

**THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
METUCHEN, NEW JERSEY**

REVISED Business Meeting Agenda

of the Metuchen Board of Education

August 11, 2009

V. Meeting Open to the Public

VI. Recommendations of the Superintendent of Schools

A. PERSONNEL

1. Appointment – Certificated Staff

Move to appoint Christina Theiss as School Psychologist for the 2009-2010 school year, effective September 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, salary status 4G -- \$55,726/yr.

2. Appointment – Certificated Staff

Move to appoint Karen Logan as Fifth Grade teacher at Edgar Middle School for the 2009-2010 school year, effective September 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, salary status 3G -- \$54,430/yr.

3. Appointment – Long Term Substitute

Move to appoint Lawrence Land as long-term substitute German Teacher at Metuchen High School and Edgar Middle School for the 2009-2010 school year, effective September 1, 2009 at the rate of \$244.80 per diem.

4. Appointment – Non-Certificated Staff

Move to approve the following as paraprofessionals for the 2009-2010 school year:

| Name | Assignment | Annual Salary |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Susan Adie | Campbell School | \$14,718 |
| Annina Antolick | Campbell School | \$17,066 |
| Kathy Aquadro | Campbell School | \$17,286 |
| Amy Artman | Campbell School | \$15,359 |
| Farida Bhalwani | Edgar Middle School | \$15,965 |
| John Butler | Edgar Middle School | \$15,139 |
| Lisa Camera | Campbell School | \$15,139 |
| Kathy DeNicola | Campbell School | \$19,708 |
| James Farley | Edgar Middle School | \$15,139 |

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| Leroy Fortcher | Edgar Middle School | \$15,634 |
| Denise Gaudet | Moss School | \$15,965 |
| Debbie Gold | Edgar Middle School | \$17,066 |
| Jody Gordon | Campbell School | \$17,286 |
| Kathleen Hill | Moss School | \$15,139 |
| Judy Hoffman | Edgar Middle School | \$15,359 |
| Mary Beth Hronich | Moss School | \$15,139 |
| Brian Kenyon | Edgar Middle School | \$15,139 |
| Ashley Knecht | MHS | \$16,251 |
| William Latta | MHS | \$18,471 |
| Nancy Levine | Edgar Middle School | \$16,405 |
| Nancy Murtagh | Campbell School | \$19,708 |
| Mary Jo Paulmenn | Edgar Middle School | \$15,634 |
| Cathy Piegaro | Campbell School | \$19,708 |
| Pat Reed | MHS | \$19,788 |
| Mike Reid | MHS | \$16,914 |
| Marcel Rodriquez | Out-of-District | \$22,940 |
| Hope Serratelli | Campbell School | \$16,845 |
| Nicole Spence | MHS | \$17,135 |
| Mary Sutherland | Moss School | \$15,139 |
| Jeana Torzilli | Campbell School | \$15,139 |
| Kathleen Walsh | Moss School | \$15,139 |
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| Maureen Azzara (1/2) | Edgar Middle School | \$14.50/hr. |
| Tracy Dalfonsi | Out-of-District | \$14.70/hr. |
| Ari Opitz | Moss School | \$13.75/hr. |
| Elaine Smyth | Out-of-District | \$15.30/hr. |

All salaries are based on the 2008-2009 contract. Increases will be retroactive to July 1, 2009 upon settlement of new contract.

5. Appointment Non-Certificated staff

Move to approve the following as library/clerical aides for the 2009-2010 school year as follows:

- a) Sue Nemer at the rate of \$17.90/hr.
- b) Debbie Oliver at the rate of \$17.90/hr.

6. Appointment – Non-Certificated Staff

Move to approve Doris Glenn as a bus aide for the 2009-2010 school year at the rate of \$10.15/hr.

7. Appointment – Fall Coaches – 2009-2010 School Year

Move to approve Sharon Thimons as Girls' Soccer Coach at Edgar Middle School at the rate of \$2,723 for the Fall Season.

