

SOLANCO SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board of School Directors
August 7, 2023

Mr. Craig Chubb, Board President
Dr. Brian A. Bliss, Superintendent

The Board of School Directors of Solanco School District met in the Boardroom of the Central Administration Office, 121 South Hess Street, Quarryville, PA 17566 at 7:30 pm on Monday, August 7, 2023, as advertised.

Board President, Mr. Chubb, called the meeting to order and presided. Dr. Dangler took Roll Call and the following Board members responded to roll call: Mr. Robinson, Mr. Kauffman, Mrs. Ausel, Mr. Wimer, Mr. Graybeal, Mr. Kreider, Mr. Musser, and Mr. Chubb. The following administrators were present: Dr. Brian Bliss, Dr. Robert Dangler, and Mrs. Sandra Tucker.

Mr. Chubb led the group in pledging allegiance to the flag. A moment of silence was observed.

Current Areas of District Focus

Study growth in the district and its impact on facilities Maintain
a strong financial base for the district
Continue to develop and maintain a strong K-12 academic program

Presentation – There were no presentations.

Invitation to Speak – No one came forward.

Review August 21, 2023 General Business Meeting Agenda

Business/Financial Reports/Motions

General Fund Reports (Summary, Detailed Activity, Investments, Check Runs) – A motion was made by Mr. Musser, seconded by Mr. Kreider, to approve the General Fund Reports. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the report can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Capital Project Fund Reports (Activity, Investments) – A motion was made by Mr. Kauffman, seconded by Mrs. Ausel, to approve the Capital Project Fund Reports. All

voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the report can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Cafeteria Report - A motion was made by Mr. Graybeal, seconded by Mr. Kreider, to approve the June 2023 Cafeteria Report. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the report can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

23/24 SY LGH Agreement - A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, seconded by Mr. Musser, to approve the attached LGH service agreement for 2023-2024. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the agreement can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

ACA Reporting Contract - A motion was made by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Kauffman, to approve the attached ACA Reporting Service Agreement. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the agreement can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Band Uniform Packet, Quote Tabulation, and McCormick Quote - A motion was made by Mr. Kreider, seconded by Mr. Robinson, to approve the attached band uniform quote. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the quote can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Smith MS Construction Change Order - A motion was made by Mr. Wimer, seconded by Mr. Graybeal, to approve the attached construction change order. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the change order can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Thrive to Five Program Rental Agreement - A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, seconded by Mr. Graybeal, to approve the attached rental agreement for the 23/24 school year. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the agreement can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Scoreboard Sponsorship Agreement - Hershey Brothers Transmission - A motion was made by Mr. Kreider, seconded by Mr. Wimer, to approve the attached sponsorship agreement for the Swift Middle School gym scoreboard. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the agreement can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Sunday Building Use Requests - Solanco Football and Solanco Midget Football - A motion was made by Mr. Musser, seconded by Mr. Kauffman, to approve the attached Sunday Building Use Requests. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of each request can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

High School Nitrate System Replacement Quote and Tabulation - A motion was made by Mr. Kreider, seconded by Mr. Robinson, to approve the attached quote to replace the

nitrate system at the high school. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the quote can be found in Supplement Book #0807.

Personnel – A motion was made by Mr. Graybeal, seconded by Mrs. Ausel, to approve the personnel report. All voted yes and the motion carried.

Resignations

Shana Sensenig, Special Ed. Aide, Quarryville Elementary School

Reason: Personal

With District Since: November 21, 2022

Effective: June 20, 2023

Kali Myers, 8th Grade LEAD Teacher, Smith Middle School

Reason: Personal

With District Since: August 20, 2021

Effective: End of Summer School

Nicholas Roberts, Art Teacher, Smith Middle School

Reason: Pursuing graduate degree at LSU

With District Since: August 19, 2022

Effective: June 26, 2023

Elizabeth Pascale, Emotional Support Teacher, Providence Elementary School

Reason: Personal

With District Since: August 19, 2022

Effective: June 26, 2023

Brenda Law, Paraeducator, Quarryville Elementary School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: January 24, 2022

Effective: June 28, 2023

Tim Opinaldo, Varsity Coach, Boys Junior High Soccer

With District Since: August 22, 2021

Effective: July 1, 2023

Matthew Lau, LEAD Teacher, Swift Middle School

Reason: Personal

With District Since: August 20, 2012

Effective: July 13, 2023

Jessica Zielinski, 2nd Grade Teacher, Bart-Colerain Elementary School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: August 19, 2016

Effective: July 17, 2023

William Mark Stuckey, Assistant Principal, Solanco High School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: December 20, 2021

Effective: July 31, 2023

Ashley Johnston, Biology Teacher, Solanco High School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: October 23, 2020

