

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of a Regular session of the Bellefontaine Board of Education Meeting

Held at the Sloan Distance Learning Center, 6:30 p.m., Monday, May 12, 2025

Roll Call: Present --- Board Members Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder. Visitors --- Mr. Hall, Mr. Wasson, Mrs. Henry, Mr. Ely, Mr. Tipple, Christi Dodds, Jenny Salyer, Cassidy Hicks and Husband, Henry Stolly, Stacy Penhorwood, Lindsay Hogan, April King (press), Laila Butler and family, Conor Evans and family.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

- 25-043 A motion was made by Lang and seconded by Fissel to approve the minutes of the April 14, 2025, Regular Session Meeting.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

- 25-044 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Stewart to approve the agenda as presented.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

HIGHLIGHTING BELLEFONTAINE CITY SCHOOLS

Seniors of the Month, Laila Butler and Conor Evans were recognized.

Cassidy Miller, was recognized as the Classified Employee of the Year.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- 25-045 A motion was made by Stewart and seconded by Wilson to go into the Committee of the Whole.

- A. Potential Change in 2025-2026 School Day
- B. Stock Market Challenge Trip, Atlanta, Georgia – Henry Stolly

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

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25-046 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Stewart to come out of the Committee of the Whole.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT

25-047 A motion was made by Fissel and seconded by Wilson to approve items A-B.

- A. Approval of Monthly Financial Reports
- B. Five Year Forecast

The Board of Education has formally reviewed and approves the District's amended five-year forecast as required by Section 5705.391, R.C., for the projected fiscal years ending June 30, 2025 through June 30, 2029, and hereby directs the Treasurer to forward a copy to the State of Ohio, Department of Education.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- A. Personnel

25-048 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Lang to approve items 1-15.

- 1. Professional Personnel – Resignations

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following resignations are hereby accepted effective on the date indicated.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Katelyne Ackley	Intervention Specialist	5/30/25
Kellie Lemly	Intervention Specialist	5/30/25
Andrew Madley	HS Spanish	5/30/25
Shelby Mifsud	3 rd Grade ELA	5/30/25

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2. Professional Personnel – Appointment

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Morgan Calton	4 th Grade
Katy Curnutte	World Language
Melinda Haberman	Intervention Specialist
Mara Ledley	Behavior Coach
Erica Oakley	COTA

3. Professional Personnel – Administrative Appointments

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are hereby appointed to the position indicated, and will be paid according to the current Salary Index Schedule.

1-Year Administrative Contract

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Erin Gillig	ES Associate Principal

3-Year Administrative Contract

Meagan Antram	School Psychologist
Kyle Daring	MS Principal
Lucas Pozenel	School Psychologist
Jenny Salyer	ES Principal
Whitney Stolly	IS Associate Principal

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4. Professional Personnel – Limited Contracts Granted

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following teachers are recommended for multi-year limited contracts as specified by the current Comprehensive Agreement between the Bellefontaine Board of Education and the Bellefontaine Education Association and authorized by Sections 3319.07 and 3319.08 of the Ohio Revised Code.

LIMITED CONTRACTS – 2025-2026

One Year

Nichole Burhamer
Jacqueline Godsey
Ashleigh Hodosko
Kenneth Hoffman
Brittany Johnson
Angela Lowe
Mikael Neeley
Riley Penhorwood
Cheryl Poppel *
Hailee Price

Andrew Reinhard
Brooke Reinhard
Garrett Reinhard
Mataya Reinhard
Courtney Salyer
Jason Scott
Karen Scott *
Amy Treon
Trevor Woods

*Retire/Rehire

Two Year

Michaela Baughman
Ashton Childs
Tasidee Dillion
Heidi Heacock
Mikaela Moore

Zach Showalter
Dawn Spangler
Rachael Stacklin
Taylor Wayman

Three Year

Jennifer Brown
Cheryl Daniels
Morgan Ebbeskotte
Patricia Elson
Brice Henry

DJ Howell
Heather Johnson
Skylar Mifsud
Hayley Nease
Paula Shaw

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5. ABC K-Camp Personnel – Appointments

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the following teachers be employed to teach ABC K-Camp for the 2025 session, at the rate approved in the Comprehensive Agreement.

