

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 18, 2010

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

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III APPROVAL OF MINUTES

September 13, 2010

Regular Meeting

October 6, 2010

Special Meeting

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IV HEARING OF PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS

V BOARD REPORTS AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Tom Manning - Technology

VI COMMENDATIONS

Superintendent recommends that the board commend the following:

Sue Subel, KHS Librarian, for being recognized for her contributions to the development of a 12th grade assessment for information literacy, by TRAILS (Tools for Real-Time Assessment of Information Literacy Skills).

Christian Carter, KHS Student, for his selection as an American Council of Teachers of Russian, Russian Scholar Laureate for 2010.

Eva Christie, Transportation Supervisor, and her staff for being designated as an Ohio Green Fleet recognizing the hard work that the Kenston fleet has done to improve its efficiency and environmental performance.

Pam Zeigler, KHS teacher, for being chosen as the 2009-2010 Geauga Soil and Water Conservation District "Conservation Teacher of the Year."

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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, 2010)** 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 new fund:

\$1,580 499-9711 International Business-Martha Holden Jennings Grant
Jack Thompson, Coordinator

b. Super Blanket and Multi-Vendor Purchase Orders

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

c. 2010-11 Five Year Forecast Approval

Superintendent and Treasurer recommend that the board approve the five year forecast for 2010-11.

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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:

Rita Pressman, OAPSA (Ohio Association of Pupil Services Administrators)*

Sue Subel, Forging the Future, Library Conference

Michael Bates, Ohio Department of Education Model Curriculum Team Meeting*

Jackie England, LGCA Secretary User Group Meeting*

Steve Shay, Ohio Association for College Admission Counseling, Articulation
(also **Mike Murphey**)

Jessica Kardamis, Forum 2010, College Board

Susan Steinberg, Fall Special Ed. Directors & Case Managers Opening Breakfast*

Janine Collins, Motivational Strategies for Student Engagement
(also **Nancy Olson**)

Rebecca Stephanadis, Alternate Assessment: Train the Trainer & Staff*

Deborah Kramer, AP Workshop, College Board
(also **Christian Barrus, Pam Zeigler, Anthony Marchesi, Roger Vasey**)

Katy McGrath, Communications for Your School Levy, Ohio School Board Association

Anita Johnson, Paraprofessional Series, Geauga County ESC

Pam Garrett, Polymers to Polygons, Ohio Council of Mathematics Teacher*

Molly Jansen, Promoting Stellar School Based Practices, Ohio School Speech Pathology
Educational Audiology Coalition

Todd Malkus, Photography Workshop, Geauga Park District*

Cheryl Murphy, 2010 PE-4-Life Resource conference
(also **Jon Hall, Christine Maistros**)

Lee Ann Popovich, Aspiring Administrators' Conference

Lynn Gotthardt, Ohio Interscholastic Athletic Administrators' Association Fall Conference

Mary Beth Hearn, Mentor Resident Educator Program, Ohio Department of Education

Cathy Zink, Geauga County ESC Gifted Meeting*
(also **Sandy Kramer**)

Frank Novotny, Asbestos Contractor Supervisor Refresher Course

Mary Trimm, OSSPEAC (Ohio School Speech Pathology Educational Audiology Coalition)
Conference

Christian Barrus, Ohio Science Education: Catalyst for Change

Jacqueline Akins, Paraprofessional Series: Emotional Disabilities (Geauga County ESC)*

Bryan Scheider, Ohio Resident Educator Transition Program

Wendy Wilk, Science Education Summit

(also **Lori Robertson, Josefina Ventimiglia**)

Jeff Gowdy, Grundy Center, Iowa – Edmund Leopold Meeting

Jennifer Fioritto, Ohio Art Education Association Art Conference

**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

Deb Blatnik	Cheryl Abbarno
Mary Lou Baker	Pamela Barovian
Linda Bouck	Louise Boyer
Carol Consolo	Kiera Coverdale
Susan Doughman	Karen Dunasky
Laura Fanelli	Beth Fazekas
Janet Fitchko	Darlene Fugedy
John Kartley	Diane Keehl
Deanna Kovach	Betsy Kregenow
Amy Melugin	Janine Nardo
Bayley Nosal	Diana Rodenhausen
Christine Sheehy	Jennifer Smith
Debra Standley	Cheryl Tewskbury
Joan Thoma-Huff	Joanne Weaver
Lori Wilson	Donald Andre
Jason Beffel	Monie Chaffee
Salvatrice Cumley	Scott Danielson
Antonio DiLallo	Morris Dodson
Christina Giannetti	Paul Hederstrom
Eric Johannisson	Barbara Kosiorek
Barbara Marchant	Valerie Seminary
Paul Brett Tomko	Janine Wilks
Rachel Gross – Leave Replacement, \$203.71/day	

