



***The following item will be tabled until further notice:***

6. Approve: Property Tax Rebate Program for tax year 2009, with two Changes: (1) payments will be made once per year instead of two times per year, and (2) program will be based on a set dollar amount limit of \$180,000, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_

***The following items were discussed:***

**B. PERSONNEL**

- \*1. Approve: Employment of Brian Davis, Psychology Intern; effective approximately August 25, 2010, for the 2010-2011 school year; salary \$12,500; clearances pending  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
2. Appoint: Solicitor for the 2010-2011 fiscal year – law firm of Brumbach, Mancuso & Fegley, with John M. Stott, Esq., as the firm’s representative to the Governor Mifflin School District, at a fee of \$9,000 and an additional fee of \$150/hour for negotiations and \$125/hour for all other time (increase of \$500 in retainer and \$5 in hourly rates)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
3. Appoint: Sharon Patton as Board Recording Secretary for the 2010-2011 fiscal year, at a fee of \$70 per meeting (no increase)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
4. Appoint: Robert Rhoads, Jr., as Treasurer for the Governor Mifflin School District, for the 2010-2011 fiscal year (no compensation)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
5. Appoint: Eric Wolf as Governor Mifflin’s Attendance Officer for the 2010-2011 fiscal year, at a rate of \$25 per referral (no increase)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
6. Approve: Four-day work week (ten-hour days), effective June 21, 2010 through Friday, August 20, 2010; Exceptions: (1) As Monday, July 5<sup>th</sup> is a paid Holiday, employees will work “normal” hours for Tuesday, July 6 through Friday, July 9; (2) The four-day work week will not be in force for the week of August 23-27 (the last week before school starts)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_

**Retirements – (none)**

**Resignations**

- Soloff, Leah - Learning Support, Middle School; effective for the end of the 2009-2010 school year

**Terminations – (none)**

**Employment**

- Baver, Margaret - Substitute Instructional Aide, effective April 26, 2010; clearances pending
- George, Kristin - Food Service Substitute; effective April 20, 2010
- Keener, Lynda - Substitute Aide (Instructional, Lunch, Library); effective April 29, 2010; clearances approved
- Quaglia, Stacey - Substitute Aide (Instructional, Library, Lunch, Health); effective May 6, 2010; clearances approved
- VanderBent, Sue - Substitute Secretary; effective for Summer, 2010; clearances approved
- Wenger, Allison - Food Service, Brecknock; effective April 26, 2010 clearances approved (replaces Henrietta Lucas)

**Change of Status**

- Evak, Michael - Math, Middle School to Grade 6, GMIS; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Yvonne Scalese – retirement)
- Fream, Amy - Grade 1, Cumru to Grade 2, Cumru; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Karen Smith – position shift)
- George, Andrea - Business Education, Senior High to Grade 6, GMIS; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Karen Houck – position shift)
- Green, Matthew - Technology Education, Senior High to Science, Middle School; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (position eliminated/replaces Crystal Adams – resignation)

- Houck, Karen - Grade 6, GMIS to Grade 3, Cumru; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Jean Williamson – retirement)
- Naugle, David - Computer Apps, Middle School to Math, Middle School; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Michael Evak – position shift)
- Schott, Emmy - Grade 2, Brecknock to Grade 1, Brecknock; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (replaces Joanne Moyer - retirement)
- Smith, Karen - Grade 2, Cumru to Reading Specialist, Mifflin Park; effective for the start of the 2010-2011 school year (position shift)

#### **Leave of Absence**

- DeLong, Teresa - Medical Leave of Absence, effective April 16, 2010 and continuing through an undetermined date (Mifflin Park, Lunch Aide)
- Johns, M. Susan - Medical Leave of Absence, effective May 28, 2010 through the end of the 2009-2010 school year (Senior High, Instructional Aide)
- Mohn, Cindy - Medical Leave of Absence, effective June 4, 2010 through the end of the 2009-2010 school year (SH, Cafeteria Manager)
- Yoder, Stacey - Family Medical Leave, followed by Child-Rearing Leave; effective for the first semester of the 2010-2011 school year (Senior High, Science)

#### **Volunteers – Co-Curricular**

- Keller, Clint - SH Boys Volleyball

#### **In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests**

- Boyer, Rebecca Kutztown University, Course #EDU576: Practicum in Reading Instruction; June 21 – July 29, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, English)

