

Lakeview School District
Board Meeting
March 26, 2026

The Lakeview School District Board of Education met on the above date at 6:03 p.m. with the following board members answering to roll call: Jason Powers, David Pears, Daniel Savolskis, Steven Beggs, Betty Moore, Adam Saeler, Jamie Galentine, Mike Rotz, and Travis Elder. Also present, Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent and Mrs. Cheryl McCauley, Business Manager/Board Secretary.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF SILENCE

ROLL CALL

MINUTES

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the Meeting Minutes for the Work Session Meeting held on February 19, 2026 and the Board Meeting held on February 26, 2026; as well as, the Board President's Acknowledgement of the Executive Sessions held at the February 19, 2026 Work Session and the February 26, 2026 Board Meeting for discussion on personnel issues.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

COMMUNICATION FROM BOARD PRESIDENT:

Mr. Jason Powers thanked the large visitor group for coming to the meeting and voicing their concern. He read a short paragraph on the rules and protocol to all that signed up to speak at the Board Meeting. Also, all comments will be held to the end of the meeting. Finally, this is a Board Meeting and items on the agenda have been discussed at the Work Session Meeting, where it is more appropriate to ask questions.

CAFETERIA RPT

A motion was made by Dan Savolskis, seconded by Mike Rotz to approve the Cafeteria Financial Report, as presented:

Cafeteria Invoices: Check# 2757-2760

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by Mike Rotz to approve the financial reports, as listed and also shown on the Finance Google drive accessible by all Board Members:

General Fund Invoices: CH# - 34914-35026

General Fund Revenue Summary: February 2026

Payroll Account Summary: February 2026

Cafeteria Account Summary: February 2026

Treasurer's Report: February 2026

FSA Account Summary: February 2026

HRA Account Summary: February 2026

Debit Card Summary: February 2026

General Fund Cash Summary: February 2026

Student Account Summary: February 2026

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO THE AGENDA:

- There were no visitors requesting to speak on agenda items.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Mr. Jamie Galentine updated the Board of Directors on the Mercer County Career Center Meeting. He noted that they are taking bids for the parking lot and working on a grant for a dust collector.

COACHING STAFF

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Coaching Staff:

Administration recommends approval of the following coaching staff:

Season	School Year	Sport	Recommended Coach	Position
Spring	2025-2026	Track	Rachael Harold	Volunteer
Spring	2025-2026	Baseball	Justin Becki	Volunteer
Spring	2025-2026	Baseball	EJ Haggart	Volunteer
Spring	2025-2026	Baseball	Adam Reddinger	Volunteer Was approved for VB on 2/26/26 should be baseball
Spring	2025-2026	Softball	Reagan Booher	Volunteer

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FMLA REQUEST

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following FMLA request:

Mrs. Sheila McLunkin submitted a FMLA request retroactively beginning March 3, 2026 with an estimated return date at the beginning of the 26-27 school year.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SUMMER EES

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Betty Moore to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve to seek Summer Employees as follows:

Dr. Keith Wolfe recommends approval to seek and hire qualified employees to assist the maintenance department/business office and a qualified employee to assist the technology department during the summer months at rates to be determined based upon education and experience.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

KINDER CAMP

Betty Moore made a motion, seconded by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following 2026 Summer Kinder Camp Program Staff:

Administration recommends approval of the following staff for 2026 Summer Kinder Camp Program **pending student enrollment** to be paid by Title I funds:

Coordinator – Sara Saylor (\$34/hour for set program days/hours)

Instructors – Katherine Rairigh, Melissa Moore, Dr. Alyssa Saeler, Morgan Murdock (\$34/hour for set program days/hours)

Paraprofessionals – Casey McNeish, Jessica Brown-Bence, Tammy Johnson (Paraprofessional current hourly rate for set program days/hours)

Nurse – Sarah Black current hourly rate for set program days/hours)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, **abstain**; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a roll call vote.

KELLY SVS STAFF

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Kelly Services Staff as follows:

Approval is requested for the following Kelly Services staff to serve the Lakeview School District in the capacities listed for the 2025-2026 school year.