In-building Substitute

Lisa Nestic – TES

Alan Thomas - KMS

Home Instruction

Greg Koltas, \$33.37/hour (not to exceed 50 hours)

Emily Hope, \$30.10/hour (not to exceed 50 hours)

Educational Aides (additional hours for implementation of IEPs)

Samantha Wood, \$15.64/hour (not to exceed 10 hours)

Delcinia Lockinour, \$15.40/hour (not to exceed 10 hours)

Substitute Health Aide, \$9.68/hour

Jennifer Niemann

Substitute Administrative Assistant II, \$10.43/hour

Sylvia Bolden

Lisa Bennett

Suzanne Jones

JoAnn Koniar

Substitute Aide, \$9.68/hour

Lisa Bennett

Karen Dunasky

Cynthia Gruen

Cathy Newpher

Suzanne Skoczen

Tracy Suba

Lori Wilson

Darleene Fugedy

Joanne Weaver

Substitute Bus Driver, \$11.96/hour

Candice Channing

Joanne Edic

Charles Gebeau

Robert Hamilton

Patty Herendeen

Stan Keeney

Alison King

Robert McTaggart

Substitute Cafeteria Helper, \$7.30/hour

Janet Giunto

Karen Mostar

Susan Warren

Stacey Boden

Tani Hanlon

Substitute Proctor, \$8.57/hour

Lisa Bennett

Salvatrice Cumley

Cynthia Gruen

Patty Herendeen

Carol Bullock

Sherry Rutana

Suzanne Skoczen

Substitute Specialist, \$10.24/hour

Donna Lazanich Lisa Bennett
Kathleen Wittenberg Lorena Spisak

Substitute Transportation Aide, \$9.07/hour

Sandra Dezman Lorraine Embrescia
Diane Szczesniak Renee Blank
Carol Bullock

Substitute Van Driver, \$11.71/hour

David Walker

Let the records reflect that Erica Custis' bus driver contract for the 2010-2011 school year should be in the amount of \$15,506.04.

Let the records reflect that Jan Taylor's special education van driver contract for the 2010-2011 school year should be in the amount of \$12,828.20.

Let the records reflect that Wendy Duncan's bus driver contract for the 2010-2011 school year should be in the amount of \$18,715.96.

Let the records reflect that Tani Hanlon's van driver contract for the 2010-2011 school year should be in the amount of \$13,800.60.

b. Approval of Supplemental Contracts

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

Staff, 2010-2011 School Year

Jeff Gowdy , MS Head Basketball Coach, Girls 7 th Gr., (12/16)	\$3,957
Longevity	\$ 754
Jeff Fromwiller , MS Head Basketball Coach, Boys 7 th Gr., (2/2)	\$3,957
Pete Thompson , MS Head Basketball Coach, Boys 8 th Gr., (12/14)	\$3,957
Longevity	\$ 754
Joe Papp , MS Head Wrestling Coach, (2/6)	\$3,975
Nikki Kehres , MS Head Basketball Coach, Girls 8 th Gr., (12/13)	\$3,957
Longevity	\$ 754
Josh Jakacki , Basketball, Head Boys Coach, (2/4)	\$6,595
Josh Timmons , Basketball, Asst. Boys Coach, (2/4)	\$4,617
Michael Burns , Basketball, Freshmen Boys Coach, (7/7)	\$4,353
Longevity	\$ 377

Kevin Hinkle , Basketball, Head Girls Coach, (7/8)	\$6,595
Longevity	\$ 377
Erin Ballantyne , Basketball, Asst. Girls Coach, (2/4)	\$4,617
Ryan Novak , Basketball, Asst. Boys Coach, (0/0)	\$4,221
Bryan Scheider , Swimming, Head Coach, (1/1)	\$4,786
Brian Malloy , Wrestling, Head Coach, (2/6)	\$6,595
Pat Murphy , Wrestling, Asst. Coach, (2/3)	\$4,617
Debbie Blatnik , Mat Maids, Head, (0/4)	\$ 754
Roger Vasey , Weight Room, Winter (7/7)	\$1,131
Longevity	\$ 377
John Sandy , Wrestling, Freshman Coach, (0/0)	\$3,980
Jeff Fromwiller , 8 th Grade Trip Director, (0/3)	\$ 660
Mary O'Toole , 6 th Grade Trip Director. (1/2 pos.) (20/21)	\$ 236
Longevity	\$ 236
Jennifer Miller , 6 th Grade Trip Director, (1/2 pos.) (5/9)	\$ 236
Longevity	\$ 189

