



FREEMPORT AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Happenings

*During the Regular Meeting of the Freeport Area School District Board of School Directors held on Thursday, **August 11, 2016**, the following agenda items were approved:*

Personnel

The resignation of Daniel E. Consuegra, Assistant Principal, effective July 19, 2016.

The resignation of Donna C. Vivian, Nurse Assistant, effective August 4, 2016.

The resignation of Linda M. Zeidler, part-time Cafeteria Worker, effective July 14, 2016.

The employment of Morgan L. Kaminski as a full time 7-12 Math Teacher for the District, effective August 24, 2016.

The employment of Patrick W. Scott as Assistant High School Principal for the District, effective August 24, 2016.

The employment of Tahnelle E. Herrit as an English as a second language instructor for the 2016-2017 school year, effective August 24, 2016.

The request of Aimee J. Engleka, Teacher, for uncompensated Family Medical Leave Act leave beginning on or around August 25, 2016.

The request of Laura J. Rinaman, Teacher, for uncompensated Family Medical Leave Act leave beginning on or around October 3, 2016.

A list of Educational Assistants and Nurse Aides and the Employment Guidelines for Educational Assistants for the 2016-2017 school year.

The employment of the following personnel for the District's athletics programs during the 2016-2017 school year:

POSITION

Volunteer Volleyball Coach - Varsity
Junior Varsity Boys Soccer Coach
Volunteer Girls Soccer Coach
Volunteer Swimming Coach
Junior Varsity Volleyball Coach
Volunteer Head Swimming Coach (Co-ed)
Volunteer Assistant Athletic Trainer
Volunteer Swimming Coach
Volunteer Varsity Football Coach

2016-2017 COACH

Carlie L. Bieranowski
Graham J. Bitzer
Raine A. Carney
Janette R. Clark
Lynsey Gugino
Nichole R. Heasley
Dustin M. Koedel
Robert G. Livrone
Shawn Petras

POSITION	2016-2017 COACH
Head Softball Coach	Samuel O. Ross
Seventh Grade Girls Basketball Coach	Christopher W. Speer
Junior High Boys Basketball Coach	Joseph V. Sprumont III
Volunteer Boys Soccer Coach	Kristie L. Teorsky

The employment of the following personnel for the District’s extracurricular programs during the 2016-2017 school year:

POSITION	2016-2017 SPONSOR
Band Director Assistant (School Term) (split position)	Elisa J. Hill
Band Director Assistant (Summer) (split position)	Elisa J. Hill
Band Director Assistant (School Term) (split position)	Mark Ortego
Band Director Assistant (Summer) (split position)	Mark Ortego
Dramatics - Middle School	Charles M. Shipman, Jr.

A list of bus drivers for the 2016-2017 school year.

A Memorandum of Agreement with Freeport Educational Support Professionals Association to modify the terms of the Collective Bargaining Agreement with FESPA in effect from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2020.

Curriculum and Technology

An assessment schedule for the 2016-2017 school year.

Athletics and Activities

The request of Charles M. Shipman, Jr., Middle School/High School Band Director, and Thomas D. Koharchik, Middle School/High School Choral Director, for preapproval of a High School Music Department field trip to Chicago, Illinois, on March 8-12, 2017.

A list of pay rates for officials and athletic-event game workers for the 2016-2017 school year.

Finance

The June and July financial reports and a list of bills for payment.

The authorization of Victoria M. Ostrowski, Accountant, to make requests and receive any and all tax information and records from Berkheimer relative to the collection of taxes.

Policy

The tentative adoption of new School Board Policy No. 247 (Hazing).

The final adoption of revised School Board Policy No. 707 (Use of School Facilities), and corresponding revised fee schedule.

The final adoption of revised School Board Policy No. 907 (School Visitors/Classroom Visitations).

Other Business

The attendance of up to three members at the Pennsylvania Association of School Administrators/Pennsylvania School Boards Association School Leadership Conference on October 13-15, 2016 in Hershey, Pennsylvania.

The appointment of Frank C. Prazenica, Jr. as the Board's Voting Delegate to the Pennsylvania School Boards Association 2016 Delegate Assembly to be held on October 15, 2016.

A proposal prepared by The A.G. Mauro Company for the installation of replacement doors at the High School student entrance.

Change Order GC-7 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with DiMarco Construction Company, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$6,612.64.

Change Order GC-8 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with DiMarco Construction Company, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$1,524.28.

Change Order GC-9 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with DiMarco Construction Company, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$44,565.37.

Change Order GC-10 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with DiMarco Construction Company, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$25,434.63.

Change Order EC-1 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with Bronder Technical Services, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$1,086.91.

Change Order EC-2 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with Bronder Technical Services, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$3,493.82.

Change Order EC-3 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with Bronder Technical Services, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$795.38.

Change Order EC-4 to the Freeport Area Athletics Stadium Project General Construction Agreement with Bronder Technical Services, Inc. dated October 15, 2015, for an increased cost in the contract sum of \$5,729.57.

An agreement with Armstrong-Indiana-Clarion Drug and Alcohol Commission, Inc. for the provision of services for the Student Assistance Program Initiative for the 2016-2017 school year.

A letter of agreement with the Armstrong-Indiana Behavioral and Developmental Health Program for the provision of mental health liaison services under the District's Student Assistance Program through the Family Counseling Center during the 2016-2017 school year.

An Agreement for Services with Family Counseling Center of Armstrong County for services which may be provided to District resident students under the Child and Adolescent Partial Hospitalization Program during the 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 school years.

An Agreement with MHY Family Services for services which may be provided to District resident students under the Private Academy Program at Longmore Academy during the 2016-2017 school year.

A Day Student Education Agreement with Glade Run Lutheran Services/St. Stephens Lutheran Academy for special or alternative educational instruction services which may be provided to District resident students during the 2016-2017 school year.

A Professional Services Agreement with Catapult Learning, LLC, for Title I instructional services to be provided to District resident students at Evangel Heights Christian Academy, during the 2016-2017 school year.

An Agreement with Buffalo Township for traffic control services to be provided during certain athletic events to be held during the 2016-2017 school year.

Free and Reduced Lunch Policy and Guidelines as established by the Department of Education for inclusion in district policy for the 2016-2017 school year.

The acceptance of a Pennsylvania Music Educators Association District 3 Music Education Mini-Grant to be used to purchase musical instruments for the Freeport Area Middle School's Music program.

A resolution/ordinance extending the term of exemptions, deductions, abatements and credits for real property, earned income tax, net profits mercantile, and business privilege taxes within a specific geographic area in Armstrong County designated as a Keystone Opportunity Expansion Zone or Keystone Opportunity Improvement Zone.

A change in the dates of the meetings to be held during the remainder of the 2016 calendar year and directing the Board Secretary to publish notice of the change in the meeting dates.

A Lease Agreement with the Armstrong County Community Action Agency, for the lease of space at South Buffalo Elementary School, to be used for the purpose of operating a Head Start Program, for a one year term beginning on September 1, 2016.

Next Meetings

Wednesday, September 7, 2016, at 7:30 pm – Committee Meeting
Wednesday, September 14, 2016, at 7:30 pm – Regular Meeting