

**PENNS GROVE - CARNEYS POINT
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
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August 11, 2014

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. Presentation- Special Olympics Participant - Samantha Cox
2. Presentation- McRel Teacher Evaluation System
3. Approved minutes for the June 30, 2014 - Executive Session and Regular Meeting July 14, 2014 - Executive Session and Regular Meeting, and July 23, 2014 - Executive Session
4. Approved placement of Rowan University student, Jennifer Morrison, to perform her School Nurse Practicum for the period of August 26, 2014 through November 28, 2014.
5. Approved the placement of Rowan University student, Dominic Decamillis, to perform Clinical Practice, September 2, 2014 through October 24, 2014 at FS.
6. Approved the production of *Alice in Wonderland* (non-musical version) for the Penns Grove Red Devil Players Spring 2015 play on March 12, 13 & 14, 2015.
7. Approved the following workshops/seminars:
 - a. M. Szatkowski (LP) to attend New Jersey Kindergarten Entry Assessment (NJKEA) - Camden, NJ - 7/29-31/14 - No Cost to the Board
 - b. A. Rizzi (PGHS) to attend GEOGEBRA Dynamic Mathematics Software - Annandale, NJ - 8/20/14 - \$100.00
 - c. G. Alston (PWC) and B. Foster (CST) to attend Autism and Other Neurodevelopmental Disorders - Cherry Hill, NJ - 9/26/14 - \$189.99 each
 - d. G. Alston (PWC) to attend Explosive, Challenging and Resistant Kids, Cherry Hill, NJ - 10/22/14 - \$189.99
8. Approved approve and/or ratify the following field trips:
 - a. S. Schmidt, together with 45 ESY students (Grades 5-12), to Wood Lanes Bowling, Woodstown, NJ - 7/23/14 - \$657.28
 - b. S. Schmidt, together with 60 ESY students (Grades PreK-4), to Delaware Children's Museum, Wilmington, DE - 7/23/14 - \$956.56
 - c. S. Schmidt, together with 130 ESY students, to Oakwood Summer Theater at Salem Community College - 7/16/14 - \$853.78
 - d. S. Holland, together with 12 Cheerleaders, to Pine Forest Cheer Camp, Olyphant, PA - 8/21-24/14 - \$320 per cheerleader - No cost to the Board - Paid for by fundraising and individual cheerleader.
9. Approved the first reading to approve revisions to Policy 5141.9 - Students - Automated External Defibrillator.

10. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #2224 - Administration - Nondiscrimination/Affirmation Action.
11. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #4111.1 - Instructional Personnel - Nondiscrimination/Affirmative Action/Sexual Harassment.
12. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #4211 - Support Personnel - Recruitment, Selection & Hiring.
13. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #4211.1 - Support Personnel - Nondiscrimination/Affirmative Action/Sexual Harassment.
14. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #5145.4 - Students - Equal Educational Opportunity.
15. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #6121 - Instructional Program - Nondiscrimination/Affirmative Action.
16. Approved the second reading to approve revisions to Policy #3515 - Business & Non-Instructional Operations - Smoking
17. Approved the first reading to revise Policy # 5114.13 - Students - No Smoking.
18. Approved the first reading to revise Policy #6174 - Instructional Program - Summer School.
19. Approved the first reading to revise Policy #5111 - Students - Admission.
20. Approved the first reading to approve Policy #6142.7 - Instructional Program - Students Studying Abroad.
21. Approved the financial reports and certifications for June 2014.
22. Approved an alternate method of compliance on the use of toilet room facilities for the PreK and Kindergarten classrooms at the Lafayette/Pershing School as meeting the requirements of N.J.A.C. 6A:26-6.2(h)4ii for the 2014-2015 school year
23. Approved approve the 2015 IDEA Basic and Preschool applications in the amount of \$604,595.00.
24. Approved to enter into a lease agreement with S.A.C.C. Inc for the use of school facilities in the Field Street School and Lafayette/Pershing School.
25. Approved to the use of the following providers on an "as-needed" basis to provide services required to fulfill the compliance regulations set forth by initial evaluation and/or reevaluation timelines as per N.J.A.C. 6A:14, at the rate stipulated in the professional services contract: SCSSSD, CCESC, Delta-T Group, Staffing Plus, Inc, EBS, The Wright Choice, LLC, Therapy Services of De, Interactive Kids, LLC, Krista M. Bey, CNNH, Dr. James Hewitt.
26. Approved the following Use of Facilities:
 - a. Penns Grove High School Marching Band to use the Penns Grove High School cafeteria, classroom (37) and band practice field from June 26, 2014 to August 15, 2014 from 9:00 AM to 9:30 PM for the purpose of practice and prep equipment
 - b. Penns Grove High School Marching Band to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium, classroom (37) and athletic field/courts from July 15, 2014 through August 29, 2014 from 4:30 PM to 8:00 PM for the purpose of holding practice (in case of inclement weather).