Non-Staff, 2010-2011 School Year

Pat Malloy, MS Asst. Wrestling Coach, (2/3)	\$3,825
Zachary Svoboda, Asst. AV Specialist, (0/0)	\$2,940
Technical Director, Fall Play, (0/0)	\$1,507
Technical Director, Spring Play, (0/0)	\$1,507
Rob Winton, Sr., Basketball, Boys, Coach, (1/1)	Volunteer
Justin Frey, Basketball, Asst. Girls Coach, (1/1)	\$4,458
Bayley Nosal, Basketball, Girls, Coach, (1/1)	Volunteer
Jim Revak, Hockey, Head Coach, (2/5)	\$4,899
Jim Mangan, Hockey, Asst. Coach, (2/4)	\$3,430
Rob Lyons, Hockey, Coach (1/1)	Volunteer
Melissa Procop, Gymnastics, Head, (2/4)	\$4,899
Tom Paniehi, Swimming, Asst. Coach, (1/1)	\$3,350
Mark Benedick, Wrestling, Asst. Coach, (7/8)	\$4,617
Longevity	\$ 377
Amanda Wilson, LaCrosse, Girls coach, (0/0)	\$2,977
Christina Papparone, Cheerleading, Varsity, (2/6)	\$1,771
Vicki Malik, Cheerleading, JV, (1/1)	\$1,214
Sheila Mathers, Cheerleading, Freshman, (1/1)	\$1,144
Andrew Shumway, Chess Club, (0/0)	Volunteer
David Blake, Baseball, Freshman Coach, (0/0)	\$2,985

c. Approval of Contract – Non-Teaching

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following non-teaching contract for the 2010-2011 school year:

Debbie Blatnik, Administrative Assistant I, Transportation

Step 0/5.75 hours/182 days

\$15,864.94

d. Approval of Leave of Absence

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a leave of absence for **Cynthia Cox**, TES teacher beginning August 23 and returning to work on January 3, 2011.

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IX OLD BUSINESS

X NEW BUSINESS

Let the records reflect the cancellation of the contract with Believer’s Academy for the 2010-2011 school year in the amount of \$31,500.

a. Obsolete Equipment and Textbooks

Superintendent recommends that the board declare the following obsolete:

KHS

(25) Chemistry, The Central Science, ©2003

(25) Chemistry, The Central Science: Lab Experiments ©1994

KMS

Metal cooler racks, no tag

KIS

(2) Whizzard cpu, tag #13430, 12742

****Sealed bids for the obsolete equipment must be submitted to the Treasurer’s office by noon on October 28, 2010.***

b. Approval of Trip – KHS Russian Living Language Trip

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the KHS Russian Living Language Trip to St. Petersburg and Moscow, Russia from April 17, 2011 through April 25, 2011.

c. Approval of Trip – KHS Bomberette Dance Team

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the KHS Bomberette Dance Team trip to Orlando, Florida from April 15, 2011 through April 19, 2011.

d. Approval of Trip – KHS Chorus/Band

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the KHS Chorus/Band trip to New York, New York from April 15, 2011 through April 18, 2011.

e. Approval of Transportation Reimbursement

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following students for transportation reimbursement for the 2010-2011 school year:

Agnon School

Jori Greene	Abigail Ophir	
Shira Ophir	Max Shall	Eli Shall

Peaceful Montessori

Megan Murphy	Colleen Murphy	
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St. Anselm

Brandford Horton	Madeline Horton	Clarissa Saar
Evelyn Horton	April Leygraaf	Nathaniel Saar
Sam Leygraaf	Luke Leygraaf	Chloe Saar
Bridget Zimmerman		

Hawken

Jared Berg	Claire Hobson	Jacob Naft
Stephen Hopkins	McKenna Kasper	Ben Naft
Sarah Koucheki	Aaron Naft	Abigail Russo
Andrew Wakefield		

Gilmour Academy

Nicholas Aleva	Alexander Aleva	Alison Althans
Olivia Althans	Jacob Althans	Alex Althans

