

*The Mission: is for each student to achieve individual academic excellence, and to maximize personal growth in a community which demonstrates and develops mutual respect, responsibility and life-long learning.*

## **KENSTON BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Regular Meeting

October 17, 2011

7:00 p.m.

Timmons Elementary School Multi-Purpose Room

**The Kenston School District will make reasonable accommodation for individuals with disabilities to be able to participate in this activity. Please make all requests to the Superintendent.**

### **I CALL TO ORDER**

### **II ROLL CALL**

TF \_\_\_\_\_ JH \_\_\_\_\_ BK \_\_\_\_\_ AR \_\_\_\_\_ BT \_\_\_\_\_

### **III APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

September 19, 2011

Regular Meeting

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Special Meeting

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### **IV HEARING OF PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS**

### **V BOARD REPORTS AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

### **VI COMMENDATIONS**

Superintendent recommends that the board commend the following:

**Maria Agostino**, KHS Student for her selection as an American Council of Teachers of Russian, Russian Scholar Laureate for 2011.

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*2 minute recess to release those having been commended who wish to leave.*

**VI FINANCIAL**

Let the records reflect that the Treasurer has submitted a statement to the board and to the superintendent showing the revenues and receipts from whatever sources derived, the various appropriations made by the board, the expenditures and disbursements therefrom, the purposes thereof, and the balances remaining in each fund. The financial statements for the periods ending **(September, 2011)** submitted subject to audit and include: Financial Summary, Appropriations and Revenue Summary, Monthly Comparison Report, Check Register Recap, Bank Reconciliation including Investment Report and corporate Credit Card statements. ORC 3313.29

a. New Fund Approval

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following fund:

506-9312 \$250,000 STEM Innovative Grant RttT-Katie Poe, Coordinator

b. Super Blanket and Multi-Vendor Purchase Order Approval

Superintendent and Treasurer recommend that the board approve the super blanket and multi-vendor purchase orders.

c. Approval of 2011-12 Five Year Forecast

Superintendent and Treasurer recommend that the board approve the 2011-12 Five-Year Forecast.

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**VIII PERSONNEL**

Note: Approval of all new employee contracts is contingent upon receipt of a criminal records check.

Let the records reflect the following professional trips:

**Sue Subel**, American Association of School Librarians “Turning the Page” Conference\*

**Mary Loss**, Curriculum Writing (Summit County ESC)\*

(also **Christian Barrus, David Marshall, Katie Phillips, Bryan Scheider, Robe Segulin  
Don Torma, Brian Turk and Pam Zeigler**)

**Nancy Santilli**, Ohio Association of Administrators of State and Federal Education Programs,  
2011 Fall Coordinators’ Conference\*

**Mark Goodine**, Social Studies Pilot Team, Summit County ESC\*

(also **Bonnie Bernstein**)

**Jessica Kardamis**, Miami Counselor Breakfast\*

**Mary Beth Hearn**, Ohio Council of Teachers of Mathematics Conference\*

**Lisa Nesic**, Instructional Mentoring Training

(also **Dawn Lose**)

**Stephanie Davis**, K-3 Foundations Workshop, Rocky River City Schools

(also **Janet Segro**)

**Katy McGrath**, The Changing landscape for Passing School Tax Issues

**Rebecca Stephanadis**, Co-Teaching Conference, Cohort I Follow-Up, Lake County ESC\*

(also **Christine Fogel, Laurie Hance, Stephanie Olup**)

**Jeremy McDevitt**, Ohio Educational Library Media Association

**Katie Poe**, 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, National Association for Gifted Children

**Tamara Perrine**, Bertie Kingore Workshop, Geauga County ESC

**Christian Barrus**, AP Physics Professional Development Workshop

**Frank Novotny**, Quality Control, Walters Environmental Consulting, Ohio EPA requirement\*  
Lab Analysis, Walters Environmental Consulting, Ohio EPA requirement\*

**Jeanine Domonkos**, Bullying Conference

(also **Nicole Kehres, Santina Lucarelli**)

**Carolyn Rolf**, All Ohio Counselors Conference

(also **Dawn Lose**)

**Ellen Larkin**, Transform your Reading Instruction

**Mary Trimm**, Ohio School Speech Pathology Educational Audiology Coalition Conference

(also **Molly Jansen**)

**Lynn Gotthardt**, Ohio Interscholastic Athletic Administrators’ Association Conference

**Linda Hein**, Northeastern Ohio School Treasurer’s Professional Development Initiative

**Julia Green**, 2012 Ohio Music Educators Association (OMEA) Professional Development Conf.

**Jennifer Miller**, Ohio Association for Gifted Children (OACG) Annual Fall Conference

(also **Kristin Horn**)