Michaela Baughman
Hannah Stidham

Bri Hughes

6. Summer School Personnel – Appointments

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the following staff members be employed to teach summer school for the 2025 session, at the rate approved in the Comprehensive Agreement.

Phil Forsythe

Lori Wilson

7. Service and Support Personnel – Resignations

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following resignation is hereby accepted effective on the date indicated.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Joanna Arthur	Food Service Worker	5/1/25 *
Miriam Rodriguez Tamayo	2 nd Shift Custodian	5/30/25

*Effective date correction.

8. Service and Support Personnel – Appointments

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following person is hereby appointed to the assignment as indicated, pending licensure verification and satisfactory clearance from the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, at the hourly rate of pay now in effect according to the position salary schedule or hereafter adopted by the Board, effective on the date shown.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
April Logan	HS Secretary	8/25/25

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9. Service and Support Personnel – Administrative Appointment

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are hereby appointed to the position indicated, and will be paid according to the current Salary Index Schedule.

1-Year Administrative Contract

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Krista Adelsberger	Communications Coordinator – 60%
Martha Earick	Food Service Supervisor & Superintendent's Secretary

2-Year Administrative Contract

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Katie Buffkin	District Nurse
Max Earick	Supervisor of Grounds/Building Maintenance
Brad Carnes	Bus Maintenance Coordinator
Tammie Garman	Supervisor of Transportation
Hayden Green	Electrical Operations Coordinator
Andrea Scott	EMIS Coordinator

10. Service and Support Personnel – Classified Contract Renewals 2025-2026

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are recommended for multi-year contracts as specified by the current Negotiated Agreement between the Bellefontaine Board of Education and the Ohio Association of Public School Employees.

1-Year Limited Contracts

Trinity Floyd	Chandler Martell
Nicole Fulkerson	Joesph McCall
Azalia Hawkey	Morgan Powers
Terry Headings	

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10. Service and Support Personnel – Classified Contract Renewals
2025-2026 (con't)

2-Year Limited Contracts

Ashlyn Gonterman
Emily Housholder
Lyric Lawrence
Michelle Meyer

Rhonda Scheffel
Dreema Snyder
Hannah Stidham

Continuing Contract

Jodi England
Tamara Frazier
Kristen Friedrich
Elizabeth Kieffer
Ashley McBeth

Jill Nevers
Connie Rose
Megan Sechrest
Kimberly Taylor
Kristen Wagner

11. Service and Support Personnel – Substitute Appointments

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are hereby appointed to the assignment as indicated for the 2024-2025 school year, pending satisfactory clearance from the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, at the hourly rate of pay now in effect or hereafter adopted by the Board.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
April Logan	Secretary	4/21/25
Jessica Pender	Food Service Worker	5/5/25

12. Service and Support Personnel – Summer Technology Maintenance

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following person is hereby appointed to summer technology maintenance.

Karen Deer

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13. Supplemental Contracts Appointments

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are hereby appointed for supplemental service in the public schools of the City School District of Bellefontaine pending satisfactory clearance from the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation for the 2025-2026 school year, and shall be compensated in accordance with the pay schedule now in effect or hereafter adopted by the Board.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Nathan Arbogast	HS TEAMS
Brooke Bahr	HS FB Sideline Cheer (A)
Jason Brown	HS Football (H)
Art Caudill	HS Football (A)
Isaac Chiles	HS Boys Golf (H)
Jeremy Clifton	HS Football (A)
Cliff Core	HS Quiz Bowl
Sean Egler	HS Football (A)
Matt Gallaway	HS DARE
Matthew Garrett	HS Creative Writing
Matthew Garrett	HS D&D Club
Steve Henry	HS Boys Soccer (H)
Brady Hiatt	HS Girls Golf (A)
Angie Horvath	HS OSU-MUN
Angie Horvath	HS Chieftain Leaders Coordinator
James Howell	HS Girls Tennis (H)
April Jameson	HS FCCLA Advisor
Jordan Kesler	MS Cross Country (H)
Melanie Lehman	HS Interact
Lindsey Maus	MS Cross Country (A)
Skylar Mifsud	HS Football (A)
Skylar Mifsud	HS Chieftain Backers – 50%
Chris Miller	HS GSA – 50%
Chris Miller	HS Yearbook Advisor
Galen Miller	HS Boys Cross Country (H) – 34%
Stacy Millice	HS FCA
Daulton Mosbarger	HS Chieftain Backers – 50%
Garrett Reinhard	HS Chieftain Leaders Advisor
Hannah Rodenhausen	HS GSA – 50%
Michelle Rohrer	HS National Honor Society
Cody Sigrist	HS Envirothon – 50%
Bess Standley	HS Educ. Rising
Heather Storm	HS FB Sideline Cheer (H)
Jeannie Tipple	HS Spanish Club
Jeremiah Vigansky	HS Football (A)

