



BOARD MEETING

10/10/2022 [07:00 PM-09:00 PM]

BOARD MEETING

1. Pledge of Allegiance

Mr. Latham began the meeting at 7:00 pm with the pledge to the flag.

2. Roll Call

Members in attendance included: Bob Latham (President), Melanie Gurgiolo (Vice President), Josceylon Buchs, Neil Connelly, Randy Gale, Greg Lamay, Dan Serfass (Superintendent), and Jeff Ammerman (Secretary). Laurie Kennedy, Karen Mallah and Geoffrey McInroy were absent.

Community/Staff Attendees are available on the attached list.

3. Information only

Minutes

3.a. PSBA

Mr. Latham presented a PSBA (Pennsylvania School Boards Association) certificate to Mr. Lamay recognizing his 8 years of dedicated service to Camp Hill School District. Mr. Lamay has spent countless hours as a Board member, committee leader and oversight on the most recent capital project.

3.b. Principal Presentation

Mrs. DeLong did a presentation on things that are happening in the Middle School including the following:

- Smore is the middle school online newsletter
- Ms. Hadden is doing a Trout program in the classroom
- 6th grade is going to Canadensis in May. There are 38 class options including paddleboarding and pickleball. 7th grade turned in their bug collections and there will be an insect fair. 8th grade is learning about plate tectonics.
- Noted what was being worked on in Social studies, ELA, Math, Family & Consumer Science, Physical Education and Music in each grade
- 8th grade will visit Cumberland Perry Career & Technical Center and will have a ½ day of Volunteerism
- There will be a field trip to Construction Wars

- CAIU has a forum with the speaker, David Garcia, on the negative effects of vaping
- Intervention study halls consisting of small groups of students with a teacher in the students' area of need
- PBIS program – mentor groups as clubs where the students have like interests. All middle school students will participate during the regular school day
- School store is open to all students and is run by the Lion Pride Student Committee
- Homework Club is open to all students on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 – 4pm and is regularly attended by approximately 15-20 students
- Extra-Curricular includes Cross Country Club, Ski/Snowboard Club, VIP (volunteer) Club who helps with the Early Besch Pantry and Babysitting Night, MiniThon, Coding and Video Game Club, and hoping to form a Debate Club

4. Agenda Approvals

Minutes

4.a. Approval of the Agenda

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Agenda. The motion passed unanimously.

4.b. Minutes from the Previous Meetings

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Minutes from Previous Meetings. The motion passed unanimously.

4.c. Bills List

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Bills List. The motion passed unanimously.

4.d. Treasurer's Report

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Treasurer's Report. The motion passed unanimously.

5. Report of Officers and Others

Minutes

5.a. President

No report

5.b. Secretary

No report

5.c. Solicitor

No report

5.d. Superintendent

Mr. Serfass stated that winter sports sign up is available on the website. In fall sports, football is 5-2 and the team currently sits in 2nd place in Double A. There is a big game against 1st place Trinity this Friday. Boys' soccer record is 7-4-1 and the team is currently sitting in 5th place in Double A with 6 games to go. Girls' soccer record is 7-5-1 and they are in 5th place in Single A. Girls tennis wrapped up the season with a 12-2 record and were co-champions of the Colonial Division. Golf finished with a 28-14 record and were the Mid Penn Conference Double A champions. Bobby Latham, Jonah Spotts, Willow Dixon represented the Lions at the Mid Penn Championships. The boys' team made Districts. Willow finished 2nd overall at Districts and will compete at States in State College. Field Hockey has a current record of 5-7 with the hardest part of their schedule behind them. Cross Country is preparing for the Mid Penn Championships and then Districts in a few weeks. Cole Jones has been the lead runner for the boys and Jordan Lawruk for the girls.

A local school district reported a case of monkeypox this past week. The Department of Health has an information website for reference.

6. Comments from Citizens

No Comments

7. Report of Committees

Minutes

7.a. Athletic - Mr. McInroy

No report

7.b. Budget and Finance/Personnel - Mrs. Kennedy

No report

7.c. Building and Grounds - Mr. Gale

Mr. Gale reported that there is a meeting scheduled at the end of this month.

7.d. Community Engagement / Governmental Relations Committee

Mrs. Gurgiolo stated that the committee met September 15 where they discussed the CAC for DEI Cornerstone Meet and Greet held last Tuesday. It was well attended and the committee members addressed many good questions. She thanked board members who were there to offer support. There was an issue with audio and a message was sent to those attended virtually inviting them to attend the next meeting on November 20 at noon. The evening meeting will be in late January. There is a town hall on November 15 to discuss safety.

Communication is a priority. The school district uses Blackboard, Schoology and the school district website.

7.e. Curriculum and Extracurricular Activities - Mr. Connelly

Mr. Connelly stated that the minutes are attached. Also attached is the schedule for curriculum summer review.