- c. Penns Grove Cheerleading Squad to use the Penns Grove High School driveway/parking lot on Saturday, August 16, 2014 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM for the purpose of holding a car wash.
 - d. Title I Transition Team to use the Penns Grove High School cafeteria, library, athletic fields/courts, courtyard on Monday, August 4, & Tuesday, August 5, 2014 from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM for the purpose of Title I Transition Team Peer Leading Training.
 - e. Title I Transition Team to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium, gymnasium, cafeteria, library, classroom and courtyard on Thursday, August 28, 2014 from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM for the purpose of Freshman Orientation.
 - f. Project Graduation, Inc. to use the Lafayette/Pershing cafeteria from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM for the purpose of holding monthly Project Graduation meetings. The following dates are being requested: October 6, 2014; November 3, 2014; December 1, 2014; January 5, 2015; February 2, 2015; March 2, 2015; April 6, 2015; May 4, 2015; May 18, 2015; June 1, 2015.
27. Approved, with regret the resignation due to retirement of Beth Brown, Instructional Aide at the Paul W. Carleton School, effective July 1, 2015
 28. Approved, with regret the resignation of Leonor Thomas, Music Teacher at the Penns Grove High School, effective September 22, 2014
 29. Approved, with regret, the resignation of Dena Kilian, Music Teacher at the Penns Grove High School, effective October 2, 2014
 30. Approved employment to Kelly Houck to the position of Library Media Specialist at the Field Street School effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015
 31. Approved employment to Joseph Gilliam to the position of Security Aide at the Penns Grove High School.
 32. Approved employment to Devon Troutt to the position of Security Aide at the Penns Grove Middle School
 33. Approved rescind the offer of employment to Jacqueline Rappa as 10-Month Secretary (PGMS).
 34. Approved employment to Jacqueline Rappa to the position of 12-Month Secretary (PGMS) effective August 16, 2014 through June 30, 2015
 35. Approved rescind the offer of employment to Kaytlynn Capasso as Assistant Band Director.
 36. Approved the request of Kristin Martin, Teacher at the Field Street School, for an unpaid medical leave of absence from September 1, 2014 through October 2, 2014.
 37. Approved the increase in the Substitute Secretary rate of pay from \$60.00 per day to \$10.00 per hour worked effective August 16, 2014.
 38. Approved the following staff members to develop an action plan for the New Jersey Quality School Accountability Continuum (NJQSAC) on August 12 & 13, 2014, five hours per day at the negotiated contract rate: Jennie Cusick, Jennifer Lehr, Jeanne Woerner.
 39. Approve the following individuals to revise the English Language Arts Curriculum (Grades 1-3) on August 11 & 12, 2014, five hours per day at the negotiated contract rate: Victoria Bucksar, Michele Walker

40. Approved the following Penns Grove High School staff members to teach a sixth period class for the 2014-2015 school year: Jennifer Denby (5.5), Colleen Gilmartin, Vincent Kennedy, Nicole Murphy, Joel Rudderow, Thomas Fien, Steve Kline, Nicole McFadden, Mary Micallef.
41. Approved the following Penns Grove Middle School staff members to teach a sixth period class for the 2014-2015 school year: Amy Austino, David Cubbler, Abner Mendoza, Tara Pyfrin, Shannon Quinn, Tajauna Shorter, Jeanne Woerner.
42. Approved the following individuals to the list of B Schedule positions at the Penns Grove High School for the 2014-2015 school year: Allison Venello, 7th Grade Advisor/Laura Venello, MS Student Council Advisor.
43. Approved the following individual to the list of volunteers for the 2014-2015 school Year- Band: Adam Brant, Kaytlynn Capasso, Justice Hines, Matthew Stewart, Kelly Sweeney/Football: Greg Martin, Reginald Morris, Arnold Smith Jr., Tony Verdecchio, Rowland Warfle Jr.
44. Approved the salary adjustment for Paula Martin, School Business Office Budget/Accounting & Health benefits Clerk retroactive to July 1, 2014.
45. Approved to affirm the finding of the administration in HIB case PGHS #5-13/14.
46. Approved the employment of Christopher Castner, Penns grove High School Assistant Principal/ Athletic Director effective upon completion of Criminal History Review.
47. Approved, with regret the resignation of Tara Pyfrin, English Language Arts Teacher, at the Penns Grove Middle School, effective September 22, 2014.