



**Tri-Village Local Schools**  
***School of Excellence***  
Regular Board News Release  
July 31, 2017

The Tri-Village Local School District Board of Education met in special session on Monday, July 31, 2017 at 5:45 p.m. with the following members present: Tim Bevins, Shane Coby, Darin Dubbs, Amy Farmer and Tom Schlechty. Administrators attending were Josh Sagester and Kimberly Chowning.

At 5:45 p.m, the Board of Education held a special meeting which consisted of a public meeting to consider the reemployment of retirees for the 2017-2018 school year. Employees considered were Teresa Light (Bus Driver) and Ann Brubaker (Food Service). These two individuals will be on the August agenda for rehire.

The regular Board of Education meeting began at 6:00 p.m. The regular meeting minutes for June 26, 2017 were approved. The members also approved the June 2017 expenditures, current appropriation budget amendments and all financial reports as presented by the Treasurer.

Superintendent Report: Mr. Sagester shared that an Administrator's Retreat will be held August 3 and 4 at Miami University. New teacher orientation will take place on August 14. The first and second teacher work day will be on August 15 and 16. Many professional development opportunities will take place on these two days including Technology Integration (SOITA), Data Analysis, AED training, speaker Marilyn Swartz (Differentiation, Strategies and the RTI system), ESC Curriculum personnel will be present, Navigate Prepared training and Restraint and Seclusion Training (Jodi Fritz). The third teacher work day, August 28, will include a motivational speaker, David Crone. Open House is the evening of the 28<sup>th</sup> with students officially arriving on campus, August 29. Amanda Dyson, Youth Advocate, will return to the District this year. This position is funded by the Community Connectors grant which is spearheaded by Jeff Vaughn, Council on Rural Services. Mr. Sagester informed the Board members that per ORC 3313.814, the District's food service program has adopted and continues to enforce a nutrition standards policy (Board policy number 8500 and 8500A). House Bill 410 was discussed. This is a truancy policy and updated information will be placed on the District's website. Grades 4 and 6 Social Studies assessment tests have been eliminated for the upcoming school year. Graduation requirements for 2018 only were shared which consist of two options. The first option requires all students to take all required high school courses, end of year course exams, and meet two of the eight following conditions: 1) Senior year attendance rate of 93 percent, 2) 2.5 senior year GPA based on taking at least four full-year courses, 3) Senior capstone project completion, 4) completion of 120 hours of work/community service, 5) earning three or more credits in a College Credit Plus course, 6) successful completion of Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate, 7) reaching minimum cut scores on sections of the WorkKeys assessment and 8) meeting the conditions to earn an OhioMeansJobs – readiness seal. The second option is specific to career-technical students. Mr. Sagester shared the 2016-2017 AIR achievement results. The District was above the state average on 15 of the 23 tested categories. The Pre School program has received a 4 Star rating from the Ohio Department of Education. Superintendent Sagester publically thanked Jared Rush, Athletic Trainer, who has accepted another position. Mr. Rush will be replaced by Pat Snyder. Mr. Snyder is a graduate of Northmont High School and Ohio University. A facility and technology summer update was shared. Many items have been completed with a few remaining. Extracurricular dates for the Fall season scrimmages, games and meets were shared along with a list of the Fall coaches.

The following motions were voted upon by the Board of Education members:

# **PERSONNEL**

- A. Accept the resignation of Heidi Wooddell, Title IIA Reduction Teacher effective July 31, 2017.
- B. Issue a one year (2017-2018) limited certified contract to Ronald Bauman, Intervention Specialist K-12 Teacher conditionally, pending passage of the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation criminal records check, negative drug screen and the issuance of a valid Ohio teaching certification/license, where applicable for the 2017-2018 school year.
- C. Issue a one year (2017-2018) limited classified contract to Samantha Bialowas, Classroom Aide.
- D. Approve the part-time secretary rate of \$13.78 per hour for the 2017-2018 school year.
- E. Approve the Title 1 Coach pay rate of \$80.00 per day for the 2017-2018 school year.
- F. Issue a one year (2017-2018) contract to the following Title 1 Coaches. These position are excluded from the negotiated agreement.

