

REGULAR MEETING
BROCKWAY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

North Street Elementary
Educational Service Center

December 4, 2023
After Reorganization Meeting

Members Present: Joseph Antonuccio
James Brown
Adam Campbell
Steven Clark
Jeffery Ginther

Robert Grecco
Katie Morris
Lori Sabatose
Edward Yahner

Student Members: Jacob Newcamp (EA)
Bailey Franci

Superintendent: Jeffrey T. Vizza

Board Secretary: Laurie L. Piccirillo

Solicitor: R. Edward Ferraro
Ross Ferraro

Visitors: Don Allenbaugh, BAEA
Brian Mulhollan, Principal

Press: Andrew Bundy, Courier Express

President Edward Yahner called the meeting to order at 7:28 p.m.

Roll call taken by the secretary showed nine members present.

Visitors were welcomed and acknowledged.

President Yahner informed the public that there was an executive session/personnel/safety meeting on December 4, 2023 at 6:40-7:04 p.m. No action taken.

MINUTES (Cont'd)
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A motion was made by James Brown, seconded by Robert Grecco, to approve the minutes of the November 14, 2023 regular meeting. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

B.A.E.A.

No report

B.A.E.S.P.A.

No representative

GENERAL PUBLIC

No comment

JEFF-TECH – James Brown & Jeffery Ginther

No meeting
January 4th bid opening for Farm to Fridge Project

I.U. # 6 – Katie Morris

No report

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES – Jacob Newcamp (EA) & Bailey Franci

Report submitted

P.S.B.A. LIAISON – Lori Sabatose

No report

PAYMENT OF BILLS

A motion was made by James Brown, seconded by Robert Grecco, to authorize administration to pay budgeted general fund bills for December 2023. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

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Call Vote: Aye (9) Joseph Antonuccio, James Brown, Adam Campbell, Steven Clark,
Jeffery Ginther, Robert Grecco, Katie Morris, Lori Sabatose, Edward
Yahner

TREASURER'S REPORT – None

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE – Joseph Antonuccio, Chairperson

Student Recognition:

Volleyball:

Laurel Mountain Volleyball League – 2023 Small Division All-Star Team

Kalina Powell – Junior – Libero

Football:

2023 Region 2 District IX Football All-Stars

Reese Yahner – Senior – Offensive Interior Line
Brayden Fox – Junior – Quarterback
Jendy Cuello – Senior – Running Back/Slot Back
Blake Pisarcik – Junior – Wide Receiver/Slot Back & Return Specialist
Maddox Decker – Freshman – Tight End
Ja Wherry – Junior – Defensive Line/End
Ben Yale – Sophomore – Defensive Line/End
Matthew Brubaker – Senior - Cornerback
Caleb Daugherty – Freshman - Punter
Isaac Crawford – Senior – Honorable Mention

John Varischetti – Junior – Defensive MVP & Linebacker

Soccer:

YDL Sports Network All District IX Team

Boys'

Second Team: Dylan Bash – Senior – Forward/Midfielder

Girls'

First Team: Zoe Puhala – Junior – Defense
Second Team: Reagan Gelnette – Senior – Forward/Midfielder

A motion was made Joseph Antonuccio, seconded by James Brown, to approve the following conferences/workshops/fieldtrips:

Kyle Norman and 10 Students – Superior Energy Resources Tour – November 17, 2023
Brockway – School Van

Justin Beimel and 30 Students – DECA Districts – December 12, 2023 – Penn State,
DuBois – Total cost \$190.00

Shay French – STEELS Instruction Methods Training – December 14, 2023 – Riverview
I.U. 6, Clarion – Total cost \$165.85

Candace Patricelli – Act 45 Leading by Design Workshop – February 6, 7, & 28, 2024
Virtual Online – No cost

Don Allenbaugh, Josh Lindemuth, Carly Read, Justin Beimel & Crystal Powell – PSSA
& Keystone Math Open-Ended Task Bootcamp – February 28, 2024 – Riverview I.U. 6,
Clarion – Total cost \$690.00 plus School Van

Tim Chelednik and 16 Students – Breazeale Nuclear Reactor – May 15, 2024 – Penn State
University, University Park – Total cost \$576.75 (Paid my Mengle Funds)

Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

Call Vote: Aye (9) Joseph Antonuccio, James Brown, Adam Campbell, Steven Clark,
Jeffery Ginther, Robert Grecco, Katie Morris, Lori Sabatose, Edward
Yahner

The Junior-Senior High School Band & Chorus will present their annual Holiday Concert on
Thursday, December 21, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The Fifth & Sixth Grade Band and Sixth Grade Chorus will present their annual Holiday Concert
on Wednesday, December 20, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. for the elementary school and 1:15 p.m. for the
parents in the high school auditorium.