**Janet Segro**, Teaching Writing as a Process

(also **Stephanie Davis**)

*\*Paid for with Grant Funds or at no cost to district.*

a. Approval of Substitutes/Curriculum Pay

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following:

Teacher Substitutes, \$89/day

Cheryl Abbarno	Linda Bouck
Monie Chaffee	Carol Consolo
Antonio DiLallo	Janet Fitchko
Darleene Fugedy	Diana Huff
John Kartley	Betsy Kregenow
J. Mark Lowe	Maura Lyons
Mandy McClendon	Kathy McPhillips
Mary Susan Mitchell	Joseph Reynolds
Christina Sheehy	Jennifer Smith
Stuart Spaven	Debra Standley
Joan Thoma-Huff	Louise Boyer
Salvatrice Cumley	Susan Doughman
Laurie Eastridge	Susan Fazio
Carol Gaydos	Rose Hammonds-marchesi
Deanna Kovach	Monica Lazanich
Lindsay Montague	Daniel Pascavage
James Rudesill	Joan Swanson
Roger Vasey	Rebecca Weinfurtnr
Greg Lusk – Leave Replacement, \$203.71/day	

In-Building Substitute

Linda Nutter – TES

Resident Educator Program Mentor Compensation, \$800 each

Greg Koltas	Lisa Nestic	Nikki Kehres
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Resident Educator Program Teacher Compensation, \$200 each

Julie Warmbrodt	Kelly Seitz	Quinn Nosal
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Home Instruction, \$29.08/hour

Ed Mason (not to exceed 29 hours)

Substitute Tutor, \$28.10/hour

Kathy McPhillips

Substitute Proctor, \$8.57/hour

Shelly Britton	Salvatrice Cumley
Sandy Dezman	Sally Goodrick
Cynthia Gruen	Patti Herendeen
Danielle Kiedaisch	Carolyn Manning
Laramie McEananey	Joann Weaver

Substitute Aide, \$9.68/hour

Karen Dunasky	Joann Weaver
Christy Astalos	Lisa Bennett
Teresa Kuzman	

Substitute Administrative Assistant II, \$10.43/hour

Lorraine Embrescia	Lisa Bennett
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Substitute Specialist, \$10.24/hour

Danielle Kiedaisch	Barbra Hauman
Donna Lazanich	Mandy McClendon

Substitute Cafeteria, \$7.40/hour

Stacey Boden	Janet Giunto
Mary Hanson	Brenda Smith

Substitute Transportation Aide, \$9.07/hour

Carol Bullock	Sandy Dezman
Diane Szczesniak	

Substitute Bus Driver, \$11.96/hour

Joanne Edic	Stan Keeny
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Substitute Custodian, \$10.62/hour

Geraldine Shields

500 Hour Maintenance, \$12.43/hour

Sal Alger

Let the records reflect that John Hochkraut's teacher contract for the 2011-2012 school year should be at Step 8, Level 6 in the amount of \$60,450.

Let the records reflect that Brent Barr has resigned his supplemental position as KMS Boys Basketball Head Coach (7<sup>th</sup> Grade) for the 2011-2012 school year.

Let the records reflect that Patti Page's 2011-2012 bus driver contract should be for 5.5 hours in the amount of \$22,186.08 effective August 24, 2011.

Let the records reflect that Anita Hadju's 2011-2012 bus driver contract should be for 5.25 hours in the amount of \$23,242.56 effective August 24, 2011.

Let the records reflect that Christina Roppel has resigned her supplemental position as Varsity Basketball Cheerleading Advisor for the 2011-2012 school year.

b. Approval of Supplemental Contracts

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following list of supplemental contracts:

Staff, 2011-2012 School Year

<b>Liz Vejar-Olwert</b> , KMS Art Club, Advisor, (5/8)	\$ 754
Longevity	\$ 377
<b>Kelly Seitz</b> , KMS Art Club, Advisor, (0/0)	\$ 754
<b>Brent Barr</b> , KMS Boys Basketball Coach, (7/11)	Volunteer
<b>Bob Ross</b> , KMS Boys Basketball, Head Coach, 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade, (0/0)	\$3,618
<b>Josh Jakacki</b> , KHS Basketball, Head Boys, (2/5)	\$6,595
<b>Ryan Novak</b> , KHS Basketball, Asst. Boys, (1/1)	\$4,458
<b>Kevin Hinkle</b> , KHS Basketball, Head Girls, (7/9)	\$6,595
Longevity	\$ 377
<b>Erin Ballantyne</b> , KHS Basketball, Asst. Girls, (2/5)	\$4,617
<b>Bryan Scheider</b> , Swimming, Head Coach, (2/2)	\$4,899
<b>Brian Malloy</b> , Wrestling, Head Coach, (7/7)	\$6,595
Longevity	\$ 377
<b>Pat Murphy</b> , Wrestling, Asst. Coach, (2/4)	\$4,617
<b>Mike Murphey</b> , Weight Room, Winter, (2/3)	\$1,131

