

SCHALMONT CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

MINUTES

Meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education
Monday, November 8, 2021; 7:00 PM; Middle School LGI

The November 8, 2021 meeting of the Board of Education was held via conference call as directed in the Governor's Executive Order 202.1.

CALL TO ORDER - The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

ROLL CALL

Members Present

Mr. Angelo Santabarbara, President
Ms. Kate Kruk, Vice President
Ms. Patricia Dowse
Mrs. Jean Hanson
Mr. Kyrish Iyer
Mr. David Lawrence
Mr. Kevin Thompson

Members Excused

None

Others Present

Dr. Thomas Reardon, Superintendent of Schools
Mr. Joseph Karas, Asst. Superintendent for Business
Miss Adriana DiCocco, Student Representative
Mr. Merrick Rash, Student Representative

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion made by Mrs. Hanson, seconded by Mr. Lawrence that the agenda for the November 8, 2021 meeting of the Schalmont Board of Education be approved.

Motion carried unanimously.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT

Adriana DiCocco and Merrick Rash reported on student events including: college days for seniors, National Honor Society Induction, shout out to girls' soccer, craft fair, Senior Jack Gemmett, going to States.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT & PRESENTATIONS

Recognition of Girls Varsity Soccer Team
Appointment of Winter Coaches
Retirement of Fred Orlando
Channel 13 interview with Renee Heller regarding school lunch creativity

CONSENT AGENDA

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

- Board of Education Meeting Minutes
October 12, 2021
October 25, 2021
- Instructional Personnel Matters
Retirement
Fred Orlando, Foreign Language Teacher, effective June 30, 2022

Full-Time Probationary Appointment

Name: Hannah Wilcox
 Position: Occupational Therapist
 Effective: November 8, 2021
 Probation: 4 years - November 8, 2021 through November 7, 2025
 Step: 3M

Winter Coaching Appointments

Jeff VanHoesen, Varsity Girls Basketball, Step 8
 Greg Loiacono, Varsity Boys Basketball, Step 8
 Vince Gallo, Varsity Wrestling, Step 6
 Hugo McGroty, Boys and Girls Bowling, Step 8
 Regina Hanson, Cheerleading, Step 2
 Brian Croote, Varsity Indoor Track, Step 8
 Joe Whipple, JV Boys Basketball, Step 8
 Richard Dufresne, Wrestling Assistant, Step 5
 Anthony Wasiyo, Modified Wrestling Step 1
 Casey Harr, JV Girls Basketball, Step 7
 Kaley Brindsi, Modified Girls Basketball, Step 1
 Brett Krug, Modified Boys Basketball, Step 1

- Noninstructional Personnel Matters (All hourly pay rates as per SSRPA Agreement)

Leave of Absence Request

Nino Tortorici, November 4 – June 24, 2022

Resignation

Heidi Schilling, Monitor, effective November 5, 2021

<u>Substitute Appointment</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Work Day</u>
Carol VanAlstyne	Typist	District Wide	11/9/21	as needed
Lori Koslik-Olsen	Bus Driver	Transportation	11/3/21	as needed

Change of Hours

<u>Employee</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Old Daily Total</u>	<u>New Daily Total</u>
Anthony Farina	Bus Driver	Transportation	10/26/21	5.00 hrs.	6.00 hrs.
Anthony Farina	Bus Driver	Transportation	11/02/21	6.00 hrs.	6.25 hrs.
Chris Chandler	Bus Driver	Transportation	10/25/21	6.00 hrs.	6.25 hrs.
Daniel DeFillips	Bus Driver	Transportation	11/02/21	--	2.75 hrs.
Brian Lehr	Bus Driver	Transportation	11/02/21	2.00 hrs.	4.75 hrs.
John Noppa	Bus Driver	Transportation	11/02/21	5.50 hrs.	5.00

Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Field Trip Request Varsity Baseball: Motion made by Mrs. Hanson, seconded by Ms. Dowse, that the Board of Education approve the request submitted by Christopher Teta, Varsity Baseball Coach, for varsity baseball team members to travel the ESPN Wide World of Sports, Walt Disney World Resort, Orlando Florida, April 13-20, 2022.

Motion carried unanimously.

BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMENTS

Mr. Thompson – Congratulations to Mr. Orlando

Mr. Iyer – Congratulations to Mr. Orlando and congratulations to the girls' soccer team. Congratulations Merrick.

Ms. Kruk – Gratitude to Mr. Orlando—quite a presence since I have been here. Congratulations to girls' soccer team.

Ms. Hanson – Congratulations to Mr. Orlando and girls' soccer.

Mr. Lawrence – Congratulations to Mr. Orlando—you will be missed. Congratulations to Schalmont sports-great job

Mr. Ronca.

Ms. Dowse – Nothing else to add. Congratulations to girls' soccer.

Mr. Santabarbara – Congratulations to girls' soccer team - great sports season. Classes are going well. Craft fair was well attended. Glad to see colleges come back.

EXECUTIVE SESSION AND ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Mrs. Hanson, seconded by Mr. Iyer, that the November 8, 2021 meeting of the Board of Education be adjourned to Executive Session at 7:20 PM, not to reconvene.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Karas
Clerk, Board of Education