

Conemaugh Valley School District  
Board of School Directors  
Committee and Regular Meeting  
November 8, 2018

Committee Meeting	<p>The regular monthly Committee Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, November 8, 2018, in the Library of the Conemaugh Valley High School. The meeting was called to order by Board President, Todd Roberts at 6:34 P.M. A moment of silence was observed. A flag salute was led by Heather Richards. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross (arrived at 6:38pm), David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, Attorney John Kuzmiak, David Lehman, and Eric Miller. Absent: Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.</p>
Communications	<p>None</p>
Speakers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Mr. Trent Gibson spoke to the Board about his daughter in the Jr./ Sr. High School and some issues concerning her.</li></ol>
Executive Session	<p>Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Mrs. Richards to enter into Executive Session for Legal &amp; Personnel Issues at 7:38 P.M.</p> <p>All "Ayes". Motion Carried.</p>
Executive Session End	<p>Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mrs. Richards to end Executive Session at 8:59 P.M.</p> <p>All "Ayes". Motion Carried.</p>

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Adjournment                    Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to adjourn the Committee Meeting at 9:01 P.M.

All "Ayes". Motion Carried

Regular Board Meeting

The regular monthly Board Meeting of the Conemaugh Valley Board of School Directors was held on Thursday, November 8, 2018, in the Library of the Conemaugh Valley High School. The meeting was called to order by Board President, Todd Roberts at 9:01 P.M. Roll call of members present: Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Also present: Rebecca Castiglione, Shane Hazenstab, Attorney John Kuzmiak, David Lehman, and Eric Miller. Absent: Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Minutes                            Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Rykala to accept and place on file the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting from October 11, 2018.

Roll call vote: Six (6) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok. One (1) abstention, Todd Roberts

Motion Carried.

Reports                            Motion by Mr. Stiffler, Jr., second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to accept and place on file the Payment of Bills Prior to Board approval in the amount of \$505,647.55; Cafeteria Bills for Payment in the amount of \$19,120.04; the Treasurer's Report for October 2018 in the amount of \$4,641,516.38; Condensed Expenditure Summary Report for October 2018; Condensed Revenue Summary Report for October 2018; PLGIT Investment Holdings Account for October 2018.

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Rykala, second by Mrs. Richards to approve the following:

MOU – PA  
Dashboard/Early  
Warning System

1. The attached MOU between the PA Department of Education and the Conemaugh Valley School District to participate in the PA Dashboard/Early Warning System and Intervention Catalog.

(Attachment A)

Agreement with  
Altoona Area SD-  
Alternative  
Education  
Program

2. The agreement between the Altoona Area School District and the Conemaugh Valley School District to provide Alternative Education Services for identified youth at a cost not to exceed \$75.00 per day. Note: This amount does not include transportation costs.

(Attachment B)

Agreement with  
Greater Johnstown  
SD – Special  
Education Program

3. The agreement between the Greater Johnstown School District and the Conemaugh Valley School District to provide Specialized Special Education Services for identified students at a cost not to exceed \$121.32 per day. Note: This amount does not include transportation costs.

(Attachment C)

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MOU – Multi-  
District Classrooms(s)  
Facilitated by IU08  
Teachers

4. The attached MOU between Appalachia Intermediate Unit and the supporting schools of the Multi-District Classroom(s) facilitated by IU08 teachers.

(Attachment D)

LPN Substitute  
Agreement with  
Ignite Education  
Solutions

5. The attached Agreement with Ignite Education Solutions to provide a substitute LPN for the CVSD at a cost not to exceed \$100.65 per day of service.

(Attachment E)

RN Substitute  
Agreement with  
Ignite Education  
Solutions

6. The attached Agreement with Ignite Education Solutions to provide a substitute RN for the CVSD at a cost not to exceed \$114.07 per day of service.

(Attachment F)

Professional  
Substitutes through  
Ignite Education  
Solutions

7. The slate of professional substitutes as provided by Ignite Education Solutions.

(Attachment G)

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

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Motion by Mr. Stiffler, Jr., second by Mr. Rykala to approve the following:

Resignation –  
Professional  
Staff

8. The resignation of Krista Hershberger, Elementary Art Teacher, Effective November 16, 2018.

(Attachment H)

Volunteers for  
Varsity Girls  
Basketball  
Program

9. The following as volunteers for the Varsity Girls Basketball Program. Note: These volunteers are pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Denny Cruse – Stats      Carlie Levergood – Coach  
Missi Lint - Scorekeeper

(Attachment I)

Varsity Boys  
Basketball Camp  
Request

10. The request by the Varsity Boys Basketball Team to hold a mini-camp prior to the start of the 2018-2019 season.

(Attachment J)

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Field Trip – French  
Club to Quebec,  
Canada

11. The Out-of-State Field Trip by the French Club to Quebec, Canada from February 28, 2019 thru March 4, 2019. Note: There is no cost to the District for this trip.

(Attachment K)

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Hire – Part-Time  
Cook’s Helper

12. Motion by Mrs. Ross, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to approve the hiring of Nicole Kindja as a Part-Time Cook’s Helper at a rate of \$7.25 per hour with benefits as per the Collective Bargaining Agreement. Note: The start date for this hire will be November 13, 2018, and is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Hire – Part-Time  
Cleaner

13. Motion by Mrs. Richards, second by Mr. Truscello, Sr. to approve the hiring of Jamie Clawson as a Part-Time Cleaner at a rate of \$7.25 per hour with benefits as per the Collective Bargaining Agreement. Note: The start date for this hire will be November 13, 2018, and is pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

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Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Stiffler, Jr. to approve the following:

Hire – Support  
Staff Substitutes

14. The following as Support Staff Substitutes:

William Maris and Colleen Goss

(Handout)

Student Activity  
Account Report

15. The Student Activity Account Report for October 2018.

(Handout)

IMPACT  
Statement - CVHS  
SWPBIS Team

16. The IMPACT Statement as presented to create a job description And post for up to six (6) members, at a proposed cost of \$300 each Member per year, to the CVHS School Wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Support TEAM (SWPBIS). Note: If approved, the job description would be available for approval and posting would be done accordingly. These hires will finish out the current extra-curricular contract which expires at the end of the 2018-2019 school year.

(Attachment L)

Field Trip Request

17. The overnight field trip by the CVHS Student Council to the PA Association of Student Councils Conference in Lebanon, PA from November 8, 2018, to November 10, 2018. The District will pay the bus transportation at a cost of \$800, the students will pay their own admission fees of \$1,430 while Student Council will pay for the hotel rooms at a cost of \$2,600.

(Attachment A-A)

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Volunteer Coaches 18. The following as volunteer coaches for CV Basketball programs:

Jessica Masser – coach for Varsity Girls  
Vicki Markiewicz – coach for Jr. High Girls  
Blake Furman – coach for Varsity Boys

(Attachment A-B)

Note: These volunteers are pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Professional  
Substitutes

19. The following as professional substitutes for the District:

Glenn Willis Garrison  
Ashley Staniscia  
Laura Wirfel-Troy  
Amelia Levadnuk

Note: These hires are pending receipt of all necessary clearances and paperwork.

Roll call vote: Seven (7) yes, Donell Jacoby, Heather Richards, Todd Roberts, Melissa Ross, David Rykala, James Stiffler, Jr., and Francis Truscello, Sr. Two (2) absent, Peter Knaze and Mark Vibostok.

Motion Carried.

Adjournment

Motion by Mr. Truscello, Sr., second by Mr. Stiffler, Jr. to adjourn meeting at 9:11 PM.

All “Ayes”. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Donell Jacoby*

Donell Jacoby  
Secretary