8. Appointment – Co-Curricular and Club Advisors

Move to appoint the following as co-curricular and Club Advisors for the 2009-2010 school year:

| Position | Name | Stipend |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| Metuchen High School | | |
| Audio Advisor | -vacant- | |
| Band | John Morrison (3) | \$7,588 |
| Assistant Band | John Messenger (3) | \$4,504 |
| Band Front | Cheryl Gillick (2) | \$4,324 |
| Band Front | Debbie Yaniga – Volunteer Asst. | -0- |
| Blue Letter | Adam Levy (3) | \$4,467 |
| Blue Letter Business | Nora Ruhno (3) | \$2,890 |
| Bulldog's Bark | Michael Mazza (3) | \$4,467 |
| Bulldog's Bark Business | Nora Ruhno (3) | \$2,890 |
| Cheerleaders | Nicole Spence (1) | \$5,149 |
| Chorus | Stefeny Stofa-Krombholz (3) | \$3,966 |
| Dramatics | Jane Harmon (3) | \$5,760 |
| Assistant Dramatics | Jane Harmon (3) | \$4,182 |
| Literary Magazine | Scott Gallagher (2) | \$2,999 |
| Mock Trial | Evan Robbins (3) | \$2,137 |
| Model Congress | Evan Robbins (3) | \$2,137 |
| National Honor Society | Kerry Blaze (3) | \$2,137 |
| Orchestra | Catherine Morrison (3) | \$4,218 |
| Student Council | Alison McCarthy (1) | \$3,680 |
| Treasurer/Student Funds | Jonathan Stevens (3) | \$5,789 |
| Class Advisors Senior | Evan Robbins (2) | \$3,142 |
| Junior | Linda Graf (2) | \$2,459 |
| Sophomore | Barbara Johnson (3) | \$1,922 |
| Freshman | Kerry Blaze (2) | \$1,421 |
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| Anime Club (A) | Yoko Kato | \$877 |
| Art Club (C) | Linda Graf | \$1,186 |
| Black Student Union (C) | Joyce Browning | \$1,186 |
| Club Pre Med (C) | Marie Seidel | \$1,186 |
| Culture Club (C) | Rosann Kamin | \$1,186 |
| Debate Club (A) | Linda DePaola | \$877 |
| Environmental Club (B) | Yoko Kato | \$1,013 |
| Evening Choral Club (C) | Stefeny Stofa-Krombholz | \$1,186 |
| Footlighters (C) | Jane Harmon | \$1,186 |
| French Club (C) | Anna Girin | \$1,186 |
| German Club (C) | Lawrence Land | \$1,186 |
| Italian Club (C) | Rosann Kamin | \$1,186 |

