BOARD OF EDUCATION
CORRY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

REGULAR BOARD MEETING
September 25, 2017

A Regular Board Meeting of the Corry Area Board of School Directors was held on Monday, September 25, 2017, in the Large Group Instruction Room of the Administration Office. President Doris Gernovich called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

The Board met in Executive Session at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, September 25, 2017 for legal consultation with Attorney Gornall.

ROLL CALL

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

Excused: Linda L. Hajec

Also Present: William A. Nichols - Superintendent; Jennifer Gornall – Solicitor; Sheri L. Yetzer – Assistant Superintendent; Brenda L. Clabbatz – Business Manager; William P. West – Director of Secondary Education; Daniel Daum – Director of Elementary Education; Mike Munsee – Director of Buildings & Grounds; Lee Swartzfager – Middle School Principal; Susan Barra – Supervisor of Vocational Education and Guidance Services

Media: Erin Passinger – Corry Journal

Guests: Melissa Kingen, Katrina Hoover, Bob Williams, Peg Gates, Joel Cook, Sarah Bull, Daniel Scutella

MOMENT OF SILENCE/
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVED AGENDA

MOTION by Director Baker and seconded by Director Eastman to approve the agenda and the addendum for September 25, 2017.

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

NAYS: None.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Melissa Kingen and Katrina Hoover, representatives of Nutrition, Inc., addressed the concerns presented at a recent Board meeting regarding the sale of Mountain Dew Kick Start. It was clarified that this product meets the nutritional guidelines we are required to follow, it is made of sparkling flavored water and it actually has less caffeine than pop or coffee. The snack bar is only selling, on average, 12 of these drinks per day.

STAFF COMMENT

Dan Daum and Bill West talked about the success of the STEM Outreach Day sponsored by Lord Corporation. 625 of our students in grades five through eight participated with 75 Lord engineers and staff. The Global Media class will present a video at the next Board meeting.

APPROVED BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORTS

MOTION by Director Johnson and seconded by Director Cox to approve the Business Manager's Reports.

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED CHECKS

MOTION by Director Frisina and seconded by Director Johnson to approve the payment of bills from August 10, 2017 through September 20, 2017 as covered by Board Check Nos. 36008 – 36306 in the amount of $1,772,802.66; Wire Transfers in the amount of $404,410.41; Payroll Check Nos. 36031 – 36034 in the amount of $370.78 and 36154 - 36156 in the amount of $557.38 and 36245 - 36254 in the amount of $2,146.88; and Payroll Direct Deposits in the amount of $790,156.18; and Cafeteria Check Nos. 1472 - 1474 in the amount of $32,898.09.

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED OCCUPATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MOTION by Director Cox and seconded by Director Wood to approve the list of Occupational Advisory Committee members for Career and Technical Education for the 2017-2018 school year with the addition of Michael Baker to Construction Maintenance Trades.

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED FIELD TRIP REQUEST

MOTION by Director Johnson and seconded by Director Wood to approve the following Field Trip Request:

Varsity & JV Softball (22 students)	March 24 – 31, 2018
Ripken Experience – Spring Games	Pigeon Forge, TN
Under the supervision of:	Bob Williams +3

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED RESIGNATION

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Cox to accept the resignation of Amanda Dahlkemper as Girls Rec Basketball Director, effective September 29, 2017.

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEMS

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

1. The appointment of the following teachers as New Teacher Mentors for the 2017- 18 school year at a supplemental pay rate of $260.00:

Mentor	New Teacher
Stacie Smith	Daniel Scutella
Kristi Graves	Sarah Bull

2. The attached list of supplemental contracts for the 2017-18 school year.

3. The appointment of the following Category I Volunteers for the 2017-18 season:

Steve Mitchell (nd) (pending receipt of clearances)	Youth Football Program
John Styborski (nd)	Football Program
Matthew Dennis (nd)	Football Program

4. The appointment of the following individuals to the Service Personnel substitute list for the 2017-18 school year:

Patricia Nolte
Julie Driscoll

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED WRESTLING COACHES

MOTION by Director Wood and seconded by Director Frisina to approve the following individuals for contracted supplemental positions for the 2017-18 school year:

Head Wrestling Coach – Step 1	Mark Munsee (nd)	$5,312.00
Assistant Wrestling Coach – Step 1	Travis Proper (nd)	$2,979.00
Assistant Wrestling Coach – Step 1	Jared Johnson (nd)	$2,979.00

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

ABSTAIN: Johnson

NAYS: None.

APPROVED EQUIPMENT AUCTION

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Wood to approve the list of items as surplus equipment to be disposed of by advertised auction.

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

NAYS: None.

APPROVED PERSONNEL ITEMS

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Cox to approve the following supplemental contracts for the 2017 - 18 school year:

FIRST LEGO League Coach (2nd team)	Ann Clark	$ 600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (2nd team)	Erica DiLuzio	$ 600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach	Nicholas Krasa	$ 600.00

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

OTHER MATTERS BY SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. Nichols spoke briefly to the comments by Mr. Daum and Mr. West regarding the STEM Outreach Day. Students, teachers and Lord employees had a great day.

