

SAUQUOIT VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL  
Sauquoit, NY 13456

**Tuesday, April 28, 2026**

**6:00 p.m. –Regular Meeting  
High School Auditorium**

The meeting will be held in-person in the high school auditorium.

**PUBLIC AGENDA**

ITEM #1 Call Meeting to Order

ITEM #2 Pledge of Allegiance

ITEM #3 Presentation(s)

- Physical Education Plan

ITEM #4 Board of Education Sub-Committee Reports

- A. Board Operations/Relationships/Development
- B. Facilities and Transportation
- C. Technology
- D. Extra-Curricular Activities
- E. Curriculum and Instruction
- F. School Boards Institute (SBI)
- G. Audit/Finance Committee
- H. Policy Committee

ITEM #5 Superintendent's Report

- 5.1 Announce Board of Education Candidates - Draw for Ballot Order
  - a. Anthony Nicotera
  - b. Jennifer George
  - c. Karen Hagearty
- 5.2 Student Achievement Award – There are no students from Sauquoit Valley CSD but all are welcome to attend. Event held at Twin Ponds on May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Cost is \$45 if anyone would like to attend please rsvp Marie Goodman.
- 5.3 She was not added previous until clarification was given. She can received tenure in Science and will be on probation for art starting September 2, 2026.

NAME	JOB TITLE	END DATE OF PROBATIONARY PERIOD	DATE RECOMMENDATION PRESENTED TO BOARD
Amanda Hartnett	Science (HS)	9/1/2026	4/28/2026

ITEM #6 Old Business

ITEM #7 New Business

7.1 Appointment of a Substitute Teacher

**Recommended Motion:** to appoint Abigail Gerling as a per diem substitute teacher, pending fingerprint clearance.

7.2 Appointment of a Substitute Teacher

**Recommended Motion:** to appoint Grace Gentile as a per diem substitute teacher, effective April 29, 2026.

7.3 Unused Snow Day

**Recommended Motion:** to approve Friday, May 22, 2026 and June 26, 2026 as unused snow day providing there is no further need for a snow/emergency day.

7.4 Approval of BOCES Administrative Budget

**Recommended Motion:** for approval of the BOCES Administrative Budget.

**WHEREAS**, the BOCES tentative administration budget is adopted by public resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, copies of the tentative administration, capital and program budgets were received on March 16, 2026 and an information meeting was presented at Oneida BOCES on April 1, 2026.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education **APPROVES** the tentative administration budget of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties, in the amount of \$4,719,004.18 for 2026-2027.

7.5 Approval of Cooperative Board Members

**Recommended Motion:** approval for the Cooperative Board's election of candidates:

**WHEREAS**, the election of Cooperative Board members is to occur by resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, notification was received on March 31<sup>st</sup> of the slate of candidates, and an information meeting was presented at Oneida-Herkimer-Madison BOCES on April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education casts its vote(s) in the annual election of members of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties, for the person or persons indicated as follows:

- to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Ms. Michelle Anderson, (Oriskany Central School District), please cast one vote for a three-year term as a member of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties:

Mr. Louis Ciotti  
110 Paradise Lane  
Oriskany, NY 13424

- to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of Mr. Steve Boucher, (Remsen Central School District), please cast one vote for a three-year term as a member of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties:

Mr. Steve Boucher  
9812 Twin Rock Road  
Remsen, NY 13438

- to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term held by Mr. Anthony Nicotera, (Sauquoit Valley Central School District), please cast one vote for a three-year term as a member of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties:

Mr. Anthony J. Nicotera  
9449 Jennifer Lane  
Sauquoit, NY 13456

- to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the term held by Mr. Michael Head, (Whitesboro Central School District), please cast one vote for a three-year term as a member of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services, Sole Supervisory District of Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties:

Mr. Michael Head  
100 Harts Hill Terrace  
Whitesboro, NY 13492

7.6 Approval of Minutes of the April 14, 2026 Meeting

**Recommended Motion:** that the minutes of the April 14, 2026 meeting be approved.

7.7 Resolution Authorizing Payment of Bills Approved by the Claims Auditor

**Recommended Motion:** that authorization be given regarding the payment of bills approved by the claims auditor.

7.8 Committee on Special Education and Committee on Pre-School Special Education Recommendations

**Recommended Motion:** that the Board of Education upon completion of its review of the IEP in accordance with Section 200.4(d)(2) of the Regulations of the Commissioner agrees to arrange for appropriate special education programs and services for students numbered 1401851, 1401868, 1402089, 1402053, 1401873, 1401630, 1401259, 1401695, 1401942, 1400440, 1400645, 1401414, 1401243, 1401063, 1400911, 1401503, 1401092, 1402014, 1400603, 1400327, 1401790, 1401345, 1400645, 1401259, 1400890, 1401851, 1401868, 1402084, 1401922, 1402089, 1402020, 1402053, 1401873, 1401869, and 1401942 as recommended by the Committee on Special Education and by the Committee on Pre-School Special Education.

