

NORTH SCHUYLKILL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Briefs

Regular Meeting – February 27, 2013

A regular meeting of the North Schuylkill Board of Education was held on the above date in the Cafeteria of the North Schuylkill Junior/Senior High School.

Action was taken on the following agenda items:

Finance Committee

Approved the financial reports and check registers

Approved the transfer of all student activity money in PLIGIT to the Riverview Bank

Approved an increase in the Tax Collector Compensation Rate

Physical Facilities

Approved building usage requests

Approved an agreement with Geotechnical Engineering Solutions, LLC for site exploration at NSE

Personnel

Approved adding the following substitutes to the appropriate lists: Phoebe Shaw, Timothy Nestor, James Brennan, Christopher Canfield and Jordan Wartman

Approved a leave of absence for Claire Krapf, English Teacher

Approved the issuance of a permanent contract for Joseph Tomtishen

Approved Fred Hughes as a Full-Time Maintenance Worker

Curriculum and Instructional Programs

Approved the 2012-2013 school calendar revision

Approved a Special Education One-On-One Agreement for the 2012-2013 school year

Approved field trip requests to New York City for the Spanish Club and to Temple University for the Computer-Aided Design/Auto Cad Architecture classes

Approved the purchase of an iPad cart, iPads, miscellaneous equipment and apps with funds from the PA LEADS Grant

Approved the amendment of Kindergarten and First Grade Report Cards beginning with the 2013-2014 school year

Approved instituting a Transitional Kindergarten and a Transitional First Grade

Approved the attendance of Dr. Andrew Smarkanic at the PARSS Annual Meeting

Approved the Guides for Planned Instruction for Grades 7 and 8 and Grades 9 through 12

Food Service, Safety, Transportation

Approved a field trip request to Hershey Chocolate World for 1st Grade Students

Extracurricular Programs

Approved Bill Stokes, Katie Malone and Ann Gownley as Volunteer Assistant Softball Coaches for the 2013 spring season

Approved a trip request to Orlando, Florida for the Lady Spartan Basketball Team

Approved John Minalda, Joseph Tomtishen, Anthony Russo, John Darrah and Carl Stine as Assistant Football Coaches

Approved a trip request to Windham Mountain, New York for the NS Ski Club

Authorized the administration to advertise for bids for band uniforms

Approved Jenna Dyszel as an Assistant Softball Coach for the 2013 season

Policy/Legislative

Approved the first reading of the revision to policy 201

Approved the first reading of the following policies: 709 and 907

Merri Lynn Craig, Board Secretary

Upcoming Meetings

March 13, 2013 – Committee Meetings – 7:00 p.m.

March 20, 2013 – Committee of the Whole – 6:30 p.m.

March 20, 2013 – Regular Meeting – 7:00 p.m.