



Neshannock Township School District
Office of the Superintendent

To: All Staff Members
From: Terence P. Meehan, Superintendent
Date: February 11, 2022

Subject: Report of Board Meeting – February 10, 2022

1. Curriculum

A. Program of Studies and Revisions

The 2022-23 Program of Study for Grades 9-12 was approved with recommended revisions.

2. Personnel

A. Resignation/Retirement

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective Date & Reason</u>
Colleen Schaller Speech Therapist	June 8, 2022 (close of day) Retirement

B. Additions to Substitute Teacher List

The following individual will be added to the list of day-to-day substitute teachers effective upon completion of a packet of new-hire paperwork, including pre-employment drug screening:

Prospective Teacher Sub
McKenzie Campbell
Addie Reynolds

C. Addition to Non-Professional Substitute List

The following individual will be added to the substitute list indicated effective as of January 20, 2022:

Paraprofessional
Brianna Knis

3. Athletics

A. Election of Coaches – Spring Sports

The following individuals were elected to the positions indicated for the 2021-22 school term/season only to allow payment for services rendered:

- 1) Blaise Paglia – Assistant Track Coach
- 2) Annalisa Frengel/Aliya Gage – Co Assistant Track Coaches

B. Volunteer Coach

The following individual was granted permission to render their services on a voluntary basis to the program indicated for the 2021-22 school term/season only:

- 1) John Anthony Quahliero – Baseball Program

4. Professional Development

A. Permission was granted for the following professional development activities:

- 1) Matt Heasley – Safe Schools Virtual Symposium – February 23, 2022
- 2) James Hamm – The Declaration and Constitution Together and in Context, Philadelphia – February 25-27, 2022
- 3) Dr. Meehan – PASBO Conference, Hershey – March 9 & 10, 2022
- 4) Kristen Rogers – Mandatory Annual CHS Chemistry On-line Meeting, University of Pittsburgh – April 21, 2022

5. Field Trips

A. Permission was granted for the following field trips using District Transportation:

- 1) Darci Wise & selected vocal music students – PMEA District 5 Choir, Sharon High School – February 10 & 11, 2022
- 2) Brenda DeVincentis & Interact Club students – Interact Club Meeting, Confluence New Castle – ½ day of February 14, 2022

5. Field Trips – cont.

- 3) Kelly Robles & gifted students – Academic Games/Tribowl, Grove City College – February 27 & March 1, 2022 (snow day-March 2, 2022)
- 4) Shawn Lucas, Leslie Janaszak, & students – National History Day Competition, Westminster College – March 10, 2022
- 5) Kim Heim & student – Regional I Band, Mt. Lebanon High School – March 11-12, 2022
- 6) Lindsay Bangor, Kayla Zion, and 7th & 8th grade students – Book Bonanza Laurel Jur/Sr High School – May 20, 2022

6. Student Overnight Travel

The following requests for out-of-district, overnight student travel requests were approved:

- A. Luca Passarelli, Ed Frye, cheerleading coaches and cheerleader's travel to the PIAA Cheer Competition in Hershey from January 28 & 29, 2022, was formally approved.
- B. Luca Passarelli, Jeanne Pursel, Cynthia Welker, and FBLA students were granted permission to travel to the PBLA Student Leadership Conference in Hershey, PA from April 10-13, 2022 with students contributing \$350 each toward the associated District costs.

7. Use of Facilities

- A. Elyse Patrick was granted permission for use of the Neshannock Memorial School gymnasium from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. on March 17, 2022, in order to conduct their Title I Family Fun Night. No fee will be assessed.
- B. Jennifer Dayton, on behalf of the Neshannock Girl Scouts, was granted permission for use of the Neshannock Memorial School gymnasium and cafeteria on April 30, 2022, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in order to conduct their Pinewood Derby Race. No fee will be assessed.

7. Use of Facilities – cont.

- C. The New Castle School of Trades was granted permission for use of the Neshannock Junior/Senior High School gymnasium, auditorium, and lobby in order to conduct their Set Up on Thursday, July 14, 2022, and January 13, 2023, and their graduation ceremony on July 17, 2022, and January 15, 2023, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. each day. Fees will be charged for rental, custodial, and security services.

8. Financial Issues

- A. Local Audit Report – Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2021.

The local audit report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, was approved as presented by Phillip Weiner and Company.

9. Board Issues

- A. Policies

The following policies appeared for Second Read/Formal Adoption:

- 1) Policy #304 – Employment of District Staff
- 2) Policy #607 – Tuition Income
- 3) Policy #707 – Use of School Facilities
- 4) Policy #803 – Public Relations Objectives
- 5) Policy #916 - Volunteers

- B. Sharon Regional Linkage Agreement

The Board authorized the District to continue its Linkage Agreement with Sharon Regional Health System for the Partial Hospitalization Programs Kite Strings and Pathfinders for placement of students ages 11-18 for calendar year 2022.