**BOARD OF EDUCATION**
**CORRY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING**
**August 28, 2017**

A Regular Board Meeting of the Corry Area Board of School Directors was held on Monday, August 28, 2017, in the Large Group Instruction Room of the Administration Office. President Doris Gernovich called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

The Board met in Executive Session at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, August 28, 2017 for Solicitor consultation.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Directors: Michael E. Baker, Amanda J. Cox, Lonny T. Eastman, Joseph A. Frisina, Doris P. Gernovich, Christine A. Johnson, Deborah A. Wood

Excused: Amy L. Allen, Linda L. Hajec

Also Present: William A. Nichols - Superintendent; Jennifer Gornall – District Solicitor; Sheri L. Yetzer – Assistant Superintendent; Brenda L. Clabbatz – Business Manager; William P. West – Director of Secondary Education; Teresa Pearce – Primary School Principal; Gail Swank – Intermediate School Principal; Daniel Daum – Director of Elementary Education; Kelly Cragg – High School Principal; Lee Swartzfager – Middle School Principal

Media: None

Guests: Paul Carney, Amy Heslop, Valerie Toplovich, Amy Dietz, Gary Dietz, Stephanie Garrett, Dale Morgenstern, Chelsea Messinger, Tonja Messinger, Paula Carey

**MOMENT OF SILENCE/ PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**APPROVED AGENDA**

MOTION by Director Johnson and seconded by Director Eastman to approve the agenda for August 28, 2017.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

The Trap Team was introduced by Coach Sherry Anderson, with several members explaining the team and their accomplishments over the past several years, including winning the region competition for 7 straight years and winning at the National level this past year. The students thanked the Board and Administration for their support.

**STAFF COMMENT**

Mr. West spoke briefly about the successful opening day and asked the new teachers present to introduce themselves (Paul Carney, Amy Heslop, Stephanie Garrett, Dale Morgenstern, Paula Carey)

**APPROVED BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORTS**

MOTION by Director Baker and seconded by Director Eastman to approve the Business Manager's Reports.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

**APPROVED 2017 CASD LIST OF GRADUATES**

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Cox to approve the list of graduates of the Corry Area High School Class of 2017.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

**APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEMS**

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Frisina to approve the following Personnel items:

1. Appointment of the following teachers as New Teacher Mentors for the 2017-2018 school year at a supplemental pay rate of $260.00:

| Mentor | New Teacher |
|---|---|
| Christel Jackman | Paula Carey |
| Mike Woods | Paul Carney |
| Val Toplovich | Scott Foster (LTS) |
| Marsha Laska | Stephanie Garrett |
| Lisa Peterson | Amy Heslop (LT |
| Rachel Cragg | Dale Morgenster |
| Shellie Zaczkiewicz | Margaret Roche (LTS) |

2. Resignation of Kyle Jewell – Grade 6 Middle School Teacher, effective August 23, 2017.
3. Resignation of Mark Eisert – Middle-High School Technology Education Teacher, effective August 30, 2017.
4. Resignation of Greg Barnett (non-district) as Head Wrestling Coach, effective immediately.
5. Approved the following employees as having satisfactorily completed three (3) years of service with the Corry Area School District.

| Educator | Board Approved Date | Start Date | Tenure Date |
|---|---|---|---|
| Elizabeth K. Anderson | 5/5/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Nathan R. Bailey | 8/4/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Tyler J. Bailey | 7/8/2013 | 8/26/2013 | 8/28/2017 |
| Kimberly A. Crum | 8/4/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Amy M. Dietz | 4/22/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Adam M. Lamber | 8/4/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Eric S. McCray | 8/5/2013 | 8/26/2013 | 8/28/2017 |
| Chelsea N. Messinger | 9/2/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Michael R. Soprano | 8/4/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |
| Valerie H. Watrous | 9/2/2014 | 8/25/2014 | 8/28/2017 |

**APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEMS (cont'd)**

6. Appointment of the following individuals as Category I Volunteers for the Youth Football Program for the 2017 - 2018 season.

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| Jerry Fisher (non-district) |
| Tim Suydan (non-district) |

7. Appointment of Robert Ford (non-district) as a Category I Volunteer for the Football Program for the 2017 - 2018 season.

8. Appointment of William Saborsky (non-district) as a Category I Volunteer for the Boys Basketball Program for the 2017 - 2018 season.

9. Addition of Alice Anderson to the list of Service Personnel Substitutes for the 2017 - 2018 school year.

10. Appointment of the following individuals for contracted supplemental positions for the 2017-2018 school year.

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| Head Boys Basketball Coach – Step 3 | Tyler Bailey | $6,285.00 |
| Assistant Boys Basketball Coach – Step 3 | Michael Soprano | $3,900.00 |
| Assistant Boys Basketball Coach – Step 2 | Mike Rimdzius (nd) | $3,510.00 |
| Head Girls Basketball Coach (Winter) – Step 3 | Meghan Sisson | $6,285.00 |
| Assistant Girls Basketball Coach (Fall) – Step 3 | Meghan Sisson | $3,900.00 |
| Assistant Girls Basketball Coach (Fall) – Step 2 | Kurtis Fox | $3,510.00 |
| Elementary Girls Basketball Director | Amanda Dahlkemper | $600.00 |
| Assistant Wrestling Coach – Step 3 | Curtis Harrington | $3,900.00 |
| Head Volleyball Coach – Step 3 | Kelly Goodsel (nd) | $4,842.00 |
| Assistant Volleyball Coach – Step 3 | Elizabeth Anderson | $3,000.00 |
| Elementary Volleyball Director | Pat Goodsel (nd) | $600.00 |
| Head Swimming Coach – Step 3 | Doug Gerould (nd) | $4,842.00 |
| Assistant Swimming/Diving Coach – Step 3 | Rich Zarger | $3,000.00 |
| Head Boys Soccer Coach – Step 3 | Adam Lamber | $4,842.00 |
| Head Girls Soccer Coach – Step 3 | Gary Whiteley (nd) | $4,842.00 |
| Assistant Girls Soccer Coach – Step 3 | Kaylyn Whiteley (nd) | $3,000.00 |
| Head Cross-Country Coach – Step 3 | Ryan Kelly | $4,842.00 |
| MS Cross-Country Coach | Chelsea Messinger | $600.00 |
| Head Golf Coach – Step 3 | Skip Laird | $2,400.00 |
| Fall Weight Room Coordinator | Eric Brumagin | $600.00 |
| Winter Weight Room Coordinator | Eric Brumagin | $600.00 |

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

**APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEM**

MOTION by Director Wood and seconded by Director Johnson to approve the appointment of Rob Elchynski (nd) as Assistant Boys Basketball Coach – Step 3 – at a salary of $3,900.00 for the 2017-2018 school year.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

ABSTAIN: Eastman

**OTHER MATTERS BY SUPERINTENDENT**

Mr. Nichols stated that we had a great opening day with a few minor glitches and reminded the Board about the upcoming STEM Day with Lord Corporation on September 19th. He also spoke briefly about the lack of a finalized State Budget and that the legislators are not expected to return to Harrisburg until September 11th.

**OTHER MATTERS BY BUSINESS MANAGER**

Mrs. Clabbatz reported that we have received our August funding from the State.

**OTHER MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS**

Dr. Gernovich complimented the staff on the condition of the buildings and thanked the new teachers for attending the meeting and introducing themselves.

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Director Frisina and seconded by Director Eastman to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m.

YEAS: Directors: Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

Victoria L. Anderson

Victoria L. Anderson, Board Secretary