Non-Staff, 2011-2012 School Year

Rob Winton, Sr., KHS Basketball, Asst. Boys, (2/2)	\$4,617
Justin Frey, KHS Basketball, Asst. Girls, (2/2)	\$4,617
Bayley Nosal, KHS Basketball, Freshman Girls, (2/2)	\$4,353
Mark Benedick, Wrestling, Asst. Coach, (7/9)	\$4,617
Longevity	\$ 377
Tony Blatnik, Wrestling, Asst. Coach	Volunteer
Melissa Procop, Gymnastics, Head Coach, (2/5)	\$4,899
Brian Craemer, Wrestling, Freshman Coach, (0/0)	\$3,980

c. Approval of Contract – Non-Teaching

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following non-teaching contract for the 2011-2012 school year:

<b>Shelly Britton</b> , KIS Proctor	2.25 hours	\$3,952.50
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d. Approval of Contract Change – Non-Teaching

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following non-teaching contract changes for the 2011-2012 school year:

<b>Terry DiMarco</b> , GELC Health Aide	5.0 to 5.75 hours	\$18,596.71
<b>Mary Monroe</b> , TES Health Aide	5.0 to 5.75 hours	\$17,674.25
<b>Emma Koehnle</b> , KIS Health Aide	5.0 to 5.75 hours	\$18,596.71
<b>Lisa Persichetti</b> , KHS Health Aide	4.6 to 5.25 hours	\$15,468.38
<b>Grace Catania</b> , Mid-Day Bus Driver	1.5 to 2.0 hours	\$7,890.84
<b>Renee Ebelender</b> , Bus Driver	4.0 to 4.5 hours	\$15,757.56
<b>Tani Hanlon</b> , Van Driver	4.0 to 6.25 hours	\$17,736.60
<b>Shirley Henderson</b> , Van Driver	4.0 to 4.5 hours	\$13,808.34
<b>Connie Hess</b> , Van Driver	2.0 to 4.0 hours	\$10,846.08
<b>Linda Herbst</b> , Van Driver	2.0 to 2.25 hours	\$6,810.36
<b>Beverly Shoemaker</b> , Bus Driver	4.5 to 5.0 hours	\$19,899.84
<b>Jan Taylor</b> , Van Driver	2.0 to 5.0 hours	\$13,267.08

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e. Approval to Publish Notice of Hearing

Superintendent's evaluation committee recommends that the board approve the publication of a notice of hearing on the issue of retire/rehire of superintendent on or before November 10, 2011.

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**IX OLD BUSINESS**

## X NEW BUSINESS

a. Obsolete Equipment and Textbooks

Superintendent recommends that the board declare the following obsolete:

***\*Sealed bids for the obsolete equipment must be submitted to the Treasurer's office by noon on October 27, 2011.***

KIS

Deskjet 720Cprinter, tag #11153

TES

(243) non-fiction library books\*\*

Overhead projector, tag #1819

(18) World Book Encyclopedias, no tag

KMS

(91) non-fiction library books, no tag

(12) biography library books, no tag

(79) fiction library books, no tag

(42) paperback library books, no tag

(237) Prentice Hall – Science Explorer Series, Weather & Climate, no tag\*\*

***\*\*Not for bid***

b. Approval of Transportation Reimbursement

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following students for transportation reimbursement for the 2011-2012 school year:

Agnon School

Jori Greene

Max Shall

Emerson Greene

Eli Shall

St. Anselm School

Madeline Horton

Evelyn Horton

April Leygraaf

Sam Leygraaf

Luke Leygraaf

Bridget Zimmerman

Joseph Zimmerman



Gilmour Academy

Nick Aleva	Alex Aleva
Olivia Althans	Jacob Althans
Alex Althans	Claudia Althans
Lyndsay Drake	Alexander Haluska
Alexa Jackson	Danielle Lawrence
Tom Negrelli	Josie Sheehan
Audrey Sheehan	Griffin Sheehan
Alex Wakefield	Caitlin Whetstone

