

YOUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 15, 2010

The Regular Meeting for General Purposes of the Yough Board of Education was called to order at 8:44 P.M., on Thursday, July 15, 2010, in the Yough Senior High Large Group Instruction Room by President, Ruth Bisko, with the Pledge of Allegiance and Salute to the Flag.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Roll call was taken with the following members present: Allen, Bach, Bisko, Knor, Koget, McClaren, and Nogy. Excused Appolonia and Harvey. Also present were Superintendent, Dr. Denise Shipe; Assistant Senior High School Principal, Keith Reidmiller; Intermediate/Middle School Principal, Thomas Paterline; Director of Special Education, Dawn Hildenbrand; Elementary Principal, Kevin Smetak; Buildings & Grounds/Transportation Supervisor, Robert Vought; Athletic Director, Thomas Evans; Business Manager, Michael Wrobleski; Technology Director, Timothy Scoff; Solicitor, John Rushford; the Press and visitors.

Report from our representative to the CWCTC Joint Operating Committee -

Dwayne Koget, Ken Bach – Alternate –

Technology Report - Mr. Scoff

Implemented and switched over to a new website.

Inventory of PC/Equipment being taken.

Submitted PIMS report.

Custodial/Maintenance Report – Mr. Vought

Received three bids on roof repair and zero turn mowers. The windmill will be dismantled and hauled away the third week in July.

Athletic Report - Mr. Evans – Nicole Sleith – Female Player of the Year

Business Report – Mr. Wrobleski

Update on recently passed State budget. Revenues were reduced but the loss of revenue was almost entirely offset by a reduction in the PSER's rate from 8.22% to 5.64%.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT

None

YEA REPRESENTATIVE

No Comment

CITIZEN COMMENTS

None

PREVIOUS MINUTES

10-7-BP-1

Motion by Allen, seconded by Nogy to approve the minutes of the previous meetings of June 10, and June 17, 2010. All present voting aye, motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORTS/ INVESTMENT SUMMARY

10-7-F-1

Motion by Allen, seconded by McClaren to approve the Treasurer's Report for the General Fund and Summary of Investments as presented. All present voting aye, motion carried.

APPROVE BILLS

10-7-F-2

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Allen to approve bills for payment in the amount of \$1,736,641.88, and payroll in the amount of \$925,609.28, for a total disbursement of \$2,662,251.16. All present voting aye, motion carried.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Executive Sessions were held on the following dates:

Thursday, June 17, 2010, after the meeting – Personnel & Litigation
Thursday, July 15, 2010, before the meeting – Personnel & Litigation

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

**AUTHORIZATION
TO BID
BATHROOM
MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Nogy to authorize the administration to advertise for bids for the construction of a new bathroom at Yough Intermediate Middle School meeting ADA specifications. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**ADVERTISE
BATting
CAGE**

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Nogy to ratify the action taken by the Business Manager to advertise for the purchase of the batting cage for Yough Senior High School. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**EMPLOY
SCHOOL
NURSE**

10-7-PE-1

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Bach to employ Barbara Kujawa, RN as a certified school nurse on Step 1 Bachelors salary effective the start of the 2010-11 school year, and benefits as per the YEA contract. All present voting aye, motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion to adjourn to executive session at 9:05 P.M., reconvened at 9:31 P.M.

**TENTATIVE
VOLUNTARY &
INVOLUNTARY
TRANSFERS**

10-7-PE-3

Motion by Nogy, seconded by Bach to approve the tentative voluntary and involuntary transfers for the 2010-11 school term:

Name	From	To
Mark Thomas	Grade 2 – West Newton Elementary	Grade 1 – West Newton Elem.
Brandon DePhillips	Grade 4 – West Newton Elementary	Grade 3 – West Newton Elem.
Tricia Fretts	Grade 2 – H.W. Good Elem.	Grade 3 – H.W. Good Elem.
Debbie Berarducci	Special Education-H.W. Good Elem.	Special Education – YIMS
Heather Boban	LA 7 – YIMS	LA 7/Reading/LA 6 -YIMS
Melissa Kelly	LA 8/Computers 8 - YIMS	LA 8 /LA 7-YIMS
Debbie Toffolo	Math 8 - YIMS	Math 7 & 8-YIMS
David Brosh	Science 8 - YIMS	Science 8/Math 7-YIMS
Virginia Bodgan	LA 8 – YIMS	LA 8/LA 7-YIMS
Gail Burkett	Math/Science 6 - YIMS	Math/Science/PSSA 6 -YIMS
John McKenzie	Social St. 7/8 -YIMS	Social St. 7 – YIMS
Lou Zadecky	P.E. 5-8 – Physical Ed.-YIMS	P.E. 5-8/Adaptive P.E. - YIMS
Michelle Mills	Reading 8 – YIMS	Reading 8/Reading 6 - YIMS
Maggie Cales	Grade 3 – Mendon	Reading/LA DEV 5/6/ SS INC- YIMS
Kristal Firmstone	Reading/LA DEV 5/6/ SS INC	Grade 3 - Mendon
Margie Santmyer	Computer 6/Reading/LA 6 /SS 6-YIMS	PSSA Skills/Reading/LA 6/SS 6- YIMS
Elizabeth Jenkins	PSSA Skills/Reading/LA 6/SS 6-YIMS	Computer 5, 6, 8/Library Skills 7/SS 6-YIMS
Laura Guzzie	Reading 8/5 – YIMS	Title I - Elementary
Darcie Henry	Title I – YIMS	Reading 8/5 – SS 6 - YIMS
Kim Mance	Science 8/Computer 8/Tutoring YIMS	Anatomy/Physiology/Biology/ Modern Science - HS
Jason Kramer	Anatomy/Physiology/Biology Modern Science – HS	Science 8/Computer 8/Tutoring- YIMS

