# CLEMENTON BOARD OF EDUCATION Clementon, New Jersey

Regular Meeting of the Clementon Board of Education Clementon Elementary School Media Center **January 27, 2014** 

## I. CALL TO ORDER:

The Regular Meeting of the Clementon Board of Education was called to order at 7:30 PM on the above date by Vice President Sara Paranzino.

#### **II. OPENING STATEMENT:**

"Public notice of this meeting pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act has been given by the Board Secretary in the following manner:

- a. Posting written notice at the Board of Education Office.
- b. Sending written notice to the *Courier-Post* and *Record Breeze* newspapers.
- c. Filing written notice with the Clerk of Clementon."

## III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mrs. Paranzino led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## IV. ROLL CALL:

The following members answered roll call:

	<u>Arrival</u>	<u>Departure</u>
Virginia de Haan	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
William Dilworth	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
Randall Freiling	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
Sara Paranzino	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
Kathleen Rappold	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
John Romer	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
Ellen Suckle	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
William Weyland	7:30 PM	8:40 PM
Irene Buchalter	Absent	

Quorum present.

Also present were:

Lynn DiPietropolo, Superintendent

Joanne E. Clement, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Also present in the audience were:

Members of the community and staff.

#### V. MINUTES:

Approval of the Minutes of the following meetings:

- December 16, 2013 Regular Meeting
- January 6, 2014 Reorganization Meeting

MOVED BY:	Mrs. Rappold	SECOND BY:	Mr. Romer
ON ROLL CALL V	OTE:	MOTION CARRIED:	8-0-0

## VI. PUBLIC - AGENDA ITEMS ONLY:

Open meeting to Public for Agenda items only - no comments.

Close Meeting to the Public:

MOVED BY:	Mr. Romer	SECOND BY:	Mrs. de Haan	
ON ROLL CALL V	OTF.	MOTION CARRIED:	8-0-0	

## VII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Items for Action - The Superintendent recommends approval of the following items:

- 1. Accept request from employee #254 regarding early release from employment contract and/or scheduling change. (Attachment VII-1)
- 2. Accept request from employee #110 for medical leave beginning approximately May 12, 2014 through the end of the school year utilizing available illness days then uncompensated time under the NJ Family Medical Leave Act. Employee's anticipated date of return is September 1, 2014. (Attachment VII-2)
- 3. Source 4 Teachers, together with its employees, to provide substitute services for the 2013-2014 school year.
- 4. Source 4 Teachers January 2014 Board Approval List (Attachment VII-4)
- 5. Community Education's Spring 2014 courses (four weeks beginning Monday, March 3, 2014) and course brochure. (*Attachment VII-5*)
- 6. Employment of the following personnel for the Community Education Spring 2014 courses:

a. POSITION: Instructor - Volleyball (Adult)

NAME: Joseph Casella

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

b. POSITION: Instructor - Flip for Fun (Children)

NAME: TBA

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

c. POSITION: Instructor - Fun and Games (Children)

NAME: Iim Butz

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

d. POSITION: Instructor - Cooking for Fun (Children)

NAME: Kelly Kolody

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

e. POSITION: Instructor - Arts and Crafts (Children)

NAME: Sue Brown

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

f. POSITION: Instructor - Board Games for Fun (Children)

NAME: Suzanne McClernan

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

g. POSITION: Instructor - Basketball (Children)

NAME: TBA

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

h. POSITION: Instructor - Yoga (Adults)

NAME: Michelle Baldino

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; four sessions maximum

. POSITION: Substitute Instructor NAME: Suzanne McClernan

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; as needed; four sessions maximum

j. POSITION: Substitute Instructor NAME: Jessica Ballinghoff

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; as needed; four sessions maximum

k. POSITION: Substitute Instructor

NAME: Tracy Stefan

RATE OF PAY: \$12.50 per session; as needed; four sessions maximum

7. Workshop/Meeting Requests:

a. EMPLOYEE: Lynn DiPietropolo

WORKSHOP: NJDOE SGO and SGP Informational Workshop

LOCATION: EIRC South, Mullica Hill, NJ

DATE: January 24, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education, Office of Evaluation

b. EMPLOYEE: Adrienne McManis

WORKSHOP: NJDOE SGO and SGP Informational Workshop

LOCATION: EIRC South, Mullica Hill, NJ

DATE: January 24, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education, Office of Evaluation

c. EMPLOYEE: Steve Boianelli

WORKSHOP: PARCC Field Test Regional Training LOCATION: Burlington County CC, Mount Laurel, NJ

DATE: January 13, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education

d. EMPLOYEE: Matt Duffield

WORKSHOP: PARCC Field Test Regional Training LOCATION: Burlington County CC, Mount Laurel, NJ

