

CANON-McMILLAN SCHOOL DISTRICT
MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
AUGUST 6, 2007

The Canon-McMillan Special School Board Meeting was called to order at 7:07 P.M. by the President, Mr. Cianelli, in the administration building, located at One North Jefferson Avenue, Canonsburg, PA.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call

Roll call was taken.

Robert Arista	P	Adam Galambos	P	Robert Pintar	A
Nick Cianelli	P	Edward Yorke	P	Kathy Smith	P
Debbie Link	P	Laura Grossman	P	Jay Romano	P

In addition to Board Members, the following non-members were present:

Dr. Nick Bayat, Superintendent
Dr. Helen McCracken, Assistant to the Superintendent
Ms. Joni Mansmann, Director of Business and Finance
Ms. Linda Kappel, Federal Coordinator
Ms. Sharon Avbel, Board Secretary

Citizens Speak

No citizens addressed the Board.

Resignations

Mr. Yorke made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith that the Board accept the following resignations:

1. accept the resignation of Sharon Warchol from her position as an elementary assistant principal at Borland Manor and Wylandville Elementary Schools.
2. accept the resignations of the following professional personnel:
 - a. the resignation of Nathan Bernosky from his position as a social studies teacher at the middle school effective June 27, 2007.
 - b. the resignation of Stacie Vaughan from her position as a speech teacher effective August 21, 2007. Ms. Vaughan has accepted other employment.
 - c. the resignation of Amy Keller from her position as a high school art teacher effective August 20, 2007.
 - d. the resignation of Linda Hulsey from her position as an elementary music teacher effective August 20, 2007. Ms. Hulsey has accepted other employment.
 - e. the resignation of Allison Willott from her position as an elementary teacher effective August 1, 2007. Ms. Willott has accepted other employment.
 - f. the resignation of Douglas Barrett from his position as a high

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school math teacher, effective August 24, 2007. Mr. Barrett has accepted other employment.

The motion carried unanimously.

Extra-Curricular

Mr. Yorke made a motion, seconded by Ms. Link that the Board accept the following extra-curricular resignations:

Nathan Bernosky	Assistant 9 th Grade Boys Basketball Coach
Nathan Bernosky	Assistant Middle School Track Coach
Amy Keller	High School Art Club Sponsor
Amy Keller	Art Department Chairperson
Linda Hulseay	Music Department Chairperson
Roberta Lorenzo	H.S. Society of Exceptional Children Sponsor
Michelle Wrubleski	H.S. Kids for Wish Kids Sponsor
Susan Humbertson	Sophomore Class Sponsor
Patrick Hudock	H.S. TSA Sponsor
Alyson Pagano	H.S. Cheerleading Sponsor
Dan Ellis	Middle School Ass't. Girls Soccer Coach
Douglas Barrett	Freshman Class Sponsor

The motion carried unanimously.

Assistant Elementary Principals

Mr. Yorke made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith that the Board hire the following as assistant elementary principals at an annual salary of \$62,000 for a 215 day contract, effective at the start of the 2007-08 school year:

Lou Sabina	Borland Manor and Wylandville Elementaries
Shelley Brose	First Street & Hills-Hendersonville Elementaries

The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Yorke left the meeting at 7:10 P.M.

Professional Personnel

Ms. Smith made a motion, seconded by Ms. Grossman that the Board make the following appointments:

1. hire the following professional personnel effective at the start of the 2007-08 school year:

Joanna Zocco	Art Teacher at the High School
Adam Manion	Social Studies Teacher at Middle School
Kelly Sadlek	Science Teacher at the High School

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Danielle Blonar	½ day Kindergarten Teacher at Borland Manor Elementary
Christine Asbury	4 th grade Teacher at Hills-Hendersonville Elementary

2. change the status of Carla Mastrian from a ½ day kindergarten teacher to a full day learning support teacher at Cecil Intermediate, effective at the start of the 2007-08 school year.
3. change the status of Carolyn Freeman from a ½ day kindergarten teacher to a full-day extended day kindergarten teacher at Hills-Hendersonville Elementary, effective at the start of the 2007-08 school year.

The motion carried unanimously.

Other Appointments

Mr. Arista made a motion, seconded by Ms. Link that the Board make the following appointments:

1. appoint the following as a permanent substitute teacher for the 2007-08 school year with salary and benefits per Procedure IV-7:
Tami Jaworski 2nd grade, Cecil Elementary, full year
2. change the status of Mary Koupiaris from a 10-month secretary at the High School to that of a 12-month secretary at the High School, effective July 16, 2007.
3. change the status of Charles Thomas from an 8-hour custodian at the High School to that of a temporary 8-hour head custodian at South Central Elementary School, effective July 23, 2007.

The motion carried unanimously.

Other Appointments

Mr. Arista made a motion, seconded by Ms. Link that the Board make the following appointments:

1. hire Casey Thompson as a district technology technician at an annual salary of \$36,500 pro-rated, effective August 7, 2007.
2. hire the following extra-curricular personnel at the contracted rate:

Larry Clutter	Assistant Varsity Football Coach	\$4,553
Emily Mahoney	Middle School Ass't Girls Soccer Coach	\$1,227
Amy Hancq	Middle School Ass't Girls Soccer Coach	\$1,227
Brian Krenzela	Head M.S. Boys Soccer Coach	\$2,324
Kristen Sacco	H.S. Head Cheerleading Sponsor	\$2,990
Jamie Gilbert	M.S. Ass't. Girls Volleyball Coach	\$1,227

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3. appoint Jessica Brown as a volunteer varsity girls tennis coach.

The motion carried unanimously.

Travel

Ms. Link made a motion, seconded by Ms. Smith that based on the school district's funding reductions and limitations for school year 2007-08, the Board approve Superintendent and Assistant to the Superintendent travel to local seminars and workshops as related to the best interests of the school district and approve Board Member travel to local seminars and workshops.

The motion carried unanimously. Ms. Smith mentioned that she felt it was imperative for one or more Board members to attend the PSBA Legislative Session in Hershey/Harrisburg this year.

Adjournment

Mr. Cianelli adjourned the meeting at 7:16 P.M. An executive session followed the meeting.

Sharon L. Arbel

Secretary