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| Boyer, Rebecca    | Kutztown University, Course #EDU503: Thesis; July 6 – August 5, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, English)   |
| Cassidy, Kathleen | Millersville University, Course #EDFN601: Research Methods; September 1 – December 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (SH, Spanish)                  |
| Cassidy, Kathleen | Millersville University, Course #SPAN586: 20 <sup>th</sup> Century Literature; August 30 – December 13, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (SH, Spanish) |
| Christ, Linda     | Learners Edge, Course #855: What Great Teachers Do; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$320; reimbursement \$320 (GMIS, Grade 5)                                  |
| Dennis, Angela    | Cabrini College, Education & Social Policy; May 4 – June 22, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,296; reimbursement \$1,296 (SH, LS)   |
| Gumpert, Emily    | Cabrini College, Course #EDG522: Creating a Community of Learners; May 4 – June 22, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,332; reimbursement \$1,332 (Cumru, Grade 1)                  |
| Gumpert, Emily    | Cabrini College, Course #EDG526: Literature for Children & Youth; July 6-8, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,332; reimbursement \$1,332 (Cumru, Grade 1)                          |
| Harter, Denise    | Learners Edge, Course #704: Instructional Strategies; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; no reimbursement (SH, FACS)   |
| Harter, Denise    | Learners Edge, Course #988: Driving Force; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; no reimbursement (SH, FACS)  |
| Heller, Cory      | Kutztown University, Course #SEU567: Curriculum of the Secondary School; July 6 – July 29, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (SH, English)              |
| Holgate, Steven   | Augustana College, Course #721: Integrating the Brain & Arts into your Classroom; June 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; reimbursement \$360 (GMIS, Music)      |
| Jack, Jan         | Learners Edge, Course #704: Instructional Strategies; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; no reimbursement (SH, FACS)   |

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| Jack, Jan          | Learners Edge, Course #988: Driving Force; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; no reimbursement (SH, FACS)  |
| Kidd, Kelly        | Wilkes University, Course #EDIM501: Cognition & Technology; June 26 – August 13, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (GMIS, Grade 5)  |
| Kidd, Kelly        | Wilkes University, Course #EDIM514: Internet Tools for Teaching; May 8 – June 25, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (GMIS, Grade 5)   |
| Lamm, Holly        | Kutztown University, Course #ELU540: Seminar in Elementary Curriculum Development; July 6 – August 5, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (SH, LS)                                    |
| Lamm, Holly        | Kutztown University, Course #SEU567: Curriculum of the Secondary School; July 6 – July 29, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (SH, LS)   |
| Lease, Melissa     | Drexel University, Course #EDGI508: Understanding Research on Global, International & Comparative Education; June 21 – September 4, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$2,058; reimbursement \$2,058 (MS, English) |
| Spengler, Kelly    | Kutztown University, Course #503: Painter's Craft; June 21 – July 2, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (Middle/Senior High, Art)  |
| Wiedemann, Kristen | Cabrini College, Course #549: The Teaching of Writing; May 3 – June 24, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,296; no reimbursement (Cumru, Grade 3)   |
| Winkleman, Jean    | Gratz College, Action Research; May 1-24, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$940; reimbursement \$940 (SH, English)   |
| Wright, Allison    | Kutztown University, Course #EDU552: Teaching Reading in Content Area; May 18 – June 17, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, English)  |
| Wright, Allison    | Kutztown University, Course #EDU576: Practicum in Reading Instruction: Corrective & Remedial; June 21 – July 29, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, English)                    |

Wright, Allison Kutztown University, Course #EDU535: Major Philosophies of Education; July 12 – August 5, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110 reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, English)

**In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests – Masters Plus**

Bauer-West, Lori Learners Edge, Course #776: Teaching Children with Autism; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (Cumru, Speech)

Bauer-West, Lori Learners Edge, Course #855: What Great Teachers Do; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (Cumru, Speech)

Caron, Jennifer Millersville University, Course #RDED621: Foundations of Reading; May 17 – June 12, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (MS, LS)

Eckert, Barbara Learners Edge, Course #776: Teaching Children with Autism; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (GMIS, LSS)

Eckert, Barbara Learners Edge, Course #855: What Great Teachers Do; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (GMIS, LSS)

Kane, Patricia Millersville University, Course #GFED688: Gifted Institute; June 21-25, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$1,110; reimbursement \$1,110 (Gifted, K-6)

Lavigna, Melanie Augustana College, Course #920: Good to Great – Principles of Great Teaching; May 31 – November 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; no reimbursement (Cumru, Grade 2)

Linderman, Stacy North Dakota State, Course #855: What Great Teachers Do; April 27 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$340; reimbursement \$340 (Cumru, Kindergarten)

Linderman, Stacy North Dakota State, Course #738: Gender Matters – How Boys & Girls Learn; April 27 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$340; reimbursement \$340 (Cumru, Kindergarten)

Nierle, Patricia Augustana College, Course #DL895: Parent Trap; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (Brecknock, Grade 2)

- Nierle, Patricia Augustana College, Course #DL505: Brainworks; May 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$345; reimbursement \$345 (Brecknock, Grade 2)
- Trudel, Lenora Augustana College, Course #DL698: Words Matter; July 15 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; reimbursement \$360 (Cumru, Guidance)
- Zaun, Donna Colorado State University, Course #712: Sticks & Stones – The Bully-Free Zone; July 1 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; reimbursement \$360 (MS, FACS)
- Zaun, Donna Colorado State University, Course #855: What Great Teachers Do; July 1 – August 15, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$360; reimbursement \$360 (MS, FACS)