OTHER MATTERS BY BUSINESS MANAGER

Mrs. Clabbatz has scheduled a Property Committee Meeting for Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.

OTHER MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS

Director Eastman inquired about the condition of the carpets in the elementary classrooms now that meals are being eaten in the classrooms. Mike Munsee responded that they have seen an increase in clean-ups and they will continue to monitor the condition of the carpets as the year progresses.

Director Johnson asked for clarification of the date of the CTC Banquet – it is Wednesday, October 11th at 5:30 pm.

Director Baker recommended that the tongue weight on the Marching Band trailer be adjusted. Mike Munsee will take care of it.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Director Eastman and seconded by Director Frisina to adjourn the Regular Board Meeting at 7:37 p.m.

Allen, Baker, Cox, Eastman, Frisina, Gernovich, Johnson, Wood

NAYS: None.

Victoria L. Anderson

Victoria L. Anderson, Board Secretary

Contracted Class/Non-Class Positions	Advisor	Salary
Senior Class Advisor	Roxann Dougherty	$1,833.00
Junior Class Advisor	Andrew Passinger	$1,833.00
Sophomore Class Advisor	Andrew Passinger	$943.00
Freshman Class Advisor	Jeffrey Brasington	$943.00
Yearbook Advisor	Mary Beth Brown	$2,653.00
Play Director	Kimberly Smrcka	$1,189.00
Assistant Play Director	Alyssa Britten	$580.00
Beaver Editor	Andrew Passinger	$1,519.00
Radio-TV Coordinator	Michael Woods	$1,519.00
HS Student Council Advisor	Jeffrey Brasington	$1,833.00
MS Student Council Advisor	Jeffrey Brasington	$810.00
Stage Crew Advisor	Vickey Britten	$1,755.00
National Honor Society Advisor	Roxann Dougherty	$1,416.00
National Technical Honor Society Co-Advisor	Jana Sampsell	$1,274.00
Future Business Leaders	Skip Laird	$1,416.00
Vocational Career Assoc. (Skills USA Advisor)	Vanessa Vona	$1,274.00
Academic Team Coach	Nick Krasa	$1,769.00
Assistant Academic Team Coach	Erica DiLuzio	$795.00
Student Mentor Program	Michael McGinnity	$1,062.00
Robotics/LEGO/Robobots Advisor	Nick Krasa	$2,000.00
Instructional Staff Development Contracted Positions	**Advisor**	**Salary**
Grade Level Coordinator Grade K	Kelly Mosher	$950.00
Grade Level Co-Coordinator Grade 1	Sandy Henderson	$475.00
Grade Level Co-Coordinator Grade 1	Rachel Knapp	$475.00
Grade Level Co-Coordinator Grade 2	Amy Hodak	$475.00
Grade Level Co-Coordinator Grade 2	Jacque Hill	$475.00
Grade Level Coordinator Grade 3	Constance Balek	$950.00
Grade Level Coordinator Grade 4	Shellie Zaczkiewicz	$1,100.00
Grade Level Coordinator Grade 5	Julie Brundage	$950.00
Grade Level Coordinator Grade 6	Valerie Toplovich	$1,100.00
Middle School ELA Coordinator Grades 6, 7, 8	Valerie Toplovich	$950.00
Middle School Science Coordinator Grades 6, 7, 8	Eric Brumagin	$950.00
Middle School Math Co-Coordinator Grades 6, 7, 8	Nicole Strychalski	$475.00
Middle School Math Co-Coordinator Grades 6, 7, 8	Stacie Smith	$475.00
Middle School Social Studies Coordinator Grades 6, 7, 8	Adam Brewer	$950.00
Department Head – CTC/FCS/Business	John Dougherty	$1,100.00
Department Head – Fine Arts	Mary Beth Brown	$950.00
Department Head – Health & Physical Education	Patti Brown	$950.00
Department Head – MHS Language Arts/Foreign Language	Andrew Passinger	$1,100.00
Department Head – MHS Mathematics	Thomas Brady	$1,100.00
Department Head – MHS Science	Roxann Dougherty	$1,100.00
Department Head – MHS Social Studies	Michael Woods	$950.00
Department Head – Special Education	Terri Fowler	$1,100.00
Department Head – Music	Kim Smrcka	$950.00
Department Head – Technology	Travis Carey	$950.00
Department Head – Title I	Cheryl Frisina	$950.00
District Wellness Coordinator	Patti Brown	$1,500.00
District Chemical Management Officer	Roxann Dougherty	$600.00

Academic Student Activities Contracted Positions	Advisor	Salary
Senior Ambassadors Program Advisor	Vickey Britten	$600.00
Academic Sports League/USAD Team Coach	Erica DiLuzio	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (1)	Ann Clark	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (2)	Keith Anthony	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (3)	Kimberly Crum	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (4)	Erica DiLuzio	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (5)	Chad Sutton	$600.00
FIRST LEGO League Coach (6)	Shawn Bedow	$600.00