



**CENTRAL VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION
April 21, 2022 – 7:00 PM
CENTRAL VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA**

Minutes

*Unofficial until Board approved in May

I. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

II. ROLL CALL

<u> X </u> Mr. Ambrose	<u> X </u> Mr. Mowad
<u> Ab </u> Ms. Belcastro	<u> X </u> Mr. O’Neill
<u> X </u> Mr. Bloom	<u> X </u> Mr. Ross
<u> Ab </u> Mrs. Decenzo	<u> Ab </u> Mr. Zaritski
<u> X </u> Mr. King	

Also present: Dr. Perry, Mr. Muscante, and Mr. Maly, Mr. Eimiller, Mrs. Park, Mrs. Kosanovich, and Ms. Feragotti

ROUTINE ITEMS

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS

- Rachel Schwer asked if the Board will be voting on the new Reading Series in July and would the presentation be available on the website. Dr. Perry said yes to both.

IV. MINUTES

1. To approve the Voting Session Minutes from March 17, 2022. **Attachment A**

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Bloom Second by Mr. Mowad
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

TREASURER’S REPORT – Mr. King, Treasurer

BUSINESS ITEMS

1. The following bills and reports are submitted for approval:

A. PAY BILLS --

1. Confirm the March 2022 General Fund Payments in the amount of \$1,580,767.95.

Attachment B

2. Confirm the March 2022 Cafeteria Fund Payments in the amount of \$71,027.28.

Attachment C

B. REPORT --

1. To approve the March 2022 Berkheimer Report. **Attachment D**

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. King Second by Mr. Bloom
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

AGENDA ITEMS

A. BOARD/POLICY ITEMS – Ms. Belcastro, Chairperson

1. Be it resolved that the Board of School Directors of the Central Valley School District hereby approves and adopts the Adjudication Agreement for Student No. 1002062.

2. Be it resolved that the Board of School Directors of the Central Valley School District hereby approved and adopts the Adjudication Agreement for Student No. 1001346.

Action required on items 1 and 2:

Motion by Mr. Ross Second by Mr. O’Neill
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

B. NEGOTIATION ITEMS – Mr. O’Neill, Chairperson

C. EDUCATION ITEMS – Mr. Ross, Chairperson

1. To approve/confirm the released time/staff development requests:

Conference – Location	Individual	Date
BCASL Meeting, BVIU	BethAnn Pohl	4/7/2022
PSHA Convention, Pittsburgh	Elyse King & Courtney Mottes	4/7 & 4/8/2022
Academic Games National Tournament, Knoxville, TN	Jason Miller	4/22/2022 – 4/26/2022

2. To approve a memorandum of understanding with the Private Industry Council of Westmoreland/Fayette, Inc. to operate the Pre-K Counts Program at Todd Lane through June 30, 2023 pending review of the solicitor.

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Ross Second by Mr. King
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

- A presentation for the recommendation of a new K-5 Reading Series was delivered; Amplify CKLA, presented by Ms. Feragotti, Mrs. Kosanovich, Mrs. Park, and Mr. Eimiller.

D. TECHNOLOGY – Mr. Mowad, Chairperson

E. ATHLETICS – Mr. King, Chairperson

1. To approve Jack Shearer as Boys' Varsity Soccer Coach at a salary of \$3,500 pending receipt, review and acceptance of all clearances.

FYI -

- The Athletic Committee is recommending the retention of the following winter coaches:

Boys' Basketball	Brandon Ambrose
Girls' Basketball	Chris Raso
Cheerleading	Heather Semovoski
Swimming	Larry Palochak
Gymnastics	Terri Gazda
Wrestling	Kevin Mroz

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. King Second by Mr. Ross
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

F. EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES – Mrs. Decenzo, Chairperson

1. To grant final approval for eighth and ninth grade students participating in the honors curriculum to attend a trip to Gettysburg, PA; Sharpsburg, MD; Manassas, VA; Harpers Ferry, WV; and Sharpsburg, MD from May 11, 2022 through May 12, 2022.

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Ambrose

Second by Mr. O’Neill

Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

FYI– Field Trips

Destination	Group	Date
Riverside HS	MS Gifted	4/12/2022
Carnegie Mellon Univ., Hofbrauhaus, and Old Economy Village	HS German Club	4/19/2022
Carnegie Science Center, Pgh	TL Gifted	4/21/2022
Geneva College, Beaver Falls	Special Olympics	4/22/2022
Carnegie Science Center, Pgh.	First Grade	4/28/2022
Brady’s Run Park	MS CORE/8 th Grade Activities	5/5/2022
Living Treasures Park, New Castle	Kindergarten AM	5/13/2022
Kennywood	Senior Class	5/13/2022
Todd Lane	HS Child Development Class	5/16/2022
Living Treasures Park, New Castle	Kindergarten PM	5/16/2022
Children’s Museum of Pgh	Grade 2 Group 1	5/17/2022
Children’s Museum of Pgh	Grade 2 Group 2	5/18/2022
Middle School	Grade 5 Learning Support	5/17/2022
Antoline Park	Grade 7 Park Day	5/31/2022
PA State Trap Shooting Arena, Elysburg, PA	HS Clay Target Team	6/4-6/5/2022
Rochester Middle School	MS Gifted	5/12/2022

G. BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS – Mr. Zaritski, Chairperson

1. To approve/confirm the following Building Usage requests pending final approval from the Superintendent regarding the review of the Organizations Health and Safety Plan as well as Liability Waiver sign off.

