

**PENNS GROVE - CARNEYS POINT
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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December 9, 2019

This information is a brief overview of actions taken at the Board of Education meeting. These are not official minutes nor do they contain every detail of the meeting.

1. Presentations:

A. Student Citizen of the Month Awards for selected students from the following schools:

- a. Lafayette/Pershing School
- b. Field Street School
- c. Paul W. Carleton School
- d. Penns Grove Middle School
- e. Penns Grove High School

B. Lexus Eco Air & Climate Challenge

- 2. Approved the minutes of the meeting held on November 18, 2019 - Executive Session and Regular Meeting
- 3. Approved to receive and file the administrative reports and fire/security drills for the month of November 2019.
- 4. Approved home instruction for students 2019-2020/11-17.
- 5. Approved articulation agreement for dual credit courses between Salem Community College and Penns Grove High School.
- 6. Approved practicum placements for Wilmington University students for spring 2020:
 - a. Nancy Maccarone/ Amber Clarke
 - b. Yu Ri Cheon/Taylor Smith (concurrent)
 - c. Jaime Wright/ Alexis DuBois
- 7. Approved Rowan University student to perform ABA Fieldwork in Spring 2020:
 - a. Akaya Gaines/ Dana Comstock
- 8. Approved 2019-2020 Athletic Schedules.
- 9. Approved and/or the ratified following workshops/seminars:
 - a. R. Keane (PGHS) to attend Foundations of Community-Based Instruction (CBI), Trenton, NJ & Mullica Hill, NJ - 11/18/19; 12/4/19; 1/8/20; 1/17/20 - No Cost to the Board
 - b. T. Allen (PGMS) to attend Principals' Learning Network - Winter convening, Branchburg, NJ - 12/6/19

- c. T. Allen, S. White (PGMS) to attend School Climate Transformation Project, Mullica Hill, NJ - 12/9/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - d. M. Land, M. Poland and N. Stafford (L/P) to attend Student Trauma/Social & Emotional Learning, Mullica Hill, NJ - 12/11/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - e. D. Morris (DO) to attend Dr. Pedro Noguera & Pawtucket Schools Visit, Providence, RI - 12/12-12/13/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - f. D. Allgeier, D. DiGravio, A. Jones, M. Meiler, M. Schaffer, S. Tyson, K. Wilson (PGHS); E. Garcia, J. Ortega, T. Shorter, A. Venello, R. Wetherall (PGMS) to attend Early College High School (ECHS) Professional Development, Salem Community College - 12/16/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - g. S. Swinehart (FSS) to attend Speech Language Therapy - Promoting Rapid Change for Children with Severe Phonological Disorders, Cherry Hill, NJ - 1/13/20 - \$279.00
 - h. M. Ostroff (DO) to attend TECHSPO, Atlantic City, NJ - 1/30-31/20 - \$475.00 (registration); \$97.00 (accommodations)
 - i. C. Baynes (PWC) to attend Restorative Practices: Alternatives to Suspension, Philadelphia, PA - 2/3/20 - \$145.00
 - j. S. Schmidt (DO) to attend New Jersey Council for Exceptional Children (NJCEC) Annual Spring Conference, Ramapo College - 3/16/20 - \$115.00
10. Approved and/or ratified the following field trips:
- a. D. Cubbler, together with 80 students, to Penns Grove High School - 12/9/19 - \$117.11 (transportation)
 - b. A. Venello, together with 10 students, to Salem Community College Middle School Leadership Conference - 1/10/20 - \$132.78
 - c. H. Ware, together with 8 students, to local businesses - 12/11/19; 12/17/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - d. H. Ware, together with 8 students, to Penns Grove Middle School - 12/13/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - e. Gear-Up Program, together with 35 PGMS/PGHS students, to The Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, PA - 12/17/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - f. K. Mattison, together with 45 students, to Carneys Point Senior Apartments - 12/18/19 - No Cost to the Board
 - g. S. White, together with 16 students, to Salem Community College Showcase - 12/18/19 - No Cost to the Board; Bus Provided by SCVTS
 - h. K. Heathwaite, together with 60 students, to Wood Lanes Bowling, Woodstown, NJ - 12/19/19 - No Cost to the Board; Paid by 21st CCLC Grant
 - i. Venello, together with 10 students, to Salem Community College Middle School Leadership Conference - 1/10/20 - \$265.55

- j. FSS Teachers, together with Grades 2-3 participants, to Salem Community College KIC Conference - 1/16/20 - \$905.00 (participation fee); \$468.44 (transportation paid by PTO)
 - k. J. Brice, together with 40 students, to University of the Sciences, Philadelphia, PA - 1/24/20 - \$531.19 (transportation)
11. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy No. 5131.7, Students, Weapons & Dangerous Instruments.
 12. Approved financials, certifications and reports for October 2019.
 13. Approved an amendment to the previously approved FY 2020 Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) LEA consolidated formula Subgrant application.
 14. Approved with regret the resignation due to retirement of Janice Gagliardi, Confidential Secretary to the Superintendent, effective December 31, 2020.
 15. Approved with regret the resignation of Sunshine Tirado, General Cafeteria Worker, effective December 3, 2019.
 16. Approved employment to Marie Barbara to the position of Health Benefits/Personnel Manager.
 17. Approved employment to Samantha Baer to the position of Special Education Teacher at Paul W. Carleton School.
 18. Approved employment to Claudia Fernandez to the position of BiLingual Teacher at Lafayette/Pershing School.
 19. Approved to amend the request of Leslie Cottman, School Nurse at Penns Grove High School, for a medical leave of absence from November 20, 2019 to February 12, 2020.
 20. Approved to amend the request of Cristina Donofrio, Teacher at Penns Grove High School, for a medical leave of absence from February 18, 2020 to May 8, 2020.
 21. Approved to amend the request of April Staman, School Psychologist, for a medical leave of absence from November 12, 2019 to April 15, 2020.
 22. Approved employment to Brittany Blue to the position of Specialist Aide.
 23. Approved to amend the salary adjustment of Melissa Lane (LP) effective February 1, 2020, when negotiations are completed.
 24. Approved to amend the salary of Diana Morris, Humanities Supervisor, retroactive to July 1, 2019.
 25. Approved the following mentors. The novice teacher pays the fee for the mentor teacher by payroll deduction. Danielle DiGravio for Sarah Dawoud; Amanda Tanyer for Danielle Hallahan
 26. Approved to amend its previously approved Lafayette/Pershing School Title I Parent Academy program resolution to include the employment of Zulayka Zavala as a substitute translator.
 27. Approved to amend the following B Schedule position at Penns Grove High School for the 2019-2020 school year, due to the resignation of Ryan Keane from the position.

Penns Grove High School		
Mock Trial Advisor	Nancy Barton	\$1,243

28. Approved the following B Schedule position at Penns Grove High School for the 2019-2020 school year.

Penns Grove High School		
Play Prop/Design Assistant	BarbieSue/Ian McCrane	\$890

29. Approved the School, Community and Resource Liaison/ Attendance Officer Job Description.

30. Approved the following individual to the list of substitutes for the 2019-2020 school year: Sunshine Tirado - Substitute Cafeteria Worker