Stephanie Baumgardner	Pamela Heil	John Miller	Nancy Jayne Weaver	Christina Wogoman
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- G. Approve the issuance of a School Bus Driver's Certificate to the following school bus drivers for the 2017-2018 school year.

Theresa Graham	Mark Sheard	Deloris Hunt	Dawn Green	James Foreman	Allen Howell
Elizabeth Jewell Towery	Mary Boone	Michelle Sheard	Jeannette Leugers	Kevin Denlinger	

- H. Approve the following classified substitutes (school bus drivers) for the 2017-2018 school year.

David Brewer	Jonathon Steele	Allen Howell	Diane McNew	Dawn Reed
	Jeannette Leugers	Michelle Sheard	Mark Sheard	

- I. Issue a one year (2017-2018) limited supplemental contract to Gregory M. Perry, High School Boys Basketball coach, pending the issuance of a valid Ohio coaching certification/license, and all other requirements as set forth by the Ohio Department of Education and the Ohio High School Athletic Association.
- J. Issue a one year (2017-2018) limited part-time certified contract to Michelle Groff Title IIA Reduction Teacher at a 0.65 FTE, conditionally, pending passage of the Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation criminal records check, negative drug screen and the issuance of a valid Ohio teaching certification/license, where applicable for the 2017-2018 school year.
- K. Recognize Kim Canan for obtaining additional education and training that will place her on the M+15 step per the Negotiated Agreement.
- L. Recognize Angie Thomas for obtaining additional education and training that will place her on the M+15 step per the Negotiated Agreement.
- M. Recognize Heather Richards for obtaining additional education and training that will place her on the M+30 step per the Negotiated Agreement.

# **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Approve the junior high and high school fees for the 2017-2018 school year.
- B. Approve the elementary school fees for the 2017-2018 school year at a rate of \$60.00 per student for grades K-6.

- C. Appoint Tom Schlechty as its official delegate to the annual convention of the Ohio School Boards Association.
- D. Appoint Shane Coby as its alternate delegate to the annual convention of the Ohio School Boards Association.
- E. Approve all bus stops as required by the State Department of Transportation, as recommended by the Transportation Coordinator and the Superintendent for the 2017-2018 school year. Changes or additional stops may be necessary as the year progresses if it is in the best interest of the Tri-Village Local Schools.
- F. Approve board policies 2464 and 2413 as recommended by the Superintendent.
- G. Approve the 2017-2018 event ticket prices for Junior High and High School Sporting events, (\$6.00 per person for high school events and \$4.00 per person for junior high events) as recommended by the Superintendent.
- H. Approve the following 2017-2018 sporting season ticket prices:

<b>ATHLETIC PASS PRICES</b>		
<b><i>*Good For Home Events (excluding Holiday Tournaments and post season events)</i></b>		
Family All Sports Pass (Family of 4) - \$250.00  Student All Sports Pass - \$50.00  Adult All Sports Pass - \$100.00	Fall Sports Family Pass (Family of 4) - \$150.00	
	Winter Sports Family Pass (Family of 4) - \$150.00	
	Lifetime Senior Citizen All Sports - \$75.00	
\$25.00 Per Additional Pass	\$25.00 for an Assigned Seat	\$30.00 for a Reserved Seatback Assigned Seat (Football Only)
<i>*Family Passes <u>ONLY</u> include immediate family members that live in your home. Does not include, cousins, aunts, uncles, or grandparents.</i> <i>**Additional family members (more than 4) will add to price of family pass.</i>		

- I. Approve the issuance of free individual season passes to all athletic events, excluding Holiday tournaments and post season events, if a volunteer takes tickets for three games.
- J. Agrees to pay Patty Jackson \$200.00 per month for transportation fees, for the 2017-2018 school year.
- K. Agrees to pay Sierra Mendenhall \$200.00 per month for transportation fees for the 2017-2018 school year.
- L. Agrees to pay Michael & Paula Lowe \$200.00 per month for transportation fees for the 2017-2018 school year.
- M. Approve an overnight field trip for select FFA members to attend National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, IN from October 25-28, 2017 under the direction of Mr. Justin Slone.
- N. Approve an overnight field trip for select FFA members to visit North Carolina State University in Raleigh, NC from October 27-29, 2017 under the direction of Mr. Justin Slone.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.