Building	Organization	Date	Purpose
TL Gymnasium or Cafeteria	PTA	5/10, 5/11, & 5/12/2022	After School Dances: Grades 3, 4, & 5
TL Football Field	CV Lil Warriors	4/6/2022 – 12/31/2022	Youth Football and Cheer Program
HS Football Stadium	CV Boys' Soccer Boosters	6/13-6/17/2022	Soccer training Fundraiser
HS Auxiliary Gymnasium	CV Volleyball Boosters	6/13-6/16/2022	Fundraiser to increase awareness for grades 3-6
HS Gym and Auxiliary Gym	CV Basketball	6/20 – 6/23/2022	Triple Threat Basketball Camp
HS Football Stadium	Homeboys Foundation	7/13-7/15/2022	Community Camp
CG Building	Story Walk	5/12/2022	Story Walk Program
HS Softball Field	CV Girls' Fast Pitch	4/1 – 6/15/2022 (Various Days)	Practice

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Ambrose
 Motion: Carried 6 Yes 0 No

Second by Mr. Ross

H. PERSONNEL ITEMS – Mr. Bloom, Chairperson

1. To approve additions to the 2021-2022 Substitute List pending receipt, review, and acceptance of all clearances. **Attachment E**
2. To approve an FMLA leave request for an Education Support Professional Employee from April 25, 2022 through July 18, 2022.
3. To approve the retirement of the following Professional Employees and participation in the Retirement Incentive Plan effective June 30, 2022: **Attachment F**
 - a. Lisa Alexander
 - b. Patricia Damp
 - c. Leanna Gottron
 - d. Marie Guarascio
 - e. Debbie Guilliani
 - f. Stacie Lefes
 - g. Bernadette Mattica
 - h. Linda Smith
 - i. Mary Jo Wood
4. To approve the retirement of the following Education Support Professional Employees and participating in the retirement Incentive Plan effective June 30, 2022: **Attachment G**
 - a. Kathy Crnkovich
 - b. Karen Demello
 - c. Luann Kopycinski
 - d. Laraine Macio
 - e. Cheryl Pickrell
 - f. Sandra Poiarkoff
 - g. Mary Sciaretta
 - h. Carin Stobart
5. To approve the retirement of Maryann DiVito, paraprofessional, effective June 30, 2022. **Attachment H**
6. To approve the resignation of Danielle Smithyman, paraprofessional, effective March 30, 2022. **Attachment I**
7. To approve Kelly Colonna as a cafeteria general worker (3.25 hrs) at a rate of \$12.50/hr. in accordance with the CVEA Agreement, pending receipt, review, and acceptance of all clearances, effective April 22, 2022.

Action required on items 1-7:

Motion by Mr. Bloom

Second by Mr. Mowad

Motion carried 6 Yes 0 No

I. FINANCE ITEMS – Mr. Ambrose, Chairperson

1. To approve Resolution BCCTC-2022-2023 the 2022-2023 Beaver County Career & Technology Center’s General Fund Budget of \$6,445,645. **Attachment J**

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Ambrose
Motion Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

Second by Mr. Ross

J. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Rachel Schwer: Asked if other Districts in the County are looked at to see what they are using as a reading series and if so, what are their test scores (or nationwide scores) compared to CV? She also stated that just Googling the series, a lot of comments were that a lot of the materials were going over the heads of the kids.

K. SUPERINTENDENT’S ITEMS/COMMENTS

- Dr. Perry thanked the teachers and administration for their time and effort spent in review of the reading programs. He congratulated those retiring and wished them well.

L. BOARD MEMBERS’ COMMENTS

- Members of the Board offered congratulations to those retiring. Also offered thanks and kudos to everyone involved in the reading series evaluation and presentation.
- Mr. Mowad commented on the banners for the Best in the County on the Keystone Exams. He likes seeing these types of banners showing our students’ academic excellence.
- Mr. Ambrose thanked Mr. Bloom for attending the NSBA conference and for his report on the meetings attended. Mr. Bloom thanked the Board for covering the conference entrance fee.

ADJOURNMENT

1. To adjourn the meeting.

Action required on item 1:

Motion by Mr. Mowad
Motion: Carried 6 Yes, 0 No

Second by Mr. King