

SOUTHMORELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING UPDATE - SEPT 2025

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

Samuel Accipiter
John Eutsey
Catherine Fike
Duane Frund, President
Stephanie Geyer, Vice-President
Richard Grabiak
Nicole O'Rear
Scott Olsen
Brian Shipley

Dr. Jason A. Boone, Jr., Superintendent
Russell Lucas, Solicitor
Pamela Mondock, Business Manager/
Transportation Director/Treasurer
Lorie McTavish, Board Secretary



Important Reminder:

*All Meeting Agendas and Minutes Can Be
Accessed From Our District Website!
Next Board meeting is scheduled for
October 21, 2025*

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REPORTS



SUPERINTENDENT

None

SOLICITOR

None

BUSINESS MANAGER/ TRANSPORTATION DIRECTOR

- Building Activity Fund Information was given
- Cyber Charter Expense Analysis was given

CWCTC, WIU, COMMITTEE

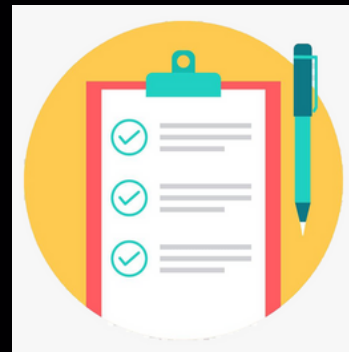
- CWCTC - None
- WIU - Dr. Fike reported on the deficiency of parking spaced for staff with the Westmoreland Intermediate Unit.

The following committees had no meeting to report on this month:

- Finance, District Operations, & Transportation
- Non-Academic. Athletics, & Extra-Curricular
- School Safety & Security
- Building & Grounds
- Personnel, Policy, & Academics

PSBA Liaison: (Eutsey)

- None



REPORTS



REPORTS CONT'D



Student Reports (September - May)- REPS: Audrey Miller and Alexa Pandullo

1. Congratulations to the Scottie Scholar for September: Megan Mehall.

2. Congratulations to the 2025-26 Homecoming Court:

Katelyn Campbell	Brady Butts
Kearlyn Fedorko	Stanley Chapman
Madison Lucia	Noah Felentzer
Megan Mehall	Austin Hudec
Alexa Pandullo	Chad Long
Rylie Pletcher	Ty Whoric
Allison Stinnett	Damien Wright

3. On September 5, Southmoreland held the first Pep Rally of the school year recognizing fall sports, Challenge Program winners, celebrating Joey Bentz's state championship win in the high gun varsity male division, and also recognizing Joey as the top shooter in Pennsylvania.

4. Challenge Program Winners include: Shirley Albright, Stephen Sulkowski, Jaxon Raygor, Walter Higgins, Zoey Welling, Olivia Bell, Megan Mehall, Xavier Crotti, Caylin Raymond, and Elizabeth Ray. The categories included attendance, community service, academic improvement, academic excellence, and STEM.

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5. The Scottie Football Team is undefeated with a record of 4-0 with an upcoming game against the Ringgold Rams with a USA theme at home this Friday.

6. The Southmoreland Marching Band kicked off its competitive season on Saturday, September 6, at Kiski High School. The event was a judged, non-scored festival where the band received valuable feedback from judges traveling in from North Carolina and Tennessee.

7. This past weekend, the band took the field at the PIMBA competition hosted by Baldwin High School. Southmoreland earned first place in Class AA and swept the caption awards, taking home honors for Outstanding Music Performance, Outstanding Visual Performance, and Outstanding General Effect.

8. Next up, the band will march in the Scottdale Fall Festival parade this Saturday before heading to Yough High School on September 27 for their next competition.

9. All homecoming court members will also be featured in the parade. Southmoreland Student Council is in the process of planning a fall Powder Puff Football game to support the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.



BOARD/POLICIES/ PERSONNEL



BOARD

The Board approved the following motions:

1. Meeting Minute(s)

- o August 19, 2025

2. The Board appointed Audrey Miller, Zoey Welling, & Alexa Pandullo (alternate) as student representatives to the Board of School Directors for the 2025-2026 school year.

POLICIES

None

PERSONNEL

PERSONNEL LOG - SEPTEMBER 16, 2025



(All required paperwork and all clearances are current and on file with Administration. Salaries & benefits are prorated based on start date. Effective dates vs. start/end dates could vary on a case by case basis-TBD by HR.)

1. Resignations/Retirements

- a. Chris Myers - Assistant Varsity Girls Basketball Coach effective immediately

2. Supplementals (Per the SEA Agreement.)

- a. Ruth Joyce - Class Sponsor-10 \$1,004.00 (25-26 SY)
- b. Sarah Huth - National Junior Honor Society Sponsor \$714.00 (25-26 SY)
- c. Sarah Huth - Middle School Student Council Sponsor \$1,683.00 (25-26 SY)

3. Volunteers

- a. Kylee Meyers - V. Girls Basketball Coach
- b. Matthew Ayers - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- c. Daniel Berger - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- d. Lance Burkholder - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- e. Chad Eisenman - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- f. Jon Campbell - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- g. Harry Dugger Jr - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- h. Jason Grecco - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- i. Charles Kunkle - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- j. Joseph Leighty - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- k. Travis McClain - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- l. Jean Passaga - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- m. Crystal Piovesan - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- n. Mark Pushkis - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- o. Edward Sebeck - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- p. Carl Shaffer - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- q. Laura Vance - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- r. Thomas Whitfield - Trap Team Assistant Coach
- s. Bradford Stoner - Assistant Band Equipment Hauler



4. Bus/Van Drivers - Quest

- a. Harry Thomas Weimer

5. Leave

- a. FMLA Leave - Employee #3512 effective 8/20/2025 to 9/18/2025

EDUCATION



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The Board approved:

1. The Marching Band Trip to Sandusky/Cleveland, OH with various experiences and locations from Friday, May 8, 2026 to Saturday, May 9, 2026
2. Student Service Agreement(s)
 - Ask Speech Therapy Inc

FINANCE



Board approved:

- Monthly Board Treasurers' Report
- General Fund Board Summary Report
- Fund Accounting, Capital Fund and Food Service Check Summary Listing
- Delegates for Westmoreland County Tax Collection Committee (WCTCC) - Diane Figg & Pamela Mondock
- Joint Purchasing Consortium Representatives - Pamela Mondock & Shera Barnhart
- WIU Joint Purchasing Consortium 2026-2027 - Passed
- Investing GESA Funds - Passed

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS



Annual Agreement - Westmoreland County Juvenile Probation Department Probation Officers to carry firearms in and on school property effective 10/1/2025 - 9/30/2026

ATHLETICS



No items for this month.