

**SCHALMONT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**MINUTES**

**Meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education  
Monday, March 9, 2020; Middle School LGI  
Executive Session 6:00 PM; Regular Session 7:00 PM**

**CALL TO ORDER** - The meeting was called to order at 6:09 PM.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present**

Michael Pasquarella, President  
Angelo Santabarbara, Vice President  
Patricia Dowse  
Jean Hanson  
Kyrish Iyer

**Members Excused**

None

**Others Present**

Carol Pallas, Superintendent of Schools  
Joseph Karas, Assistant Superintendent for Business

Kate Kruk  
Kevin Thompson

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Motion made by Mr. Santabarbara, seconded by Mrs. Kruk that the Board of Education adjourn to Executive Session at 6:10 PM to discuss personnel and legal matters.

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

The Board reconvened at 7:01 PM.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Motion made by Mrs. Kruk, seconded by Mr. Iyrish that the agenda for the March 9, 2020 meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education be approved.

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION** - None

**STUDENT REPORT** - Student representative Matthew Weise spoke about school events including congratulating Mia D'Ambrosio on her track accomplishments, and the boys basketball team for their win. Little Shop of Horrors will be March 13-15; Instrument concert will be March 18; Harlem Wizard Game is scheduled for March 24; locker survey was discussed.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

Coronavirus Update  
Mr. Renzi – Teacher of the Week

**RESIDENTS COMMENTS** - None

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Motion made by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Ms. Dowse, that the consent agenda consisting of the following be approved:

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Personnel Matters

All personnel appointments are subject to and contingent upon the receipt of a fingerprint clearance from the appropriate State agency.

**Instructional Personnel Matters**

Extracurricular Activity Advisor Appointment

Alex Croft, Junior Class Advisor \$500.25 (shared stipend)  
Keri Attanasio, Junior Class Advisor, \$1500.75 (shared stipend)

} adjusted due to leave of absence

Coach Resignation

Michael Hurteau, Boys Assistant Track Coach, effective 3/3/20

Coach Appointment

Joelle Litz, Modified Softball Coach, Step 8, \$3,480

Substitute Teacher Appointments

BOCES Packet #14: Cornelius Bradt, Shane Decanio, Alex Graham, Mitchell Jordon, Marissa Morano, Troy Vassari

**Noninstructional Personnel Matters**

Resignation

Angela Uhl, Teacher Aide, effective 2/24/20 (end of business)

Unpaid Leave of Absence

Larry Breckenridge, Bus Driver, effective 2/27/20 through 12/31/2020  
Brian Lehr, Bus Driver, effective 3/16/20 through 6/30/20

Appointment

Larry Breckenridge, Substitute Bus Attendant, effective 3/10/20, \$14.47 per hour as needed  
Shayne Gaffney, Teacher Aide, Jefferson, effective 3/10/20, \$15.37 per hour, 6 hours per day

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

**NEW BUSINESS**

**School Calendar:** Motion made by Mr. Santabarbara, seconded by Mr. Thompson that the Board of Education approve the school calendar for the 2020-21 school year.

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

**First Read - Board of Education Policy:** Motion made by Ms. Dowse, seconded by Mr. Santabarbara that the Board of Education approve the first reading of the following Board policies:

#2350 School Visits by Board Members

#5431 Relations with Vendors

#5432 Payment of News

#5510 Accounting of Funds

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

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**DISCUSSION TOPICS** - None

**RESIDENTS COMMENTS** - None

**BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMENTS**

Congratulations to Mr. Renzi

Congratulations to our communications Team for the website

Mia D'Ambrosio and Boys Basketball Team – congratulations to both

**EXECUTIVE SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT**

Motion made by Mr. Santabarbara, seconded by Mr. Thompson, the March 9, 2020 Board of Education meeting be adjourned to Executive Session at 7:24 PM, not to reconvene.

*Motion carried. Mrs. Hanson excused.*

Respectfully submitted,

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Joseph Karas, Clerk  
Board of Education