BUILDING, SUPPLIES, & CAFETERIA COMMITTEE – Lori Sabatose, Chairperson

A motion was made by Lori Sabatose, seconded by Robert Grecco, to approve the following

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requests for use of facilities according to school district guidelines and in accordance with the district's athletic health & safety plan:

Brockway Basketball Boosters – Annual Shoot-a-Thon – January 20, 2024 – High School Gym – 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Lori Sabatose, seconded by James Brown, to approve the Evening Walking Program at the elementary school, starting Monday, December 11, 2023 through Wednesday, March 20, 2024. This will be available to the community on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:30-7:00 p.m. at no cost to the district. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE – James Brown, Chairperson

A motion was made by James Brown, seconded by Adam Campbell, to contract Rossey Busing to transport a student for an out of district placement. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

Call Vote: Aye (9) Joseph Antonuccio, James Brown, Adam Campbell, Steven Clark,
Jeffery Ginther, Robert Grecco, Katie Morris, Lori Sabatose, Edward
Yahner

POLICY COMMITTEE – Robert Grecco, Chairperson

A motion was made by Robert Grecco, seconded by James Brown, to approve the following policy:

Amended Policy No. 827 Conflict of Interest

Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

FINANCE AND BUDGET COMMITTEE – Jeffery Ginther, Chairperson

A motion was made by Jeffery Ginther, seconded by James Brown, to appoint Laurie Piccirillo as the primary voting delegate and Rick Clark as the first alternative voting delegate to the Jefferson County Tax Collection Committee. If the primary delegate cannot be present for a committee meeting, the first alternative delegate shall be the representative at the committee meeting. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Jeffery Ginther, seconded by James Brown, to approve the Jefferson

County Tax Collection Committee budget of \$3,500.00 for the calendar year 2024. The District is responsible for 9.98% of the budget cost or \$349.30. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

Call Vote: Aye (9) Joseph Antonuccio, James Brown, Adam Campbell, Steven Clark, Jeffery Ginther, Robert Grecco, Katie Morris, Lori Sabatose, Edward Yahner

INSTRUCTIONAL AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE – Katie Morris, Chairperson

Title I Report – Report presented

A motion was made by Katie Morris, seconded by James Brown, to approve the recommendation of Marissa Zocco, varsity head sideline cheerleading advisor, to hire Alex Wright as a volunteer sideline cheerleading advisor, effective for the 2023-24 school year. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Katie Morris, seconded by James Brown, to approve the recommendation of Troy Braddock, wrestling head coach, to rehire Eric Grecco, as a volunteer wrestling coach, effective for the 2023-24 school year. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Katie Morris, seconded by James Brown, to approve the recommendation of Rick Clark, boys' basketball head coach, to hire Adam Halpin, as a volunteer boys' basketball coach, effective for the 2023-24 school year. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Katie Morris, seconded by James Brown, to approve the unpaid leave for Jenna Barber, cafeteria worker, for December 1, 2023, for personal reasons. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

A motion was made by Katie Morris, seconded by James Brown, to approve and place on file the following applications.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>City</u>
Madyson Dellaquila	PreK-4/Sub	Kersey
Emma Kovacs	4-8 Science/Sub	Brookville
Rachael Ellenberger	Custodian/Sub	Brookville
Madalynne Heckman	Custodian/Sub	Brockway
Margo Lindenmuth	Custodian/Sub	Brockway
Zoe Moore	Custodian/Sub	Brockway

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Kaitlyn Puhala	Custodian/Sub	Brockway
Leah Trunzo	Custodian/Sub	Brockport
Danielle Wood	Custodian/Sub	Brockway
Adam Halpin	Volunteer Boys' Basketball Coach	Brockway
Alex Wright	Volunteer Sideline Cheerleading Advisor	Brockway
Kyle Boleen	Volunteer JO/Elementary Wrestling Coach	Brockway

Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Schools are scheduled to be in session until Friday, December 22, 2023 with a one-hour early dismissal and re-open Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

The next scheduled regular board meeting is Tuesday, January 9, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Jeffery Ginther, seconded by Katie Morris, to adjourn the meeting at 7:48 p.m. Motion unanimously carried by all members present.

Edward Yahner, President
Brockway Area School District

Laurie Piccirillo, Board Secretary
Brockway Area School District

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