**Motion to approve 7.1 - 7.8**  
**made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.**  
**Carried: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_, Nays \_\_\_\_\_.**

ITEM #8 Approval of a **RESOLUTION REGARDING  
STATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REVIEW  
CAPITAL OUTLAY PROJECT**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the Sauquoit Valley Central School District (the "Board") has considered the effect upon the environment of a District Capital Outlay Project, which will include, but is not limited to the following:

Converting the video system and replacing doors and hardware at the High School

**WHEREAS**, the Board has reviewed the scope of the project and has further received and considered the advice of its architects with respect to the potential for environmental impacts resulting from the proposed action; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has reviewed the Proposed Action with respect to the Type II criteria set forth in 6 NYCRR Part 617.5(c), now therefore;

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of Education as follows:

1. The Proposed Action does not exceed thresholds established under 6 NYCRR Part 617, the State Environmental Quality Review Act, (SEQRA).
2. The Board hereby determines the Proposed Action as a Type II action in accordance with the SEQRA regulations.
3. No further review of the Proposed Action is required under SEQRA.
4. This resolution shall be effective immediately.

***Motion to approve 8.1 - 8.1***  
***made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.***  
***Carried: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_, Nays \_\_\_\_\_.***

ITEM #9 Miscellaneous Topics

ITEM #10 Public to be Heard

ITEM #11 Executive Session

**Recommended Motion:** that the Board of Education go into executive session at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. to discuss \_\_\_\_\_.

Motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Carried: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_, Nays \_\_\_\_\_.

The executive session was declared over by the Board President at \_\_\_ p.m.

ITEM #12 Adjournment

**Recommended Motion:** that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

Motion made by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Carried: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_, Nays \_\_\_\_\_

<b>UPCOMING EVENTS/MEETINGS</b>			
<b>DAY(S)</b>	<b>DATE(S)</b>	<b>TIME(S)</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
Wed.	April 29	6:00p.m	MS NJHS Induction Ceremony, HS Aud.
Mon.	May 4		ELSAT Listening, Reading, Writing Begins (Date to be selected 5/4-5/22)
Mon.	May 4	8:00am	AP Biology Exam
Mon.	May 4	12:00pm	AP European History
Mon.	May 4	7:00p.m	SV Foundation Meeting HS Conf.
Tues & Wed.	May 5 & 6		NYS Grades 3 & 4 Math Testing
Wed.	May 6	8:00am	English Literature & Composition AP Exam
Wed.	May 6	12:00pm	Physics 1: Algebra Based AP Exam
Wed.	May 6	6:00pm	PTO Meeting, ES Library
Fri.	May 8	8:00am	AP US History Exam
Fri. & Sat.	May 8-9		NYSSMA Solo & Ensemble Festival CVA
Mon.	May 11	8:00am	AP Calculus Exam
Tues.	May 12	6:00p.m.	Board of Education Budget Hearing & Board Meeting – HS Auditorium

Sauquoit Valley Central School District – Personnel Report School year 2025-2026  
 Board of Education Meeting: 4/28/2026

NAME	TENURE/ CIVIL SRV.	ASSIGNMENT	SALARY/RATE OF PAY	EFFECTIVE DATE	END OF PROB. APPT.
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The commencement dates of the appointments are "subject to the employees' obtaining all necessary clearances from the State Education Dept."

I. Appointment

Abigail Gerling		Substitute Teacher	\$100/day		
Grace Gentile		Substitute Teacher	\$100/day		

II. Leave


III. Coaches


**Teacher Key:** "C" Certification Listed or "N" Uncertified

**Teacher Assistant Key:** "C" Certified Teacher Assistant, "CTA I" Certified Teaching Assistant Level I, "CTA II" Certified Teaching Assistant Level II, "CTA III Certified Teaching Assistant Level III, "TAP" Pre-Professional

**Coaches:** "CPE Certified Physical Education Teacher, "C" Certified Teacher, "TCL" Temporary Coaching License, "PCL" Professional Coaching License