DATE: January 13, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education

e. EMPLOYEE: Michelle Panarella

WORKSHOP: McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Program LOCATION: Gloucester County Special Services, Sewell, NJ

DATE: January 24, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: Gloucester County Special Services

f. EMPLOYEE: Diane Palogruto

WORKSHOP: McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Program

LOCATION: Gloucester County Special Services, Sewell, NJ

DATE: January 24, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: Gloucester County Special Services

g. EMPLOYEE: Michelle Panarella

WORKSHOP: DSM 5 - Psychological/Emotional Disorders in Children

LOCATION: Holiday Inn, Cherry Hill, NJ

DATE: February 19, 2014

COST: \$169.00

SPONSOR: Cross Country Education

FUNDED BY: Special Education

h. EMPLOYEE: Michelle Magilton

WORKSHOP: Algebra Articulation - Pine Hill, Berlin Township, Clementon

LOCATION: Overbrook High School, Pine Hill, NJ

DATE: February 4, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: Pine Hill School District

i. EMPLOYEE: Mary Ellen Haldeman

WORKSHOP: Algebra Articulation - Pine Hill, Berlin Township, Clementon

LOCATION: Overbrook High School, Pine Hill, NJ

DATE: February 4, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: Pine Hill School District

j. EMPLOYEE: Tina Jennetta

WORKSHOP: Annual DARE NJ Training Conference

LOCATION: Atlantic City, NJ

DATES: February 25, 26, and 27, 2014

COST: \$0.00 SPONSOR: DARE NJ

k. EMPLOYEE: Matt Duffield

WORKSHOP: Cisco Meraki Hands-on Product Demo

LOCATION: Iselin, NJ
DATE: May 8, 2014
COST: \$0.00
SPONSOR: Cisco

l. EMPLOYEE: Lynn DiPietropolo

WORKSHOP: NJ ASK DTC Training Instructions

LOCATION: Mount Laurel, NJ DATE: March 21, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education

m. EMPLOYEE: Steve Boianelli

WORKSHOP: NJ ASK DTC Training Instructions

LOCATION: Mount Laurel, NJ DATE: March 21, 2014

COST: \$0.00

SPONSOR: NJ Department of Education

8. Workshops - Location change only:

a. EMPLOYEES: Lynn DiPietropolo, Adrienne McManis, Karen Stiles, Cheryl Pataky,

Katie Agresta, Alyssa Martin

WORKSHOP: Common Core Professional Development Workshops

NEW LOCATION: Clementon Elementary School

DATES: January 27, 2014; February 10, 2014; March 24, 2014; and April 28,

2014

NOTE: This workshop series received board of education approval on

October 28, 2013. Workshops prior to January 27, 2014 were held

at Atlantic Cape Community College.

#### 9. School Activities:

a. EVENT: Elementary South Jersey Chorus Festival

FACULTY SPONSOR: Sal Mazzocca DATE: March 1, 2014 TIME: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

LOCATION: Hess Educational Complex, Mays Landing, NJ PARTICIPANTS: Selected choir students in grades 4, 5, and 6

NOTE: Four students will be selected to participate in this event.

Auditions will be held to select those students. Students will then perform with other choral students from South Jersey elementary schools. Parents/guardians shall provide transportation to and

from this event

b. EVENT: Valentine's Dance (sponsored by Student Council)

FACULTY SPONSOR: Nicole Palermo
DATE: February 14, 2014
TIME: 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

LOCATION: MPR

PARTICIPANTS: Students in grades 6, 7, 8

c. EVENT: Black History Bee FACULTY SPONSOR: Nicole Palermo DATE: February 28, 2014 TIME: 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

LOCATION: MPR

PARTICIPANTS: Students in grades 6, 7, 8

d. EVENT: A Visit from The Cat in the Hat (NJEA Program)

GUEST: NJEA retired teacher FACULTY SPONSOR: Jessica Ballinghoff DATE: February 4, 2014 TIME: 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION: Media Center or grade 2 classroom

PARTICIPANTS: Students in grade 2

#### 10. Additional 2013-2014 Home and School Association Fundraisers:

a. FUNDRAISER: Giambri's Easter Fundraiser

PERSON IN CHARGE: Veronica Martinis

DATES: March 3, 2014 - March 14, 2014

NOTE: Catalog fundraiser

b. FUNDRAISER: Snack Stand at CYAA "Coach Bingo" Event

PERSON IN CHARGE: Veronica Martinis

DATE: March 7, 2014 or March 8, 2014 LOCATION: Clementon Community Center

NOTE: The CYAA invited the HSA to run a snack stand during their

"Coach Bingo" event.