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| Key Club (C) | Sharon Mantz | \$1,186 |
| Math Club (C) | Jonathan Stevens | \$1,186 |
| Mock Trial Club (C) | Kerry Blaze | \$1,186 |
| Palette Club (B) | Joyce Browning | \$1,013 |
| Peer Leaders Club (C) | Linda DePaola | \$1,186 |
| Science Club (C) | Yoko Kato | \$1,186 |
| Ski Club (A) | | \$877 |
| Spanish Club (C) | Karin Flores | \$1,186 |
| Student Outreach Club (C) | Randi Grossman | \$1,186 |
| Trainers Club (C) | Lauren McAllister | \$1,186 |
| Webmasters Club (C) | Patricia Glave | \$1,186 |
| Bridge Duty | Steve Cichetti | \$2,000 |
| Edgar Middle School | | |
| 5 th & 6 th Grade Art Club (B) | Jenn Enchura | \$1,013 |
| 7 th & 8 th Grade Art Club (B) | Jenn Enchura | \$1,013 |
| Chess Club/ Games Strategies (B) | Jennifer Miller | \$1,013 |
| Science Club (A) | Blaze Meyers | \$877 |
| Newspaper Club (C) | Marilyn Lewis | \$1,186 |
| Newspaper Club (C) | Jennifer Miller | \$1,186 |
| Yearbook Club (C) | Kevin Sarte | \$1,186 |
| Yearbook Business (A) | Kevin Sarte | \$877 |
| Yearbook Art (A) | Jenn Enchura | \$877 |
| 5 th & 6 th Grade Student Council (C) | Vivian Petrakakos | \$1,186 |
| 5 th & 6 th Grade Student Council (C) | Jennifer Muller | \$1,186 |
| 7 th & 8 th Grade Student Council (D) | Barbara Biancomano | \$2,388 |
| 7 th & 8 ^h Grade Student Council (D) | Lindsey McKenna | \$2,388 |
| Community Service Club (B) | Vivian Petrakakos | \$1,013 |
| Community Service Club (B) | Marian O'Connell | \$1,013 |
| Band (C) | Robyn Keyes | \$1,186 |
| Orchestra (C) | Catherine Morrison/ Margie Thomas | \$1,186 |
| Chorus (C) | S. Krombholz (3/4) C. DeSimone (1/4) | \$1,186 |
| Computer Club/ Digital Photo (C) | Roseann Mizrahi | \$1,186 |
| Spanish Club (B) | Laura Nemer | \$1,013 |
| Environmental Club (C) | Judy Graziano | \$1,186 |
| Environmental Club (C) | Rena Falk | \$1,186 |
| Science Energy Club (A) | Ed Ronk | \$877 |
| Fiddle Club (B) | Margie Thomas | \$1,013 |

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| Writers Club (B) | Melissa Kovacs | \$1,013 |
| Writers Club (B) | Linda Donohue | \$1,013 |
| Math Club (B) | Laura McCadden | \$1,013 |
| Math Club (B) | Lindsay McKenna | \$1,013 |
| Dance Club (B) | Jennifer Muller | \$1,013 |
| Dance Club (B) | Jennifer Miller | \$1,013 |
| Treasurer | Kevin Sarte | \$2,500 |
| Woodworking Club (B) | Frank Jones | \$1013 |
| Spring Play/Drama Director (D) | Rhondi Sabo | \$1,541 |
| Spring Play/Musical Director (D) | Jim Sabo | \$1,541 |
| Fall Intramurals | Rick Carter | \$2,361 |
| Fall Intramurals | Rick Carter | \$2,361 |
| Winter Intramurals | Ken Graf | \$2,361 |
| Winter Intramurals | Rick Carter | \$2,361 |
| Spring Intramurals | Ken Graf | \$2,361 |
| Spring Intramurals | Rick Carter | \$2,361 |
| Campbell School | | |
| Beginning Band – Gr. 4 (C) | John Messenger | \$1,186 |
| Beginning Orchestra – Gr. 4 (C) | Catherine Morrison | \$1,186 |
| Literary Magazine (C) | Kelli Holleran | \$1,186 |
| Literary Magazine (C) | Tom Yakowenko | \$1,186 |
| Chess – Grades 3&4 (C) | Jonathan Nolde | \$1,186 |
| Chorus – Grades 3&4 (C) | Leslie Adler | \$1,186 |
| Drama Club – Grades 3&4 (C) | Tara Pata – ½ year | \$593 |
| Home Page Builders (C) | Jonathan Nolde | \$1,186 |
| Lego-Logo Dacta Computer – Grade 4 (C) | Tom Yakowenko | \$1,186 |
| Lunch/Recess | | |
| Math Club/Olympics (C) | Karen Repka | \$1,186 |
| Physical Development Gr. 3 (C) | Kathy Keers-Nolde | \$1,186 |
| Physical Development Gr. 4 (C) | Kathy Keers-Nolde | \$1,186 |
| School Store – Gr, 4 (C) | Alexandra Gonzalez-Batshaw | \$1,186 |
| SCOOP (C) | Christine Donohue | \$1,186 |
| Student Council (C) | Eileen Dyas | \$1,186 |
| Student Council (C) | Kathy Keers-Nolde | \$1,186 |
| Safety Patrols (C) | Kathy Keers-Nolde | \$1,186 |
| “Wee Deliver” Post Office/ Writing Program (C) | Kelli Holleran | \$1,186 |
| “Wee Deliver” Post Office/ Writing Program (C) | Nancy Hanley | \$1,186 |
| Homework Helpers Club (C) | Carol Volkland | \$1,186 |
| Homework Helpers Club (C) | Susan Lass | \$1,186 |

