

Board Briefs

NORTH SCHUYLKILL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Regular Meeting – January 21, 2026

A Regular Meeting of the North Schuylkill Board of Education was held on the above date in the LGI Room of the North Schuylkill Junior/Senior High School.

Action was taken on the following agenda items:

Finance Committee

Approved:

- 📍 Financial reports and check registers
- 📍 Real Estate Tax Exemptions for Disabled Veterans
- 📍 the sale of repository properties in Girardville
- 📍 The Act 1 Resolution
- 📍 the Appointment of Delegate Resolution for the TCC for 2026
- 📍 the 2025 Real Estate Tax Reports and authorized the Business Manager to submit delinquent taxes
- 📍 the Agreement with SitelogIQ

Physical Facilities

Approved:

- 📍 Facility Use Applications

Personnel

Approved:

- 📍 an internship mentor placement for Ryan Wagner
- 📍 the notice of intent to retire from Michelle Hull, Elementary Guidance Counselor
- 📍 an Intermittent FMLA Leave Request for Megan Colihan, Family and Consumer Science Teacher
- 📍 Trevor Minalda as a Substitute Paraprofessional
- 📍 the change of assignment for Connie Reese from Part-Time Custodian to Part-Time Custodian Substitute
- 📍 the resignation of Jani Burns, Part-Time Paraprofessional

Curriculum & Instructional Programs

Approved:

- 📍 the revision to the 2025-2026 School Calendar due to a weather cancellation
- 📍 the 2025-2026 Special Education Service Agreement with the Schuylkill IU 29

Food Service, Safety, Transportation

Approved:

- 📍 adding Brianna Thomas, Angela Castillo, Sean Murray, Dallas Harrington and Angel Romero to the School Bus Drivers/Van Drivers/Aides Roster for 2025-2026

Extracurricular Programs

Approved:

 the appointment of the following Head Coaches for the 2026 Fall Season:

Golf – John Cuthie

Varsity Football Cheerleading Advisor – Leah Wallace

Football – Joe Tomtishen

JH/JV Football Cheerleading Advisor – Melissa Tenaglia

Junior High Football Cheerleading Advisor – Ellen Geidner

Volleyball – Tyler Mutchler

Girls Soccer – Dave Reeder

Boys Soccer – Jarrid Todd

Cross Country – Matt Klingerman

the resignation of Nicole Kane as an Assistant Track and Field Coach

 Autumn Montemuro as an Assistant Track & Field Coach for the 2026 Spring Season

 Keith Lehman as a Volunteer Baseball Coach for the 2026 Spring Season

a Field Trip Request for the Fire and Rescue Club

Policy/Legislative

Approved:

- the Committee Assignments for 2026
- the Second Reading of Policies: 105.2, 122 and 122.1
- the First Reading of Policies: 816, 006, 204, 218.1, 610, 611, 805, 805.1, 805.2 and 626
- the Policy Review Schedule for 2026

Committee of the Whole Meeting

The following **Students of the Month** were recognized by their teachers and presented a School Themed Shirt from the Board:

8th Grade	- Alexis Smith <i>nominated by Ms. Rivera</i>
9th Grade	- Nico Capone <i>nominated by Ms. Geidner</i>
12th Grade	- Mikaili Fearon <i>nominated by Mr. Sharp</i>
Self-Starter	- Gabriella Manning <i>nominated by Ms. Staudenmeier</i>
Positive	- Luciana Devine <i>nominated by Ms. Tenaglia</i>
Ambitious	- Nicholas Thurick <i>nominated by Mr. Dean</i>
Resourceful	- Klark Harnish <i>nominated by Ms. M. Smith</i>
Team Player	- Hunter Misunas <i>nominated by Ms. Huggins</i>
Authentic	- Scarlett Flannery <i>nominated by Ms. McCabe</i>
Natural Leader	- Harrison Butler <i>nominated by Ms. A. Smith</i>

Merri Lynn Craig, Board Secretary



Upcoming Meetings

February 18, 2026 – Committee of the Whole – 6:30 p.m.
– Committee Meetings – 7:00 p.m.
– Regular Meeting – immediately following Committee Meetings

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