**March Munchness** c. FUNDRAISER: PERSON IN CHARGE: Veronica Martinis

DATES: TBA (multiple days in March 2014)

Multiple "Family Nights Out" at local eateries. Dates and locations NOTE:

TBD.

Approval of motions 1 through 10 above:

Mrs. Suckle MOVED BY: SECOND BY: Mr. Dilworth ON ROLL CALL VOTE: MOTION CARRIED: 8-0-1 (Mr. Dilworth abstained from items #3 and

#4 only.)

# **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT = A D D E N D U M:**

Items for Action - The Superintendent recommends approval of the following items:

11. NFL Play 60 - Philadelphia Eagles safety JR Reed joins the Eagles Cheerleaders and SWOOP for a Play 60 fitness obstacle course challenge, designed to get children to be more active. Play 60 is the NFL's youth health and fitness campaign that encourages children to be active for at least 60 minutes a day. NFL Play 60 is designed to help tackle childhood obesity and to make children aware of the importance of physical fitness and healthy lifestyles. Students will participate in 4 stations that include relays, hurdles, and agility work.

Notes: This program will be part of the health and physical education classes for the middle school students.

Date: February 18, 2014

Grades: 7 and 8 Cost: None

**MOVED BY:** Mr. Dilworth SECOND BY: Mrs. Suckle ON ROLL CALL VOTE: MOTION CARRIED: 8-0-0

## VIII. SECRETARY'S REPORT:

<u>Items for Action</u> - The Superintendent recommends approval of the following items:

1. The payment of the following bill lists from the General Account:

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Bill 1	<u>List and Check Register</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
1.	List # 1 (Payroll 12/15/13)	\$3,676.75	(Attachment VIII-1.1)
2.	List # 2 (Payroll 12/15/13)	\$206,573.13	(Attachment VIII-1.2)
3.	List # 3 (Payroll 12/23/13)	\$649.72	(Attachment VIII-1.3)
4.	List # 4 (Payroll 12/23/13)	\$235,094.67	(Attachment VIII-1.4)
5.	List # 5 (Payroll 12/26/13)	\$925.38	(Attachment VIII-1.5)
6.	List # 6	\$539,240.37	(Attachment VIII-1.6)
7.	List # 7	\$68,306.27	(Attachment VIII-1.7)
8.	List # 8 (Community Education)	\$1,004.81	(Attachment VIII-1.8)
9.	List # 9	\$245,340.00	(Attachment VIII-1.9)

- 2. Approve transfers in the amount of \$4,000.00. (Attachment VIII-2)
- 3. Amend No Child Left Behind grant for the 2013-2014 school year:

Transfer from: 20-236-100-610 \$3,000.00

To: 20-236-100-500

- 4. Accept \$100.00 gift card donation from PHH Mortgage (Mr. Aaron Bhasin's employer). Gift card was used to purchase books for Kindergarten classes.
- 5. Approve Willowglen Academy for student # 2279, at a cost of \$60,692.10 (pro-rated).
- 6. Acceptance of the Treasurer's Report and Board Secretary's Report in accordance with 18A: 17-36 and 18A: 17-9 for the month of November 30, 2013. The Board Secretary certifies that no line item account has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A: 23A 16.10 (c) 3 and thatsufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

(Treasurer's report) (Attachment VIII-6) (Secretary's report) (Board Book)

Treasurer's Report in accordance with 18A:17-36 and 18A:17-9 for the month of <u>November 30, 2013</u>. The Treasurer's Report and Secretary's report are in agreement for the month of March 31, 2013.

Board Secretary in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A – 16.10 (c) 2 certifies that there are no changes in anticipated revenue amounts or revenue sources.

Board of Education Certification – pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (c) 4 We certify that after review of the secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, that to the best of our knowledge no major accounts or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-16.10 (b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Approva	l of motio	ns 1 th	nrough	6 a	bove:
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MOVED BY:	Mrs. Suckle	SECOND BY:M	r. Weyland
ON ROLL CALL V	OTE:	MOTION CARRIED: 8-	2-0
		(Mr. Freiling and Mr. Ro	mer voted no on
		item #5 only )	

## IX. PRESENTATIONS:

- > December 2013 Manner Banner (Classroom 5B)
- > December 2013 Bulldog's Best
- > 2012-2013 Performance Report

## X. **CORRESPONDENCE:**

1. December 2013 Nutri-Serve Update

## XI. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**:

- 1. Administrative Evaluation (Chairperson Randall Freiling)
  - Mr. Freiling reported that he would be meeting with the Personnel Committee to discuss a new contract for the superintendent.
- 2. Building and Maintenance (Chairperson William Weyland)