**In-Service Tuition Reimbursement Requests - Administrators**

Coleman-Hill, Andrea- Immaculata University, Course #726: Political/Economic/Social Structures; May 17 – June 28, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$2,340 (Director of Data Analysis, Assessments & Research)

Coleman-Hill, Andrea- Immaculata University, Course #735: The Superintendency; July 6 – August 16, 2010; 3 credits; tuition \$2,340 (Director of Data Analysis, Assessments & Research)

**C. CURRICULUM/INSTRUCTION/PUPIL SERVICES**

- \*1. Approve: Request of the Governor Mifflin Ski & Snow Board Club to participate in a ski trip to Lake Placid, NY from Friday, January 21 through Sunday, January 23, 2011, at no cost to the District, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Approve: Curriculum Development Budget for 2010-2011 in the amount of \$13,000. The Director of Curriculum is directed to administer the Budget and present a formal accounting to the Board for ratification at the end of the school year  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. Approve: Conference Budget for 2010-2011 for professional staff members in the amount of \$50/teacher. The Director of Human Resources is directed to administer the Budget and present a formal accounting to the Board for ratification at the end of the school year  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_

4. Approve: Textbook Adoptions for 2010-2011, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
5. Approve: Governor Mifflin’s submission of the following Federal Programs Applications: Title I, Part A; Title II, Part A (Teacher and Principal Training)  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
6. Approve: Summer, 2010 Extended School Year Program/Employment, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
7. Authorize: Administration to apply for 11 Act 80 Days at the elementary level and 4 Act 80 Days at the secondary level for the 2010-2011 school year, for the purpose of providing appropriate curriculum articulation, other curriculum-related activities, and parent-teacher conferences  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- \*8. Approve: Agreement with Opportunities School to provide Extended School Year services to five students (#803937, #802650, #804896, #800590, #802759); June 28 – August 5, 2010, at a cost of \$3,848.16 per student, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- \*9. Approve: Agreement with Exeter Township School District to provide Extended School Year services to student #804517; July 6 – August 6, 2010, at a cost of \$1,045.74, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- \*10. Approve: Agreement with Austill’s Rehabilitation Services, Inc., to provide Occupational & Physical Therapy services to identified students for the 2010-2011 school year, 2011-2012 school year and the 2012-2013 school year, with no rate increase, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_
- \*11. Approve: Agreement with Manito, Inc., to provide Alternative Education Services to students requiring out-of-district placement for the 2010-2011 school year, as presented  
Motion \_\_\_\_\_ second \_\_\_\_\_

**D. ATHLETIC/CO-CURRICULAR – (none)**

**E. PROPERTY – (none)**

**F. POLICIES – (none)**

**G. TECHNOLOGY – (none)**

**H. BUILDINGS & GROUNDS USE REQUESTS**

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| American Legion<br>Reber-Moore Post     | High School Auditorium (only if inclement weather)<br>Monday, 5/31/10<br>9:00am – 12:00noon<br>Memorial Day Parade<br>No Charge  |
| Pennsylvania Outstanding<br>Young Woman | High School Auditorium with Stagehands and Band<br>Room, one Classroom and cafeteria<br>Wed, 11/24/10 – 5:00pm-11:00pm (6 hrs)<br>Thurs, 11/25/10 – 7:00am-12:00noon (5 hrs)<br>Fri, 11/26/10 – 7:00am-6:00pm (11 hrs)<br>Sat, 11/27/10 – 7:00am-12:00midnight (17 hrs)<br>State Program for PA Outstanding Young Woman<br>Charges: Auditorium - \$100/hr, 2 Stagehands - \$7.25/hr<br>each, Classroom Rental - \$10/hr, Cafeteria - \$10/hr,<br>Custodial: \$30-\$40/hr |
| Shillington Borough                     | High School Auditorium (only if inclement weather)<br>Fri., 6/11/10 and Fri, 8/6/10<br>5:00pm – 10:00pm<br>Concert in the Park<br>No Charge  |

**III. REPORT/DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**IV. COMMUNICATIONS**

- \*Music Association – Night of Jazz appreciation
- \*Mark Smith/Lisa Peterson – Music Department concerns

**V. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**VI. INFORMATION ITEMS**

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

## MEETINGS

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| Monday, May 10  | 7:00pm<br>7:30pm | <b>WORK<br/>PROPERTY</b>    | Education Center |
| Monday, May 17  | 7:00pm<br>7:30pm | <b>CURRICULUM<br/>BOARD</b> | Education Center |
| Monday, June 14 | 7:00pm<br>7:30pm | <b>WORK<br/>PROPERTY</b>    | Education Center |