9. Sixth Period Stipends

Move to approve the following sixth Period stipends for the 2009-2010 school year:

| Name | Assignment | Stipend |
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| Campbell | | |
| Leslie Adler | 6 th Period Music | \$5,000 |
| Virginia Carroll | 6 th Period Art | \$5,000 |
| Joe Fitzgibbon | Technology | \$5,000 |
| Kathy Keers-Nolde | Administrative Assistant | \$5,000 |
| Edgar Middle School | | |
| -vacant- | Administrative Assistant | |
| Douglas Carter | 6 th Period Physical Ed. | \$5,000 |
| Sue Ann Caruso | 6 th Period Physical Ed. | \$5,000 |
| Christine DeSimone | General Music | \$5,000 |
| Deborah Freeman | 6 th Period Health Ed. | \$5,000 |
| Tony Hogrebe | 6 th Period Adaptive PE | \$5,000 |
| Rosann Misrahi | 6 th Period Technology | \$5,000 |
| Sandra Scharf | Virtual Field Trip Coordinator | \$5,000 |
| Robin Seidenberg | Special Education | \$5,000 |
| Metuchen High School | | |
| Steve Cichetti | 6 th Period Social Studies | \$5,000 |
| Sean Economou | Dean of Discipline | \$5,000 |
| Scott Gallagher | Virtual High School | \$5,000 |
| Linda Graf | 6 th Period Art | \$5,000 |
| Traci Grauer | 6 th Period HS Test Coordinator | \$5,000 |
| Lawrence Land | 6 th Period German | \$5,000 |
| Janet Irenski | In-Class Support Coordinator | \$5,000 |
| Nora Ruhno | 6 th Period Special Education | \$5,000 |
| Marie Seidel | 6 th Period Science | \$5,000 |
| Jonathan Stevens | MHS Treasurer | \$5,000 |
| James Thomas | 6 th Period Mathematics | \$5,000 |
| Harvey Weinstock | 2/5 Science | \$2,000 |
| Nick Zaneto | Athletic Director Intern | \$5,000 |
| Moss School | | |
| Robin Darrah | Administrative Assistant | \$5,000 |
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| Maureen Kazelesky | Head Nurse | \$2,250 |
| Anthony Hogrebe | Supervisor of <i>The Zone</i> | \$3,100 |

B. FINANCE

1. IDEIA Funds for the 2009-2010 School Year

Move to accept IDEIA (Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act) funds for the 2009-2010 school year as follows:

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| Basic Allocation (Total) | \$573,637 |
| Public School Portion | \$455,468 |
| Private School Portion | \$118,169 |
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| Basic Preschool (Total) | \$15,458 |
| Public School Portion | \$14,354 |
| Private School Portion | \$1,104 |

2. Obsolete Furniture

Move to approve the disposal of old/obsolete office furniture no longer needed at Metuchen High school.

C. POLICY

1. Second Reading

There will be a second reading of the following policies:

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| Policy #5111 | Pupils | Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Pupils |
| Policy #5530 | Pupils | Substance Abuse |
| Policy #7444 | Property | Use of Metal Detectors |
| Policy #8140 | Operations | Pupil Enrollments |
| Policy #8462 | Operations | Child Abuse and/or Neglect |
| Policy #8506 | Operations | School Lunch Program Biosecurity Plan |

2. Abolishment of Policy

The following policy will be abolished:

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| Policy #8464 | Missing Children |
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VII. Meeting Open to Public

VIII. Announcements

IX. Adjournment

X. Reading of Sunshine Statement if necessary