- Briana Moon as MPP at Lakeview Middle-High School retroactively March 17, 2026

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

GIFTED

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Volunteer to assist with the Gifted Program as follows:

Approval is requested for Brandon Williams to assist with the Gifted Program for the 2025-2026 school year.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

ADVISOR

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a KIDS Camp Advisor as follows:

Administration recommends Lisa Herrick continue as KIDS Camp Advisor for the 2026 Summer Camp through Mercer County Behavioral Health Commission.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RETIREMENT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by David Pears to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Retirement Date Change as follows:

Mr. Douglas May requests his retirement date be June 30, 2026 due to his involvement in band events occurring in June.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SABBATICAL

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Teacher Sabbatical Leave as follows:

Administration recommends approval of a request by Mrs. Jodi Seddon for a sabbatical leave per the terms listed in the Memorandum of Understanding (Google Docs). The leave will begin April 22, 2026 and continue through the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

POLICIES

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by David Pears to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the second reading and approval of District Board Policies, Procedures and Administrative Regulations as follows:

The following policies, procedures and administrative regulations under Section 000 Local Board Procedures, 100 Programs, 200 Pupils, and 800 Operations are recommended for second reading and approval (Google Docs):

003 – Functions - Revision
004 – Membership – Revision
006 – Meetings – Revision
100 – Comprehensive and Strategic Planning – Revision
101 - Mission and Vision Statement - Revision
102 – Academic Standards – Revision
105.2 – Exemption from Instruction – Revision

105.2 – Procedures – Request for Exemption from Instruction - New
 106 - Curriculum Units and Instruction - Revision
 106-AR-1 – Guides for Planned Instruction - Revision
 107 – Adoption of Program of Studies - Revision
 109 – Resource Materials – Revision
 109-AR-1 – Selection, Evaluation, and Use of Print and Non-Print Resources - New
 109-AR-2 – Selection of Print Material Required for Classroom Use - New
 109-AR-3 – Selection of Non-Print Material Required for Classroom Use - New
 109-AR-4 – Handling of Objections to Instructional Materials – New
 122 – Extracurricular Activities - Revision
 122.1 – Noncurriculum-Related, Nonschool-Sponsored, Student-Initiated Groups
 122.1 – Procedures – Non School Sponsored Student Groups - New
 204 – Attendance – Revision
 204-AR-0 – Compulsory Attendance Unexcused - Revision
 218.1 – Weapons – Revision
 805.1 – Relations with Law Enforcement Agencies - Revision
 805.2 – School Security Personnel - Revision
 815.4 – Use of Electronic Communications - Revision
 816 – District Social Media - Revision

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

POLICIES

David Pears made a motion, seconded by Adam Saeler to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the first reading and review of District Board Policies, Procedures and Administrative Regulations as follows:

The following policies, procedures and administrative regulations under Section 000 Local Board Procedures, 100 Programs, 200 Pupils, 300 Employees, 600 Finances and 800 Operations are recommended for second reading and approval (Google Docs):

140 – Charter Schools - Revision
 221 – Dress and Grooming – Revision
 236.1 – Threat Assessment – Revision
 325 – Dress and Grooming - Revision
 332 – Working Periods – Revision
 619 – District Audit – Revision
 810 – Transportation – Revision

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

CONFERENCES

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following conferences/workshops:

Administration recommends approval of the following conferences/workshops:

Staff Name	Conference/ Workshop/ Training Name	Location	Date	Cost	Notes
Jennifer Cebula Lorraine Rutter	SAP County Coordination Meeting	Mercer County Behavioral Health	Fri., 3/27/26	No cost	
Lorraine Rutter	School Counselor Collaboration	MIU4, Grove City, PA	Thurs., 4/9/26	No cost	
Crystal Drew	PE Mini Convention	SRU	Weds., 4/8/26	\$157.20 sub	Title IIA
Dr. Keith Wolfe	Legislative	Harrisburg, PA	Tues., 5/5/26	Lodging, mileage, meals	

