

**PENNS GROVE - CARNEYS POINT  
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
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**October 15, 2012**

**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-PGHS FFA ~ Committed Partnership Award – Mr. Joel Rudderow
2. Presentation- Update of District Breakfast Program – Mrs. Colleen Green
3. Presentation-Nolan M. Concannon ~ College Board Recognition
4. Recognized the following Student Citizens of the Month:
  - Lafayette-Pershing-Jason Derrick
  - Field Street School- Anthony Pritchett and Chase Willis
  - Paul W. Carleton School- Keontrey Robinson Ceaser and Karla Villanueva Rivera
  - Middle School- Brittney Cox and Gary Matera
  - High School- Jordan Burkhardt and Tatyana Veney-Lee
5. Approved the Board of Education Meeting minutes for September 17, 2012, Executive and Regular Sessions.
6. Approved the Administrative Reports and Fire Drills for September 2012
7. Approved home instruction for students 2012/13-01 through 09.
8. Approved the yearly memorandum of agreement between the school district and local law enforcement agencies.
9. Approved the NJQSAC Instruction and Long Term Plan for the 2012-2013 school year.
10. Approved the first school bus emergency drill at FSS on September 20, 2012.
11. Approved to contract with Dr. Milou for 34 sessions of K-8 Title I math coaching for the 2012-2013 school year.
12. Approved contract with William Smith for 34 sessions of 9-12 Title I math coaching for the 2012-2013 school year
13. Approved the following workshops/seminars:
  - a. Theresa Staley (DO) to attend Fountas & Pinnel Leveled Literacy/Benchmark Assess. System, Cherry Hill, NJ – 10/10/12 – No Cost to the Board
  - b. Bruce Bassetti, Lisa DiPatri, Pamela Gall and Benjamin Venello (PGMS) to attend Coping with Defiant and Disruptive Students in the Classroom, Rowan University – 10/12/12 - \$149.00 each
  - c. Casey Kern and Joel Rudderow (PGHS) to attend Digging Deeper into the Common Core, New Brunswick, NJ – 10/16/12 – No Cost to the Board

- d. Stacy Lockwood and Kimberly Tursi (DO) to attend Suicide Prevention in the School Setting: Identification and Intervention, Robins Nest, Glassboro, NJ – 10/18/12 - \$129.00 each
  - e. Brenda Foster (DO) to attend Understanding the Culture of Urban Poverty, Cherry Hill – 10/26/12 - \$94.50
  - f. Kelly Ferguson and Cynthia Gioia (PWC), Shannon Farley, George Johnson and Laura Venello (PGMS) to attend Learned Focused Conference Planning Guide, Dover, DE – 10/29-30/12 - \$75.00 each
  - g. Stacy Lockwood (DO) to attend Bullying & Bias: Implementing New Anti-Bullying Legislation in School, Glassboro, NJ – 11/29/12 - \$105.00
  - h. Jennifer DeGerolamo, Edward Mahoney and Tara Pyfrin (PGMS) to attend Working with Troubled and Troubling Students, Rowan University – 12/20/12 - \$249.00 each
14. Approved to approve and/or ratify the following field trips:
    - a. D. Tiefenthaler, together with DuPont Academic League Students, to Pennsville High School – 9/27/12
    - b. Kindergarten Teachers, together with Kindergarten Students, to Carneys Point Fire Hall – 10/12/12
    - c. PreK Teachers, together with PreK Students, to Carneys Point Fire Hall – 10/15/12
    - d. L. Bonner, together with 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Students, to College Fair – River Winds Community Center – 10/25/12
    - e. L. Bonner, together with 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Students, to HBCU College Fair – 11/14/12
    - f. D. Tiefenthaler, together with DuPont Academic League Students, to Schalick High School – 11/15/12
    - g. L. Bonner, together with Academy Junior Students, to NJIT – NCE Career Day – 12/7/12
  15. Approved financials for August 2012
  16. Approved budget line item certification.
  17. Certified the public presentation on September 17, 2012 of a monitoring report for Jobs, ESEA, IDEA and Corrective Action Plans.
  18. Approved a jointure agreement with Pennsville for transportation of one student to PVMS.
  19. Approved to award renewal contracts with Walt's Bus Service.
  20. Approved 26 special education out of district placements for the 2011-2012 school year.

