

Bloomsburg Area School District
School Board Special Meeting Summary
10 August 2026
7:00 p.m.

Bloomsburg Area Secondary Complex Enhanced Learning Center & Zoom

The following is a summary of the 10 August 2026 special school board meeting, which began at 7:16 p.m. and was led by Vice President Stephanie Andreacci.

- School board members present were: Stephanie Andreacci, Sam Bidleman, Misty Chapman, Dawn Kehs Errifaiy, Eric Miller, Amanda Orzolek, Eve Ralston, and Ben Simmons.
- School board members absent were: Jon Jones.
- School administrators present were: Wendy Arnold, Jonathan Cleaver, Cara Dunn, Stephanie Kessler, Andrea Landis, Mary Rose Latorre, David Marsiglio, Christine Matash, Amy Melchiorre, and Michelle Prybyla.
- Others present were: Jaclyn Krankoskie.
- The board approved the following motions at this meeting:
 - Approval of the following Bloomsburg Area School District resident students to attend a Career and Technical Education (CTE) program offered at another school district for the 2026-2027 school year, with tuition to be paid by Bloomsburg Area School District:
 - Adam Brown – Class of 2030 – To Central Columbia High School for Agricultural Sciences (CIP Code 1.9999)
 - Madelyn Swank – Class of 2027 – To Central Columbia High School for Accounting (CIP Code 52.0302)
 - Karl Unger – Class of 2028 – To Central Columbia High School for Medical Sciences (CIP Code 51.2604)
 - Caiden Orzolek – Class of 2028 – To Central Columbia High School for Engineering (CIP Code 15.9999)
 - Ryder Bates – Class of 2028 – To Central Columbia High School for Agricultural Mechanization, General (CIP Code 1.0201)
 - Niahya Grubb – Class of 2028 – To Central Columbia High School for Agricultural Sciences (CIP Code 1.9999)
 - Robert Nenstiel – Class of 2029 – To Southern Columbia High School for Agriculture – General (CIP Code 01.0000)
 - Acceptance of the resignation of K-12 ESL Teacher Alicia Archuleta, effective 2 August 2026

- Approval of Gracie Brosious as a Memorial Elementary School Long-Term Elementary Substitute Teacher at Step 1 BS (\$52,357, pro-rated), effective on or about 1 November 2026 through the end of the 2026-2027 school year
- Approval of the following professional substitutes for the 2026-2027 school year:
 - Aikey, Diann
 - Ball, Marcia
 - Bast, Amanda
 - Briggs, Celeste
 - Briggs, Sandra
 - Boyle, Kelly (pending receipt of all required new employee documentations)
 - Brosious, Gracie
 - Caravella, Jessep
 - Caravella, Marion
 - Dugan, Kathy
 - Guzylak, Alexis (pending receipt of all required new employee documentation)
 - Heckel, Debra
 - Jones, Mark
 - Maeshack, Victoria
 - Panner, Calvin
 - Strem, Nakita
 - Thornhill, Debra
 - Ward, Kiley
 - Wiegand, Susy
 - Zentner, Jennifer
 - Zettlemoyer, Aaron
- Approval of the following individuals as advisors/mentors for the 2026-2027 school year:
 - Tara Mentzer - Mentor Teacher (for Rebecca Gehrler) - Year 1 of 2 - \$1,400
 - Keith Kostiuk - Mentor Teacher (for Tim Kirk) - Year 1 of 1 - \$1,400
 - Andrea Heckman - BHS Assistant Drama Advisor - \$3,278 (correction)
 - Tara Miller - W.W. Evans Elementary School Yearbook Advisor - \$300
 - Libby Barnett - W.W. Evans Elementary School Girls on the Run Advisor (for Fall and Spring) - \$600
 - Ashley Hackenberg - Memorial Elementary School Girls on the Run Advisor (for Fall and Spring) - \$600
 - Sheila Freese - Memorial Elementary School Safety Patrol Advisor - \$375

- Dyan Murphy - Secondary Social Studies Department Chair - \$1,300
- Approval of the following individuals as Blended Teachers for the 2026-2027 school year, at a stipend of \$4,000 each:
 - Rachel Boyer
 - Mark Harris
 - Andrea Heckman
 - Andrea Landis
 - Anthony Russo
 - Jennifer Sirota
 - Amanda Zwalkuski
 - Wendy Arnold
- Approval of the following support staff transfer, effective for the start of the 2026-2027 school year: Stacy Hess - from Food Service Aide to Bloomsburg Area Secondary Complex Cook, 5.75 hours per day, at an hourly rate of \$15.50 and per the terms of the support staff agreement
- Approval of the following individuals as support staff members, effective for the start of the 2026-2027 school year, per the terms of the support staff agreement:
 - Brandy Long - Bloomsburg Area Secondary Complex (MS) Food Service Aide at \$12.50 per hour
 - Ashley Cacamis - Bloomsburg Area Secondary Complex (HS) Food Service Aide at \$12.50 per hour
 - Valarie Johnson - Beaver-Main Elementary School Health Aide at an hourly rate of \$17.50, pending receipt of all required new employee documentation
- Acceptance of the resignation of Auditorium Technician Siena Fritsky, effective 17 August 2026
- Acceptance of the retirement of Bloomsburg Area Secondary Complex (HS) Paraprofessional Dwayne Heeter, effective 13 July 2026
- Acceptance of the resignation of Bloomsburg Area School District (MS) Food Service Aide Marlyne Lindner, effective 7 August 2026
- Approval of the medical-related leave of absence request of Employee B of 2026-2027
- The meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.