

Conrad Weiser Area School District Board Briefs

Actions of the board taken on February 17, 2016

THE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS...

Ratified and/or approved

- general account bills in the amount of \$2,438,537.57; cafeteria account bills in the amount of \$101,492.47.

the following from the Budget and Finance Committee

- a Memorandum of Agreement with the Mid-Atlantic Dairy Association, Inc., for a monetary grant in an amount not to exceed \$5,228.00 to support the District's promotion of 8-ounce bottled milk on the main meal line and a la carte for a period of five years from 3/1/16-3/1/21.

the following from the Curriculum Committee

- the Latin/JCL Club field trip, under the direction of Diane Rurode, to the PA JCL State Convention at Penn State University from 5/20/16-5/22/16.
- the Key Club field trip, under the direction of Elizabeth Schrack, to the Key Club Convention at Hershey Lodge from 3/11/16-3/13/16.
- continuation during the 2015-16 school year of an after-school program, sponsored by St. Paul's United Church of Christ, at CW West on Tuesdays from 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m. for students in grades 3-4.
- a partnership with the BCIU to implement a Pre-K Counts classroom through grant funding for the remainder of the 2015-2016 school year.
- the academic school calendar for the 2016-17 school year.

the following from the Extra-Curricular Committee

- spring extra-curricular athletic positions, personnel, and salaries for the 2015-16 school year.
- lacrosse coaches for the 2015-16 school year.
- volunteer coaches for the 2015-16 school year.

the following from the Human Relations Committee

- tuition reimbursement for support staff and faculty.
- the employment of substitute support staff personnel for the 2015-16 school year, effective 2/1/16.
- temporary professional employees, having completed three years of satisfactory service, to be granted the status of professional employees; changes in salary status of Professional Employees, effective 1/27/16.
- payment to Robin Henning for serving one crossover day with Mary Hulina as a special education instructional aide on 12/18/15.
- the employment of Patricia Straub (Robesonia) as a part-time academic year special education personal care aide at CW West, effective 1/28/16.
- the employment of Sean Keeney (Stouchsburg) as a part-time academic year special education transportation aide and as a part-time academic year special education instructional aide at the middle school, effective 1/28/16.
- the request of Melissa Bowser, grade 1 teacher at CW West, for a parental leave of absence beginning approximately 4/14/16, and continuing through the end of the 2015-16 school year.
- changes in the salary status of Professional Employees, effective 1/27/16.
- the employment of Kristen Dagnone (Shillington) as an academic year certificated instructional aide at CW West, effective 2/3/16.
- the employment of Mary Hartranft (Bernville) as an academic year certificated instructional aide at CW East, effective 2/18/16.

- the employment of Sarah Gordon (Wyomissing) as a long-term substitute for Julie Yasin, certificated instructional aide at CW East, effective 2/18/16.
- the employment of substitute teachers for the 2015-16 school year.
- Debra Brubaker to provide homebound instruction for an elementary student for a period of approximately four weeks at a maximum of five hours per week, beginning 2/3/16.
- Philhaven (Mt. Gretna) to provide homebound instruction for a high school student for up to four weeks and for a maximum of five hours a week, effective 2/1/16.

Accepted

the following from the Human Relations Committee

- with regret, the resignation of Robin Behrle, noon-time aide at CW West, effective 2/12/16.

Was informed of

- this year census information will be sent to residents of South Heidelberg Twp., Marion Twp., Womelsdorf Borough, and Robesonia Borough.
- Sharon Weidner, group leader/cook at the middle school, returned to work on 2/1/16. Denise Pirota, who assumed additional responsibilities in Mrs. Weidner's absence, returned to her regular baker/server position and hourly rate, effective 2/1/16.
- Elizabeth Phillips, special education learning support teacher at the middle school, returned to work on 2/8/16.
- Joshua Keck, special education learning support teacher at the high school, returned to work on 2/12/16.

Budget Workshop

April 13, 2016