Allen, yes; Appolonia, absent; Bach, yes; Harvey, absent; Koget, no; Knor, yes;
McClaren, yes; Nagy, yes; Bisko, yes. Motion carried.

**CHANGE
ATHLETIC
DIRECTOR
POSITION _____**

10-7-PE-5

Motion by Knor, seconded by Nagy to approve a contract with Thomas Evans to serve as Athletic Director effective July 1, 2010. All present voting aye, motion carried.

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**RESIGNATION
PROM
SPONSOR _____**

10-7-PE-6

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Allen to accept the resignation of Sallie Pollacci as co-sponsor for the prom. All present voting aye, motion carried.

RESIGNATION

EAP

TUTOR

10-7-PE-7

Motion by Koget, seconded by Bach to accept the resignation of Mark Cornelius as an EAP Math tutor. All present voting aye, motion carried.

RESIGNATION

ASSISTANT

MARCHING BAND

DIRECTOR

10-7-PE-8

Motion by Knor, seconded Koget to accept the resignation of Christopher Donato as Assistant Marching Band Director, and to post and advertise this position. All present voting aye, motion carried.

RESIGNATION

PECUSSION

INSTRUCTOR

10-7-PE-9

Motion by Koget, seconded by Allen to accept the resignation of Tom Murphy as Percussion Instructor, and to post and advertise this position. All present voting aye, motion carried.

RESIGNATION

VOLLEYBALL

COACH

10-7-PE-10

Motion by Knor, seconded by Koget to accept the resignation of William Kubler as Assistant Volleyball Coach, and Middle School Head Volleyball Coach, and to post these positions. All present voting aye, motion carried.

REINSTATE

MIDDLE SCHOOL

ASSISTANT

COACHING

POSITIONS

10-7-PE-11

Motion by Koget, seconded by Allen to reinstate the following Middle School Assistant coaching positions: Girls Basketball, Boys Basketball, Boys Soccer, and Girl Soccer. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**EMPLOY
TECHNOLOGY
ASSISTANT** _____

10-7-CE-2

Motion by Koget, seconded by Nogy to employ Charles Hines as a Technology Assistant at a salary of \$33,000, and benefits contingent on signing the school district's offered contract. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**RESIGNATION
SECRETARY** _____

10-7-CE-3

Motion by Koget, seconded by Allen to accept, with regret, the resignation for retirement purposes of Lorraine Quintier, elementary secretary, effective August 1, 2010, and to post this position. Mrs. Quintier has worked in the district for 54 years. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**PAY INCREASE
NURSES
ASSISTANTS** _____

10-7-CE-4

Motion by Knor, seconded by McClaren to grant the pay increase of 2% to Linda Flaherty, Dawn Virtes, Carole Brunner, and Amy Croushore, nurses assistants effective the 2010-11 school year. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**PAY INCREASE
LIBRARY
ASSISTANTS** _____

10-7-CE-5

Motion by McClaren, seconded by Knor to grant the pay increase of 2% to Brandy Hall, Diane O'Rourke, and Rebecca Pecora, library assistants effective the 2010-11 school year. All present voting aye, motion carried.

**POST &
ADVERTISE
CUSTODIAL
POSITION** _____

Motion by Knor, seconded by Koget to post and advertise the custodian position for the Yough School District. All present voting aye, motion carried.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

Nancy McClaren commented on Mrs. Quintier being a great employee over these many years, and that she will be greatly missed.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Koget, seconded by Knor to adjourn to executive session at 9:42 P.M. All present voting aye, motion carried.

President _____

Secretary _____