Effective: July 17, 2023

Lauren McCrory, Paraprofessional, Quarryville Elementary School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: April 3, 2023

Effective: July 27, 2023

Matthew Boyer, Science Teacher, Smith Middle School

Reason: Personal

With District Since: Hired at April 17, 2023 Board Meeting for 23/24 SY

Effective: July 31, 2023

Alexis Troop, Paraeducator, Smith Middle School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: October 20, 2022

Effective: August 1, 2023

Rebekah Steffy, Classroom Aide, Quarryville Elementary School

Reason: Accepted another position

With District Since: February 6, 2023

Effective: August 3, 2023

Tesla Atkins, Physical Education Teacher, Solanco High School

Reason: Accepted a position with another district

With District Since: August 17, 2018

Effective: August 1, 2023

Employment

Andrea Towner-Smith, 8th Grade LEAD Teacher, Smith Middle School

Replaces: Kali Myers

Salary: B, Step 7, \$61,342

Effective: August 18, 2023

Kayla Brown, 8th Grade ELA Teacher, Smith Middle School

Replaces: Bridget Murray

Salary: B, Step 1, \$55,048

Effective: August 18, 2023

Korrin Stevens, 2nd Grade Teacher, Clermont Elementary School

Replaces: Jacqueline Whittaker

Salary: B, Step 4, \$58,195

Effective: August 18, 2023

Melinda Greer, Kindergarten Teacher, Bart-Colerain / Providence Elementary Schools

Replaces: Sarah Goncharoff

Salary: B+12, Step 1, \$58,048

Effective: August 18, 2023

Tiana Menser, 3rd Grade Teacher, Clermont Elementary School

Replaces: New Position

Salary: B, Step 3, \$57,146

Effective: August 18, 2023

Cassidy Harding, Physical Education Teacher, Providence / Quarryville Elementary Schools

Replaces: Bernadette Daries

Salary: B, Step 2, \$56,097

Effective: August 18, 2023

Shannon Rohrer, LTS, 3rd Grade Teacher, Quarryville Elementary School

Salary: B, Step 1, \$55,048

Effective: August 18, 2023

Isaiah Eshelman, LTS, 4th Grade Teacher, Bart-Colerain Elementary School

Salary: B, Step 1, \$55,048

Effective: August 18, 2023

Melissa Zellman, Special Ed. Aide, Smith Middle School

Replaces: Alexis Troop

Salary: \$13.25 per hour, up to 29 hours per week
Effective: August 28, 2023

Sophia Weaver, LEAD teacher, Grade 7, Swift Middle School
Replaces: Matthew Lau
Salary: B, Step 1, \$55,048
Effective: August 18, 2023

Emily MacNair, Art Teacher, Smith Middle School
Replaces: Nicholas Roberts
Salary: B, Step 1, \$55,048
Effective: August 18, 2023

Elizabeth McAlinney, 2nd Grade Teacher, Clermont Elementary School
Replaces: New Position
Salary: B, Step 3, \$57,146
Effective: August 18, 2023

Olivia Rainey, 2nd Grade Teacher, Bart-Colerain Elementary School
Replaces: Jessica Zielinski
Salary: B, Step 4, \$58,195
Effective: August 18, 2023

Shawn Gainer, Special Education Teacher, Solanco High School
Replaces: Shirley Fantozzi
Salary: M+30, Step 15, \$84,736 plus \$2,500 stipend
Effective: Up to 60 days

Change of Assignment

Lisa Sagers, Solanco High School
Previous Position: Cafeteria Substitute
New Position: Special Ed. Classroom Aide
Salary: \$13.25 per hour, up to 29 hours per week
Effective: August 28, 2023

Raymond Reedy, Custodian, Smith Middle School
Previous Position: Substitute
New Position: Full Time, 40 hours per week
Effective: August 7, 2023

Building Committee

Dates to Remember

August 14, 2023 - Board Professional Development, 6:00 PM

August 18, 2023 - New Teacher In-Service Day

August 21, 2023 - New Teacher In-Service Day

August 21, 2023 - Dessert Social, 7:00 p.m., Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. @ Quarryville
Elementary School

August 22, 2023 - Opening Day In-Service for All Staff

August 23-24, 2023 - In-Service

August 28, 2023 - First Day of School

September 1 - 4, 2023 - Schools Closed - Labor Day Holiday

Excuse Absent Board Member – A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, second by Mr. Kreider, to excuse Mr. Roten. All voted yes and the motion carried.

Executive Session (Purpose will be announced if necessary)

Adjournment- At 8:16 pm, with no further business, Mr. Graybeal made a motion, seconded by Mr. Musser, to adjourn the meeting. All voted yes and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra D. Smart
Board Secretary