Valley Christian Academy

Hannah Andrews	Micah Andrews
Nathan Barrieau	Claudia Binder
David Criswell	Cameron DeCarlo
Samuel Clark	Lukas Clark
Meri Gabriel	Luke Leonard
Abigail Leonard	Kayla Petrie
Gabrielle Santiago	Jacob Stout
Nathan Stout	
Matteo Tiber	

Hawkin School

Jared Berg	Claire Hobson
McKenna Kasper	Sarah Koucheki
Aaron Naft	Jacob Naft
Ben Naft	Andrew Wakefield

University School

John Althans	Brandon Ambrose
Connor Ambrose	Andrew Brodell
Joseph Domo	Michael Flynn
Tyler Flynn	Maximilian Hanson
Jack Linderman	Marco Oriella
Andrew Pokorny	Ryan Thaler
Reese Thayler	

c. Approval of LPDC Meeting Dates

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following meeting dates for the 2011-2012 LPDC:

October 11, 2011

November 1, 2011  
December 5, 2011  
January 10, 2012  
February 14, 2012  
March 12, 2012  
April 23, 2012  
May 8, 2012  
June 4, 2012

d. Approval of Funding Agreement – Geauga County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the funding agreement with the Geauga County Board of Developmental Disabilities (GCBDD) for the 2011-2012 school year.

e. Approval of Contract – Geauga County Educational Service Center

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with the Geauga County Educational Service Center for Transition Coordinator services for Kenston High School students at a cost not to exceed \$13,000 for the 2011-2012 school year.

f. Approval of Contract – Geauga County Educational Service Center

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with the Geauga County Educational Service Center for job training program for eight Kenston High School students at a cost not to exceed \$68,000 for the 2011-2012 school year.

g. Approval of Contract – Geauga County Educational Service Center

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with the Geauga County Educational Service Center for consultative and related services of the orientation/mobility specialist and Braille technician at an estimated cost of \$8,000 for the 2011-2012 school year.

h. Approval of Contract – Speech/Language Pathologist

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Lyn Phoenix, licensed speech/language pathologist, for speech language therapy at an amount not to exceed \$10,400 from September through December, 2011.

i. Approval of Auburn Bainbridge Recreation Board Member

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the appointment of Scott Shell as the Kenston representative to the Auburn Bainbridge Recreation Board.

j. Approval of Contract – Lake Geauga Computer Center

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Lake Geauga Computer Center (LGCA) to provide Infinite Campus student software for use in the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year at a cost of \$47,805.

k. **Resolution in Support of the Establishment of the Kenston Alumni Association**

**Whereas**, the Kenston School Board is committed to providing its students and alumni with continuing association with their alma mater; and

**Whereas**, the Kenston School Board recognizes the value of an Alumni Association in building school spirit and community pride; and

**Whereas**, the Kenston School Board seeks to strengthen community ties and alumni loyalty;

**Therefore, be it resolved**, that the Kenston Board of Education hereby supports the establishment of a Kenston Alumni Association.

l. **A resolution providing for the issuance and sale of bonds in a maximum aggregate principal amount of \$36,970,000 for the purpose of refunding at a lower interest cost certain of the school district’s school improvement bonds, series 2003, which were issued for the purpose of constructing, furnishing, equipping a new high school, renovating, rehabilitating, adding to, furnishing, equipping and otherwise improving school facilities and acquiring and improving their sites; authorizing and directing the call for optional redemption of the refunded bonds; authorizing the execution and delivery of a bond registrar agreement and a bond purchase agreement with respect to the refunding bonds, and an escrow agreement with respect to the refunding of the refunded bonds; and authorizing the preparation, use and distribution of an official statement relating thereto.**

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**XI DONATIONS**

Blinds, tables and chairs from the KIS PTO to the KIS Library.  
200 pencils and 200 push pins from Discount Drug Mart to the GELC Pinwheels for Peace Program.  
6 recorder packages from Nannette Rumprik to the KIS Music Department.  
\$225 from Richard and Donna Kain to the KMS Wrestling program.  
Pizza from Zeppes Pizza to the Timmons Elementary School Movie Night.  
Yard signs, invitations/flyers from Docmann Printing to the TES Movie Night.  
Water and food for volunteers from Giant Eagle to the TES Movie Night.  
Food and delivery tips from Marie Trabbic to the TES Movie Night

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- XII HEARING OF PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**
- XIII TREASURER’S REPORT**
- XIV SUPERINTENDENT’S REPORT**
- XV ADJOURNMENT**

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**NEXT REGULAR MEETING: 7:00 P.M. November 21, 2011**

*Thank you for attending the Kenston Board of Education Meeting!*