21. Approved the following use of facility requests:
- a. Field Street School PTO to use the Field Street School cafeteria on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Each Month from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding PTO Meetings.
  - b. Fellowship of Christian Athletes to use the Penns Grove High School classroom(s) on Tuesdays for the period of October 2012 through June 2013 (biweekly) from 2:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. for the purpose of holding meetings to share and listen with other students.
  - c. Penns Grove Twins Midget Football to use the Penns Grove High School gymnasium on Mondays and Thursdays for the period of October 4, 2012 thru November 15, 2012, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the purpose of holding basketball clinics for Penns Grove students only.
  - d. Penns Grove Lady Twins Cheerleaders to use the Paul W. Carleton School gymnasium on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays for the period of October 1, 2012 thru March 1, 2013, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the purpose of holding cheerleading practice.
  - e. S.J.T.S.A. to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium on Wednesday, October 24, 2012, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the purpose of holding a driving safety presentation for parents and students.
  - f. Miss Salem County Scholarship Organization to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium and classroom(s) on November 14, 2012 and November 16, 2012, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m., and November 17, 2012, from 11 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding the Scholarship Pageant practice and pageant.
  - g. DuPont Academic League to use the Penns Grove High School library on October 25, 2012, December 6, 2012, and January 17, 2013, from noon to 2 p.m. for the purpose of holding DuPont Academic League matches.
  - h. Salem County Council of Education Associations to use the Penns Grove High School classrooms (21, 23, 25) on Wednesday, November 28, 2012, from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of presenting a workshop for school staff: Child Abuse Bullying.
  - i. Salem County Council of Education Associations to use the Penns Grove High School classrooms (21, 23, 25) on Wednesday, January 16, 2013, from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of presenting a workshop for school staff: Worker's Compensation.
  - j. Hidden Meadows HOA to use the Field Street School library or classroom on January 28, 2013 and April 22, 2013, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding a meeting.
  - k. Salem County Council of Education Associations to use the Penns Grove High School classrooms (21, 23, 25) on Wednesday, February 13, 2013, from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of presenting a workshop for school staff: Diversity.
22. Approved the resignation of Thersa Tonden, LP Manager/Head Cook effective September 28, 2012.

23. Approved the voluntary transfer of Lisa Rudderow, HS Cafeteria to MS Cafeteria effective October 16, 2012.
24. Approved the following mentors for the 2012-2013 school year: K. Giordano for D. Ware and L. Beals for A. Burkhardt.
25. Approved the maternity leave request of Christine Mistichelli, CS Teacher effective January 2, 2013 through April 3, 2013.
26. Approved the staff for Extended Day Detention for the 2012-2013 school year at MS and HS.
27. Approved the following volunteer: Anthony Oliver, Boys Soccer.
28. Approved the following substitutes for the 2012-2013 school year: Cafeteria- Yvonne Hutt, Barbara Johnson, Candida Nelson/ Custodian-Barbara Johnson
29. Approved the following use of facilities:
  - a. Penns Grove HS Baseball Boosters to use the Penns Grove High School gymnasium and all purpose room (gym) on Tuesdays and Thursdays for the period of October 16, 2012 thru March 2013, from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. for the purpose of holding baseball training and workout, throwing and batting.
  - b. High School Parent Appreciation Group to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium, cafeteria, library, classrooms(s) 21, 23, 19, 25, 22 on November 29, 2012, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. for the purpose of hosting a Title I parent outreach and college readiness program – Literacy Night.
  - c. High School Parent Appreciation Group to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium, cafeteria, library, classroom(s) 21, 23, 19, 25, 22 on February 28, 2013, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. for the purpose of hosting a parent workshop series and college readiness program – Math Literacy Night.
  - d. High School Parent Appreciation Group to use the Penns Grove High School auditorium, gymnasium, cafeteria, library, classroom(s) on April 18, 2013, from 3:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. for the purpose of hosting a Title I parent outreach and parent appreciation night.
  - e. Sophomore Student Congress to use the PGHS auditorium on November 19, 2012 from 9:15 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of hosting a Sophomore Class Ring Assembly.
  - f. PG-CP-PED Jr. Wrestling to use the Lafayette/Pershing School gymnasium Monday through Friday (except days that school is not in session) for the period of November 1, 2012 through April 1, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of holding wrestling practice.
  - g. PG Twins Midget Football to use the Penns Grove High School gymnasium Mondays and Thursdays, October 4, 2012 to November 20, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of hosting a basketball clinic.
  - h. South Jersey SWAT to use the Penns Grove High School gymnasium on Sundays, December 2, 2012 through May 26, 2013 from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of holding softball practice and clinics.
  - i. PG-CP-PED Jr. Wrestling to use the Penns Grove High School gymnasium and all-purpose room from November 1, 2012 through April 11, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of holding wrestling practice and matches. (Matches to be held on Sundays). (Christmas Tournament will be held on Dec. 15 & 16, 2012.)