7.f. Policy - Mr. Lamay

Mr. Lamay reported that the committee did not have a meeting.

8. Report of Board Representatives

Minutes

8.a. Community Recreation - Mrs. Gurgiolo

Mrs. Gurgiolo stated that there was a meeting on Tuesday, October 4. Jaerren Stever is working on an Eagle Project at Siebert Park that will include putting in stairs that will be used by coaches and athletes.

The Halloween Parade is October 24 with a rain date of the 25th. Trick or Treat is October 31. The Parade of Lights will be held December 1-3. Students will be volunteering to collect toys. There is a need for groups to put up displays. Any community member, business, or group can set up lights. There are recreation commission positions open. See the Borough website for more information on how to apply. Applications for the Volunteerism Award are due by November 1 and more information is on the Borough website.

8.b. Cumberland Perry Area Career & Technical Center - Mr. Lamay

Mr. Lamay noted that he was not able to attend. Mrs. Gurgiolo attended in his absence and the minutes are attached.

Mrs. Gurgiolo reported that culinary students served the dinner. A masonry student gave a presentation, speaking about projects including the retaining wall at the CTC entrance.

Much of the meeting consisted of discussions with Crabtree Rohrbaugh & Associates about the facility project, including cost, design, needs, requirements, location, equipment and clearances. The project will allow more opportunities for students.

8th grade tours of the CTC are scheduled for October 19 and 20.

8.c. District/Borough - Mr. Gale

Mr. Gale reported that there was a meeting on September 28. Mr. Serfass gave a report about what is happening with the school district and the Borough manager gave a report about Borough happenings.

The following items were discussed:

- Crossing Guard Contract, including concern about posts not being filled
- Traffic on Deanhurst blocking a resident’s driveway
- Eisenhower walkway project moving slowly due to red tape.

- The Borough's paving and sidewalk project is under way, including ADA compliant ramps and some resurfacing.
- Noise complaints in relation to the pickle ball courts at College Park which will be discussed with the Building and Grounds Committee
- Concession building and maintenance at Seibert Park
- Dates for Borough events: The Tree Lighting Ceremony is December 8 at Borough Hall. Holiday Makers Market on 24th is on December 10. The Parade of Lights is December 1-3.
- Borough's Climate Action Plan Committee updates
- Earl Besch Food Pantry updates

The next meeting will be January 25.

8.d. Harrisburg Area Community College - Mr. Gale

Mr. Gale stated that the next meeting will be at the beginning of December.

8.e. Performing Arts Center Advisory Committee - Dr. Mallah

No report

8.f. Capital Area Intermediate Unit - Mrs. Gurgiolo

Mrs. Gurgiolo reported that there was a meeting on September 22 and the minutes are attached. The CAIU Fall Fest is on October 29. There is a flyer with event information on the CAIU websites. Activities are free and food can be purchased from food trucks.

9. New Business

Minutes

9.a. Ski and Snowboard Club Trip

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mrs. Gurgiolo to approve the Ski and Snowboard Club Trip. The motion passed unanimously.

9.b. Practicum Agreement with Penn West (Edinboro student)

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Practicum Agreement with Penn West. The motion passed unanimously.

9.c. PSBA Officer Elections

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the PSBA Officer Elections. The motion passed unanimously.

9.d. Emergency Transportation Contract

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Emergency Transportation Contract. The motion passed unanimously.

9.e. PA Educator Contract

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the PA Educator Contract. The motion passed unanimously.

9.f. Crossing Guard Contract

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Crossing Guard Contract.

Mr. Lamay noted that the Borough already signed the contract and he expressed that the school district should be additionally insured at no cost.

The Board discussed the problems of not having certain crossing locations covered, communication with the Borough and the management company about staffing issues, and hourly rate for the crossing guards. The situation will be monitored and there are a couple of meetings before the end of the school year where it will be discussed.

The motion passed unanimously.

9.g. Yellow Breeches Educational Center Contract

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Yellow Breeches Educational Center Contract. The motion passed unanimously.

10. Human Resources

Minutes

10.a. Personnel Report

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Personnel Report. The motion passed unanimously.

10.b. Athletics Extra Duty Report

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Athletics Extra Duty Report. The motion passed unanimously.

10.c. Extra Duty Report

Mr. Gale made a motion, seconded by Mr. Lamay to approve the Extra Duty Report.

It was noted that the class of 1972 held their 50th reunion and had a tour of the high school. Several attendees expressed that they were impressed with the updates to the school.

Mr. Latham stated that there was an executive session held prior to the Board Meeting.

The motion passed unanimously.

11. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:12 pm

Leslee DeLong
Autumn Reely
Brian Lownsbery
Tonya Ivey
Minke Kooistra
Betsy Gayner
Jennifer Hoover
Kris Latham
Bryan Burton
CM
Anita
aahmed
sharon
Micki Kautz