Kaitlyn Ambrose	Connor Ambrose	Lyndsay Drake
Oliver Forney	Alexander Haluska	Maximilian Hanson
Nick Hansan	Alexa Jackson	Danielle Lawrence
Madeleine Lynch	Elloise Lynch	John Moore
Hollis Moore	Thomas Negrelli	Michael Overman
C harlotte Pender	Matthew Pender	Alex Wakefield

University School

Brandon Ambrose	John Althans	James Brodell
Andrew Brodell	Michael Daddario	Joseph Domo
Michael Flynn	Tyler Flynn	Jack Linderman
Marco Oriella	Michael Pokorny	Andrew Pokorny
Ryan Thaler	Reese Thaler	

Valley Christian

Madisen Barrieau	Nathan Barrieau	Claudia Binder
Samuel Clark	Lukas Clark	David Criswell
Cameron DeCarlo	Courtney DeCarlo	Selah DuRoss
Meri Gabriel	Luke Leonard	Abigail Leonard
Kayla Petrie	Gabrielle Santiago	Matthew Tiber
Jacob Stout	Nathan Stout	

f. Approval of LPDC Meeting Dates

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the following meeting dates for the 2010-2011 LPDC:

October 19, 2010
 November 16, 2010
 December 14, 2010
 January 18, 2011
 February 15, 2011
 March 15, 2011
 April 12, 2011
 May 17, 2011
 June 7, 2011

g. Approval of Membership – GCEDC (Greater Cleveland Educational Development Center)

Superintendent recommends that the board approve membership in the Greater Cleveland Educational Development Center (GCEDC) for the 2010-2011 school year at a cost of \$300.

h. Approval of Contract – Chagrin Townsend Learning Center

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Chagrin Townsend Learning center for tutoring services at an hourly rate of \$48, not to exceed \$19,500, for the 2010-2011 school year.

i. Approval of Contract – National Network for Digital Learning, Lincoln Interactive

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with the National Network for Digital Learning, Lincoln Interactive at a cost not to exceed \$3,800 for the 2010-2011 school year.

j. Approval of Contract – Solutions Behavioral Consulting LLC

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Solutions Behavioral Consulting LLC for consultation and training on the Applied Behavioral Analysis methodology for students with autism at an hourly rate of \$120, not to exceed \$8000, for the 2010-2011 school year.

k. Approval of Agreement – Ledgemont Local Schools

Superintendent recommends that the board approve an agreement with Ledgemont Local Schools for educational services to a visually impaired student for the 2010-2011 school year.

l. Approval of Contract – Mayfield City Schools

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Mayfield City Schools for educational services for a court placed student attending Mayfield City Schools at an estimated cost of \$10,000 for the 2010-2011 school year.

m. Approval of Contract – Beverly Sullivan

Superintendent recommends that the board approve a contract with Beverly Sullivan, Wilson Reading tutor, for tutoring services at an hourly rate of \$35, not to exceed \$3,800, for the 2010-2011 school year.

n. Approval of Trips – Kenston Middle School

Superintendent recommends that the board approve the 2010-2011 Kenston Middle School trips:

8th Grade trip to Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg, PA – May 24 – May 27, 2011

6th Grade trip to Cincinnati and Columbus, OH – May 19 – May 20, 2011

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XI DONATIONS

Smart board from Gia Weisberg to Kenston Intermediate School.

\$1,000 from Miceli Dairy products (signage) to the Kenston Community Stadium Fund.

Fish tank maintenance from KIS PTO to Kenston Intermediate School.

\$200 from KIS PTO to the Kenston Intermediate School Principal's Fund.

\$250 from the KHS Football Team (brick) to the Kenston Community Stadium Fund.

Timmons shirts and books for library from Emily Walker.

Pinwheel stationary from Docmann Printing to Timmons Elementary School Science Dept.

\$6,000 from Liberty Ford to the KHS Community Stadium Fund.

\$2,000 from University Hospitals to the KHS Community Stadium Fund.

Cricut Expression Pink from Michelle Spicuzza to the TES third grade workroom.

Dinosaur books from Kristine Edwards to the TES 2nd grade library.

\$2,000 from KHS Athletics Department Fall 2010 Cleveland Clinic Marketing Program to the KHS Community Stadium Fund.

(2) flat screen monitors, (2) sets speakers and (2) keyboards from Lauri Gross to the TES Technology Department.

\$1,000 and \$250 from WalMart to the TES Principal's Fund for their Wind Turbine Unit.

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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 15, 2010

Thank you for attending the Kenston Board of Education Meeting!