30. Approved the following field trips:
  - a. M. Seagraves, J. McDowell, P. Massare together with Peer Mediators, to YMCA - 10/9-10/12
  - b. N. Murphy, together with Gifted & Talented, to Delaware Theatre Company - 12/13/12
  - c. J. Cortright, C. Mebs, together with ESL students, to Rowan University & Chestnut Branch Park 9/11 Memorial - 11/2/12
  - d. M. Kwiatkowski, together with Grades 2 & 3 students, to Salem Community College - 10/24/12
31. Approved the following workshops/seminars:
  - a. Dana Comstock (DO) and Christina O'Neill (FSS) to attend Handle with Care Behavior Management, Vineland, NJ - 10/24-25/12 - \$400.00 each
  - b. Sheryl Cerrito (HS) and Tanya Rinnier (HS) to attend Digging Deeper into the Common Core, New Brunswick, NJ - 10/16/12 - No Cost to the Board
  - c. J. Baczewski (HS) to attend Working Together to Build Strong Relationships, Trenton, NJ - 10/20/12 - No Cost to the Board
  - d. E. Mahoney (MS) and Timothy Elwell (MS) to attend McRel's Teacher Evaluation, Mullica Hill, NJ - 10/16/12 - No Cost to the Board
  - e. Joseph Jones (MS) to attend the NJ School Board Association Fall Conference, Atlantic City, NJ - 10/24-25/12 - No Cost to the Board
  - f. Barbara Cleaves (PWC) to attend the NJASL Annual Fall Conference, Long Branch, NJ - 11/30 - 12/1/12 - \$85.00
  - g. Brenda Foster (DO) to attend Disruptive Resistant & Non-Compliant Kids, Cherry Hill, NJ - 12/5/12 - \$94.50
  - h. Ed Mahoney (MS) to attend the Learning Focused Conference, Dover, DE - 10/29-30/12 - \$75
32. Approved the following mentor for the 2012-2013 school year: M. Guildin for L. Massari.
33. Approved to employ Ibn Muhammad, HS Guidance effective November 1, 2012.
34. Approved to employ Jennifer Morrison, MS Nurse effective November 1, 2012.
35. Approved Maureen Bevis and Diana Morris to serve as Paired Reading Instructors.
36. Approved the voluntary transfer of Betty Hogate, HS Cafeteria Worker to LP Manager/Head Cook effective October 16, 2012.
37. Approved to employ Margaret Tunstall, HS Cafeteria Worker effective November 1, 2012.
38. Approved to employ Shekera Sorrell, CS Instructional Aide effective October 16, 2012.
39. Approved to employ Sarah Green, CS Instructional Aide effective October 16, 2012.
40. Approved John Ellis, MS Teacher for a sixth period class from September 17, 2012 to December 31, 2012.
41. Approved a jointure agreement with Pennsville to transport one student to SCSSD Alt MS.

42. Approved a jointure agreement with Clearview to transport one student for the 2012-2013 school year.
43. Approved the 1<sup>st</sup> School Bus Emergency Evacuation Drill for CS on October 3, 2012.
44. Approved the 1<sup>st</sup> School Bus Emergency Evacuation Drill for LP on October 4, 2012.
45. Approved to submit the FY 2012 Perkins Secondary Final Report.
46. Approved the 2013 IDEA Basic and PreK applications
47. Approved the 2012-2013 Title Split Funded Staff Listing.
48. Approved a transportation contract to Wyshinski Bus-EM1213-01
49. Approved to add the following substitute: Thersa Tonden, Cafeteria.