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FIELD TRIPS

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following field/student activity trips:

Group	Advisor/Teacher	Location	Dates	District Cost	Notes
HS Gifted	Becki Williams	MIU4, Grove City, PA	4/10/26	Van fuel/use	University of Akron Engineering presentation
MS Fishing Club	Douglas Iorio	Lake Wilhelm	4/16/26	\$125-H&W bus	Costs paid by Fishing Club
Kindergarten	Sara Saylor	Barrow Civic Theater, Franklin, PA	5/7/26	Costs covered by donations and PEP	To see <i>101 Dalmatians</i> . One of our Kdg. Students is in the play.
Ski Club	Brian Cumpston Doug Iorio	Killington, VT	2/25-2/28/27	\$628.80-2 subs for 2 days	Ski trip with Hickory HS and MCCC

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FUNDRAISERS

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following fundraisers:

Group	Advisor/Teacher	Fundraiser	Dates	Projected Profit	Reason
MS Students for Charity	Susan Patterson	Easter Bonnet (hat) Day	4/1/26	\$100	Raise money to help those in the community
OV PEP	Kayla Armstrong	Waldameer Ticket Sales	5/1-5/11/26	\$2240	Costs for Oakview student activities and trips

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SUMMER HOURS

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Summer Work Days/Hours:

Dr. Keith Wolfe recommends that the work days/hours be approved during the summer, June 8th through August 14th, as follows:

- Work Week: Monday through Thursday
- Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with a half hour lunch
- Maintenance Hours: 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with an hour lunch
- Custodian Hours: 7:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. with a half hour unpaid lunch

Adjustments to the schedule will be made as necessary to accommodate all of the district's needs.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SUMMER PROG

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Betty Moore to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve to offer the following 2026 Summer Learning Programs:

Administration recommends board approval to offer summer learning programs funded by Title I.

- K-2 Main Street Magic Camp (STEM Disney Theme) – July 27-30, 2026, 9 AM–12 PM
- 2-4 Math and MasterPieces (Exploration and Works or Art/Projects Utilizing Math) – July 27-30 and August 3-6, 2026, 9 AM–12 PM
- Reading Adventures Camp – July 27-30 and August 3-6, 2026, 9 AM–12 PM
- Wellness Adventures Camp – July 27-30 and August 3-6, 2026, 9 AM–12 PM

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

AGREEMENT

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by David Pears to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Intergovernmental Agreement for the 2026-2027 School Year:

Dr. Keith Wolfe requests approval for an intergovernmental agreement through the Midwestern Intermediate Unit IV. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FIRE AGREEMENT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Johnson Controls Fire Protection Planned Service Agreements for Oakview Elementary and Middle-High School:

Dr. Keith Wolfe recommends approval of two Johnson Controls Planned Service Agreements to begin on April

1, 2026 and end March 31, 2027, as follows and presented (Google Docs):

- Oakview Elementary - Cost \$3,715
- Middle-High School - Cost \$2,704

This includes inspection and diagnostic tests for the accessible peripheral devices listed in the agreement and currently connected to the facility fire alarm system.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

MCCC BUDGET

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Proposed Mercer County Career Center Budget for the 2026-2027 School Year as follows:

The Mercer County Career Center Operating Budget for the 2026-2027 school year is proposed at \$6,969,611, a \$234,956 increase from last year's approved budget of \$6,734,655. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

MIU IV BUDGET

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Midwestern Intermediate Unit IV General Operating Budget for 2026-2027 School Year:

The General Operating Budget for the 2026-2027 school year for the Midwestern Intermediate Unit IV totals \$4,552,816 (prior year - \$4,442,185 – increase of \$110,631). The estimated district contribution will be \$11,851 (prior year - \$11,851). (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes;

Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

PSERS PAYMENT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to acknowledge the following PSERS Employer Payment:

Acknowledgement and approval of the PSERS Employer payment for March 2026 of \$632,944.95 from the District's General Fund.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

AGREEMENT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the agreement between Lakeview School District and Prince of Peace as follows:

