

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Education of the Canfield Local School District, Mahoning County, Ohio met in regular session this date at 6:00 p.m. with the following members present:

Mrs. Traci DeCapua, President
Mr. Nader Atway, Vice President
Mr. Matt Campbell
Mrs. Jennifer Kluchar
Mr. Dave Wilkeson

PRINCIPALS' REPORTS

Mr. Moldovan, Mr. Shields, Mr. Rubin, Mr. Lavery, and Mr. Flood reported.

TRIBUTES

Mr. Flood paid tribute to Jerry Cope, former Hilltop custodian.

Mr. Wilkeson paid tribute to Loren Mitchell, former teacher and coach.

MINUTES

Mrs. Kluchar made a motion, seconded by Mr. Atway, to waive the reading of the minutes of the September 8, 2021, regular meeting and the September 29, 2021, special meeting and approve the minutes as presented.

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Dale Morckel spoke in favor of continuing the mandatory masking policy.

Gordon Bourgerie requested the board reconsider mandatory masking. He believes it should be a family decision and is causing undue mental stress on students.

Chad Hawks recommended the Board of Education encourage Mahoning County Health Commissioner and Board of Health to consider alternate approaches to quarantine such as Test and Stay.

Brian Shapona requested the metric be published for determining mandatory masking.

Mr. Hopkinson questioned the Board of Education's goals for keeping schools open and requested the mask be taken off his kid.

Dr. Michael Scolieri stated that every child has the constitutional right to an education and the quarantining policy from the Department of Health violates that. He encourages the Board to consider other options to mandatory quarantining.

HIRING AND APPROVING TRANSPORTATION SUBSTITUTES

Mr. Knoll made the following recommendations:

Hiring – Licensed:

Amy Hensdill	CHC Daily Substitute at \$100 per day
Nicolette Frketic	CHS Daily Substitute at \$100 per day
Carolyn DeChurch	CVMS Daily Substitute at \$100 per day
Terrance Esarco	Hilltop Daily Substitute at \$100 per day

Hiring – Classified:

Dana Faire	Hilltop Special Needs Aide at \$14.90 per hour, 3.75 hours per day effective October 25, 2021
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Hiring – Extracurricular for the 2021-2022 School Year:

In-District Licensed Extracurricular

Mentor (Rupp)	Kerrie Wiand	\$	774
Mentor (Tuchek)	Shari Munno		774
Mentor (Angelo)	Mike Kerensky		774
Mentor (Circella, Hogan)	Julie Webb		774
Mentor (Krug, Bock)	Kate Antal		774
Mentor (Johnson)	Kailey Patoray		774
Mentor (Hoselton)	Kristine Caporale		774
Mentor (Ehko)	Ashley Gibbs		774
Head Softball Coach	Erin Angelo		6,964
Boys Tennis Coach	Pat Pavlansky		5,030
Assistant Swim Coach Volunteer	Paris Krug		

Out-of-District Licensed Extracurricular (Resolution #19-2022)

Head Baseball Coach	Gary Knittle	\$	6,964
* Head Girls Lacrosse Coach (.5 time)	Holly Seimetz		1,750
Assistant Boys Golf Coach Volunteer	Michael Zoccali		

* Temporary Supplemental Position Funded by District Support Organization Donation

Non-Licensed Extracurricular (Resolution #20-2022)

* Assistant Girls Lacrosse Coach	Ashlyn Cleevely	\$	2,000
* Head Boys Lacrosse Coach	Gordon Byrne		3,500

* Assistant Boys Lacrosse Coach	Adam Kemp	2,000
JV Softball Coach	Joe Angelo	4,643
* Assistant Softball Coach	Kerry Durkin	2,500
* Assistant Softball Coach	John Gomez	2,500
Head Boys Track Coach	Nick Wagner	6,964
Assistant Hockey Coach Volunteer	Anthony D'Apolito	

* Temporary Supplemental Positions Funded by District Support Organization Donations

Contracts are pending verification of BCI/FBI background checks and completion of all required certifications and courses including but not limited to Pupil Activity Validations and CPR certifications for those supervising vigorous activities.

Approve Transportation Substitutes:

(Pending background check and drug screening)

Robert Brownlie
Steve Headland
Bill Wittman

Mr. Atway made a motion, seconded by Mr. Wilkeson, to approve the above recommendations as presented by the Superintendent.

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

FIRST READING OF POLICIES

Mr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Wilkeson, to approve the first reading of the following policies:

0169.01	Public Participation at Board Meetings
1530	Evaluation of Principals and Other Administrators
1617/3217/4217	Weapons
2271	College Credit Plus Programs
2370.01	Blended Learning
5111/5111.02	Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Students
	Educational Opportunity of Military Children
5200	Attendance
5350	Student Mental Health and Suicide Prevention
5464	Early High School Graduation
5516	Student Hazing
5630.01	Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports and Limited Use of Restraint and Seclusion
8330	Student Records
8462	Student Abuse and Neglect
8600	Transportation
8651	Non-routine Use of School Buses

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

IMPRACTICAL TRANSPORTATION

Mr. Wilkeson made a motion, seconded by Mr. Campbell, to approve amending Resolution #14-2022 declaring transportation impractical for listed students.

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

OUT-OF-STATE/OVERNIGHT FIELD TRIP REQUESTS

Mr. Knoll presented the following requests for out-of-state/overnight field trips and recommended they be approved:

Wrestling Team	Participate in Wheeling Park Duals Wheeling, WV December 27 – 29, 2021 Provided transportation and lodging are covered by an outside source
Wrestling Team	Participate in the Bill Dies Wrestling Tournament Akron Firestone High School Akron, OH January 14 – 15, 2022 Providing lodging is covered by an outside source
CVMS Grade 8 Students	To Visit our Nation's Capital Washington, DC May 18 – 20, 2022 Providing transportation and lodging are covered by an outside source

Mr. Atway made a motion, seconded by Mrs. Kluchar, to approve the above requests for out-of-state/overnight field trips as recommended by the Superintendent.

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

DONATIONS

Miss Prince presented the following donations:

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Stephen Brozina	\$ 580.00	Air Purifier for CHC
Leslie Barrett & Mandy Yankle	621.43	Air Purifier for CHC
Canfield PTA	5,000.00	CHC Principal's Fund
4 th of July Golf Outing Till Open	200.00	Elementary STEM
Ivory & Birch		Tennis Balls
Harbor Freight Quick Donation Website		Harbor Freight Gift Card for \$200
Simon Roofing		Materials and Labor to make Repairs to Roof Under Press Box
Total Cash Donations	\$ 6,401.43	

Mr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Wilkeson, to accept the above donations as presented by the Treasurer.

On roll call members voted as follows:

Mr. Atway-yes Mr. Campbell-yes Mrs. Kluchar-yes Mr. Wilkeson-yes Mrs. DeCapua-yes

The President declared the motion carried.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Knoll and Mr. Vitto presented a School Safety update focusing on the theme for the year – “Every Cardinal Counts”.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Mr. Wilkeson commended Mr. Knoll for Champion Day.

Mr. Wilkeson publicly requests that the Mahoning County Board of Health adopt a Test and Stay protocol.

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING DATE

A special board meeting for the purpose of reevaluating the masking policy was scheduled for Wednesday, October 27, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, at 7:06 p.m., Mr. Atway made a motion, seconded by Mr. Wilkeson, to adjourn. The motion carried without dissent.

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Mrs. Traci K. DeCapua, President

Miss Patricia L. Prince, Treasurer

A recording of the meeting is available to the public via the Canfield Local School District YouTube Channel, www.youtube.com/canfieldschools.