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14. Approval of Volunteer Coaches

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following person is hereby appointed as volunteer coaches for the 2025-2026 school year, pending a satisfactory clearance from the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation. No compensation is due.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
Richard McDaniel	HS Football

15. Approval of Athletic Workers

Subject to the approval of the Board, the following persons are hereby appointed as athletic workers for the 2025-2026 school year at a pay rate of \$15 per hour, pending the satisfactory clearance from the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation.

Kim Brown	Cheryl Poppel
Matt Gallaway	Christina Prine
Ben Gillig	Jordan Reser
Stacey Holycross	Jim Robinson
Lori Horn	Wendy Rutan
James Howell	Debbie Sheehan
Erin Hoyng	Eva Skaggs
Melanie Lehman	Sharon Traul
Sharon Lewis	Amy Treon
Jennifer Lynch	Barb Triplett
Lindsey Maus	Jason Warner
Nate Miranda	

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.
Abstain #3 --- Stewart.

OTHER ITEMS FOR PRESENTATION

A. Superintendent

25-049 A motion was made by Stewart and seconded by Wilson to approve:

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1. Adoption of Middle School Athletic Code

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Bellefontaine Board of Education approve the 2025-2026 Middle School Athletic Code.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

25-050 A motion was made by Lang and seconded by Wilson to approve:

2. Adoption of the High School Athletic Code

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Bellefontaine Board of Education approve the 2025-2026 High School Athletic Code.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

25-051 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Fissel to approve:

3. Approval of the National Skills USA Competition Trip

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve the National Skills USA Competition trip to Atlanta, Georgia, June 24-28.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

25-052 A motion was made by Stewart and seconded by Fissel to approve:

4. Approval of the Stock Market Challenge Trip

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve the Stock Market Challenge Trip to Atlanta, Georgia in June.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

25-053 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Fissel to approve:

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5. Adoption of Board Policies

In a continuing effort to update and make current all Board of Education policies, the Board and its administrators have reviewed the following listed policies and recommend them for adoption.

<u>Policy No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
1613	Revised STUDENT SUPERVISION AND WELFARE
3213	Revised STUDENT SUPERVISION AND WELFARE
4213	Revised STUDENT SUPERVISION AND WELFARE

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

6. Committee Reports

Executive – Colin Yoder, Mark Fissel
Finance – Mark Fissel, Karen Wilson
Curriculum – Kristen Lang, Karen Wilson
Buildings and Grounds – Bryn Stewart, Kristen Lang
Legislative – Colin Yoder, Bryn Stewart

B. Board of Education

1. Reports

Ohio Hi Point Career Center – Anne Reames
Student Liaison – Karen Wilson

EXECUTIVE SESSION

25-054 A motion was made by Wilson and seconded by Stewart to go into Executive Session at 7:44 p.m.

A. Purpose of discussing personnel and collective bargaining.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.

President Yoder declared the Board out of Executive Session at 8:33 p.m.

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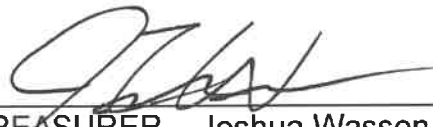
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ADJOURNMENT

25-055 A motion was made by Fissel and seconded by Stewart to adjourn.

Roll Call: Yeas --- Fissel, Lang, Stewart, Wilson, Yoder.
Noes --- None. Motion carried.



PRESIDENT – Colin Yoder

TREASURER – Joshua Wasson