Administration recommends approval of the Agreement between Lakeview School District and Prince of Peace to collaborate in the implementation and facilitation of the Q Academy male mentorship program for Lakeview School District male students. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA TOPICS:

- Many visitors joined the Board Meeting to discuss the Cheer Coach position. A few visitors decided to speak such as:
 - Molly Vincent, President of the Football Booster, noted that the allegations against the Cheer Coaches are hearsay. The Football Boosters work very closely with the Cheer Coaches and they donate a lot of time to both programs. The Cheer Coaches show up when needed such as working

shifts at the fair booth; donating water for two-a-days; holding Football Team feeding. They always show up and always show support. Tiffany McJunkin's dedicated to the Cheer program and other programs should be recognized.

- Bailey Popp, a former student, had Tiffany as a Cheer Coach. She cared deeply about you and your wellbeing. Parents and athletes should appreciate what she does for the program. She always makes everyone feel welcomed and her kindness goes above and beyond.
- Bailey Smith, cheerleader at Lakeview, said she is a multi-sport athlete and always felt that cheerleaders were put down. She felt that transportation was not allocated correctly. She noted that her and her mother had no input in the Coach's termination.
- Gabby Nosker felt that Tiffany would not address questions she asked and stunts performed were dangerous. She understands that there are different coaching methods but felt things were not safe. She felt that Tiffany discussed topics that should not be discussed.
- Eva Katavitch noted that the process that the District acted on was not done by hearing both sides. The Cheer Coaches were not given an opportunity to defend themselves. This is a failure of due process. The Board is asking them to reapply for a job that should not have been lost. The process was not fair and deeply affected the Coaches.
- Richard Matters felt that the Board should take responsibility and understand their decision was wrong. He provided the Board of Directors questions so that answers could be provided at a later date. He read several Facebook posts and comments. He didn't understand how the Board of Directors could evaluate them when they don't attend sporting events.
- Gage Bartholomew, prior Board Member, said he has known Tiffany for 10 years. She is an asset to the community. She has grown the Cheer program and has a commitment to Lakeview. She has leadership skills and will go above and beyond. She raises her family in the community. He requested the Board to please reconsider hiring Tiffany. He wasn't aware of any issues that

would warrant removing Tiffany during his time on the Board.

- Sara Smith, Cheer Booster President for last 6 years, noted that this action has taken away from the program and athletics. She said that her name and daughter's name have been loosely connected with this situation and wanted to make it clear they had no involvement in it. Some of the issues with Cheer are not new. Cheer communication was not through approved channels. Professionalism is a concern.
 - Cassandra Schell addressed the allegations. She noted that only she and Erika are at the Jr. High practices.
 - Jenn Redfoot worked with Tiffany in the classroom. She has a passion for people and came back to Lakeview. She is a passionate and strong woman. She is a good learner and loyal. She knows more about cheerleading than anybody in the room. She asked the Board – isn't that why you hired her? She hopes that she can continue to work with the students.
 - Tiffany McJunkin noted that she spoke to the Board last week at the Work Session. She told the Board that she works tirelessly for the program. Sometimes, there are issues with gym availability but that is what happens with multi-sports requesting time. She would never make a student feel bad about body image because she knows how that would hurt. The transportation issues was because she had no other options and her goal was to make sure everyone attends. She wants to all girls to have an opportunity to be part of the program.
- Mr. Jason Powers asked the visitors if they had any other comments for the Board.
 - Richard Matters – asked when the post for the Cheer Coach job will be removed from the website. Dr. Wolfe answered after Easter break it will be taken down.

COMMENTS/QUESTIONS FROM BOARD MEMBERS:

- No comments or questions from the Board Members.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- The Board President, Mr. Jason Powers, called an Executive Session at 6:58 p.m. that ended at 7:18 p.m. and then Board Meeting ended. Personnel issues were discussed.

ADJOURNMENT:

Adam Saeler made a motion, seconded by Jason Powers to adjourn at 7:18 p.m.

Board Minutes Prepared by:

Cheryl McCauley
Business Manager/Board Secretary