musical: *Newsies, Jr.*

The request of Elizabeth K. Surgil, High School Musical Coordinator, for approval of the 2025-2026 High School student productions of a fall musical: *25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee*; and a spring musical: *Tuck Everlasting*

Pay rates for officials and athletic-event workers effective July 1, 2025.

Other Business

The election of Michael J. Huth as School District Treasurer for the 2025-2026 school year, effective July 1, 2025.

The appointment of Mary Dobransky as School Board Secretary for a four-year term, beginning on July 1, 2025 and ending on June 30, 2029.

The appointment of Mariah Jones as tax collector for the collection of Freeport Area School District real estate taxes within Freeport Borough pursuant to the authority of Section 683 of the Public School Code.

The District's continuing membership in the Pennsylvania School Boards Association for the 2025-2026 school year.

The appointment of Sylvia R. Maxwell as the Board's Voting Delegate to the PSBA 2025 Delegate Assembly to be held on October 21, 2025.

An Agreement with Armstrong Indiana Intermediate Unit 28 for Licensed Professional Counselor services to be provided during the 2025-2026 school year.

A Letter of Agreement setting forth the District's roles and responsibilities under the PDE Pennsylvania's Education for Children and Youth Experiencing Homelessness Program for the 2025-2026 school year.

A proposed budget of the Lenape Technical School for the 2025-2026 school year.

W. L. Roenigk to provide student transportation services for the summer 2025 program.

The participation of up to three resident students in The Watson Institute/Sewickley Campus's extended school year program, in accordance with the students' IEPs, from June 17, 2025, through July 7, 2025.

The participation of one resident student in The Watson Institute/Sharpsburg Campus's extended school year program, in accordance with the student's IEP, from July 9, 2025, through July 25, 2025.

An agreement with Adelphoi Education, Inc., for education services to be provided during the 2025-2026 school year.

An Agreement with Merakey Pennsylvania for educational services which may be provided to resident students, from August 1, 2025, through July 31, 2026.

An Agreement with UPMC Children’s Community Pediatrics for School District Physician services to be provided from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

The appointment of Elizabeth Cassisi, DDS, as School District Dentist for the 2025-2026 school year.

A PowerSchool proposal for a Headed2 Software license and subscription, for the period from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

A PowerSchool proposal for a Schoology Learning Management System license and subscription, for the period from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

A PowerSchool proposal for an additional 100GB of Student Information System electronic file storage, for the period from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

The award of student accident insurance coverage for the 2025-2026 school year to Sport Underwriters, Inc., through Arthur J. Gallagher & Co.

Acceptance of a grant from the Armstrong Indiana Intermediate Unit to cover the cost of one district teacher’s attendance at the Science, Technology, Engineering, Environmental Literacy, and Sustainability Learning Without Walls Summit on June 10, 2025, at Waynesburg University.

Acceptance of a donation from the Alle-Kiski Chapter of Pennsylvania Association of School Retirees to be used for the installation of a sensory walkway at Buffalo Elementary School.

Acceptance of a donation from the Buffalo Elementary School PTO to be deposited into the Buffalo Elementary School Playground Project account.

A proposal from Bramble & Co. for the purchase, delivery, and installation of playground equipment for the Buffalo Elementary School Playground Project.

A proposal from Jeffrey Recreation for the purchase and delivery of playground equipment and for 80 yards of engineered wood fiber, for the Buffalo Elementary School Playground Project.

Finance

The April financial reports, lists of bills for payment, and a list of budgetary transfers.

The acceptance of estimated amounts of IDEA-B, Title I, Title II A, and Title IV funds for the 2025-2026 school year.

Next Meetings

Wednesday, June 4, 2025 – Committee Meeting

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 – Regular Meeting