- Mr. Weyland reported on the schedule for the roof project. He also reviewed the grant for the roof. The district will receive 68% funding. Bids will be approved at the March board meeting.
- Mr. Weyland thanked our staff for their hard work in clearing the snow. He also asked
  that a thank you letter be sent to the Borough for doing an outstanding job with snow
  removal.
- 3. Camden County Educational Services Commission (Representative Virginia de Haan; Alternate William Weyland)
  - Mrs. de Haan reported that the Commission is now housing the transportation department for Camden schools. They have five additional employees and will be installing a phone system to handle transportation.
- 4. Camden County School Boards Association (Representatives John Romer and William Weyland)
  - Mr. Romer reported PARCC training will be held on Wednesday evening. Several board members will be attending along with the superintendent.
- 5. Community Education and Extra-Curricular Information (Chairperson John Romer)
  - Camp Clementon Attendance Record December 2013 (Attachment XI.5a)
  - Mr. Romer reported that Community Education classes will start in March.
- 6. Policy

(Chairperson - Irene Buchalter)

- Mrs. Buchalter was not present for the meeting.
- 7. Common Core Curriculum and Technology

(Chairperson - Ellen Suckle)

Mrs. Suckle reported on the following:

#### Curriculum

- In the upcoming month, the committee will be meeting to discuss curriculum and Common Core needs for the upcoming school year.
- In addition, the committee will discuss the scheduling of staff members for the 2014-2015 school year.
- By February 15th, each teacher must meet with administration to have a mid-year check on each teacher's Student Growth Objectives (SGOs).
- There will be a presentation on our Performance Report from the 2013 NJASK.

## Technology

- With two NJ Smart submissions successfully submitted recently (NJ ASK Pre-ID and Access for ELLs Pre-ID), we have a couple of months to prepare for the next round. Those will be the various end-of-year submissions, along with a new one that requests data regarding staff evaluations.
- In addition, it is budgeting time, and the Technology Department will seek to make some upgrades over the next budget year. One of those on the wish list will be another set of PCs to upgrade the third of our three computer labs this will ensure that we have a strong technology base in anticipation of the PARCC testing toward the end of the next school year.

#### 8. Finance

(Chairperson - Virginia de Haan)

• Mrs. de Haan reported that budget software was released on January 24, 2014. With the new election calendar, our budget has to be submitted by March 20<sup>th</sup>. Our Public Hearing between Thursday, April 24, 2014 and Saturday, May 3, 2014.

# 9. Legislation

(Representative - William Weyland)

• Mr. Weyland reported that the Delegate Assembly will be held on May 17th.

#### 10. Personnel

(Chairperson - Sara Paranzino)

- At this time, Adrienne and Lynn are in the process of completing observations. Each teacher is required to get 3 observations this school year.
- In the upcoming month, the Personnel Committee will meet with administration to go over staffing for the 2014-2015 school year.
- We are still looking for a social worker to replace ours that will be going on maternity leave in March.
- Personnel Committee will meet to discuss the superintendent's contact.

## 11. Pine Hill Board of Education

(Representative - Randall Freiling)

- Minutes from the November 19, 2013 Worksession/Regular Business Meeting (Attachment XI-11.a)
- Mr. Freiling reported that the district is doing a strategic plan for the next five years. He asked Mr. Dilworth if he would be willing to serve on that Committee. Pine Hill is in the process of interviewing for a Facilities Manager.

# 12. Municipal Liaison

(Representative - Randall Freiling)

• Mr. Freiling reported the borough is in the process of rewriting the Municipal Alliance plan.

## 13. Home and School Association

(Representative - Virginia de Haan)

• Mrs. de Haan was unable to make the meeting. The Home and School voted on three additional fund raisers for the year.

#### 14. Negotiations

(Chairperson - Ellen Suckle)

• Mrs. Suckle reported that the Committee met last week and discussed insurance options. We are still waiting for meeting dates.

#### XII. OTHER INFORMATION:

- 1. Discussion Items:
  - a. Visitor's Policy and Regulation
- 2. Clementon School Information:
  - a. Enrollment Report January 23, 2014 (Attachment XII-2.a)
  - b. Nurse's Report December 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013 (Attachment XII-2.b)
  - c. Administrative Report December 2013 (Attachment XII-2.c)
- 3. Fire and Security Drills:

December 2013 - Drill Type	Date	Time
Security (Lockout)	12/19/13	02:32 PM
Fire	12/20/13	02:34 PM

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None

XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

XV. **ADJOURNMENT**:

**MOTION:** To adjourn the meeting at 8:40 PM.

MOVED BY: Mr. Freiling SECOND BY: Mrs. Suckle ON ROLL CALL VOTE: MOTION CARRIED: 8-0-0

Respectfully submitted,

Joanne E. Clement, Board Secretary February 24, 2014