



Peters Township School District

**MINUTES
PETERS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, MAY 16, 2011**

7:30 P.M. – DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICES

CALL TO ORDER: Diane Ritter, President, called the regular meeting of the Peters Township Board of School Directors to order at 7:30 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL: Present were: Mrs. Golembiewski, Mrs. Ritter, Mrs. Erenberg, Mr. McMurray, Mrs. Cuervo, Mrs. Smith, Dr. Buzzatto and Mrs. Sullivan and Mr. Hvizdos.

Also present were Dr. Nina Zetty, Superintendent, Dr. Anthony Merante, Assistant Superintendent, Mr. Solomon, Business Manager, Michael Fisher Principal at Pleasant Valley Elementary, Kelly Gustafson, Principal Bower Hill Elementary, Shelly Belcher, Communications Coordinator, and Theodore M. Trbovich, Solicitor.

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

- Celebration of Excellence
- Mary Jo Podgurski of the Washington Hospital Teen Outreach program presented Dr. Zetty with the "School Administrator Award"
 - Dr. Zetty announced that First graders in the District showed off what they have learned about Mexico and the Spanish language in the annual performance for students and parents. Students at Bower Hill sang songs about the Mexican culture, and shared facts that they had learned through their studies. At Pleasant Valley they also celebrated the end of their unit on Mexico with a fiesta with authentic Mexican food, as well as songs and dances.
 - Dr. Zetty announced that the sixth grade students at McMurray Elementary had the opportunity to learn more about nations from around the world from some volunteers right here at home. Through the Spanning the Globe program on May 13, students heard presentations on what life was like in different countries from around the world – including Taiwan, Saudi Arabia, France, Hungary, and Greece.
 - Dr. Zetty announced that the Middle School 8th grade had the opportunity to learn about the Holocaust from a guest speaker who shared his story of being a young man in a concentration camp. During their unit studying the Holocaust, the students also visited the Jewish International Film Festival to see some films dealing with Holocaust themes.
 - Dr. Zetty announced that 208 members of the PTHS music department recently competed in Festival Disney at Walt Disney World in Orlando. The symphonic choir, concert choir, drill team, and silks all earned superior ratings, and all the bands

and orchestra earned excellent ratings. Three students were also selected for soloist awards from students all across the nation.

- Dr. Zetty congratulated the boys baseball team and the girls lacrosse team who both took home section titles this year. Several of our teams are heading in the playoffs this week and we wish them all the best of luck.

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR (15 minutes)

“Any parent, guardian, resident, or community group shall have the right to present a request, suggestion, or complaint concerning district personnel, programs, or operations of the district. At the same time, the Board has a duty to protect its staff from harassment. Consequently, the board does not and will not condone personal attacks directed toward district personnel. It is the Board’s intent to provide a fair and impartial manner for seeking appropriate remedies.

Any suggestions or complaints directed to individual Board members and/or the Board shall be referred to the superintendent and/or appropriate administrator for consideration and action. Personnel complaints directed toward an individual(s) are not subject for discussion or review at a public meeting of the Board of School Directors.”

(Peters Township School District Policy 1312)

- Michael Aburachis of 272 Sutherland Drive, questioned if the Board has approved the bond issue for the Pleasant Valley field complex as of today. Mr. Aburachis referred to the budget cuts in technology and curriculum and questioned the need for the Pleasant Valley field project.
- Mrs. Cuervo stated that all meetings were advertised and opened to the public and she also stated that improvements to the field are needed and this project is supported by the majority of the Board.
- Mrs. Golembiewski summarized the need for these improvements to the field including safety and scheduling.
- John Luckhardt of 127 Highland Drive, stated that he is concerned that the Pleasant Valley field will become a stadium which will impact the neighborhood. He specifically stated that he is concerned about the sound system and the increase in traffic, security and crowd control. He suggested that only regular events be held limiting the use of the lights and sound system and to modify the plan to include the baseball turf and forego the lights and sound system. He also suggested the use of a portable sound system.
- Bill Wood of 135 Highland Drive stated that he supports the comments made by Mr. Luckhardt, specifically the privacy fence surrounding the baseball field.
- Mary Korsmeyer of 132 Highland Drive questioned the Board to reconsider the project of the Pleasant Valley Field. She stated that she is concerned about the noise and lights and suggested that reducing this project would eliminate these items. She also requested the final map and plans of the field be made public. Ms. Korsmeyer also stated that she feels the project exceeds the needs of the District for the programs described and also questioned who will police the field during usage.

- Anita Knaack of 213 Rutledge Drive questioned the reduction in the Pleasant Valley staff in the third grade by one teacher resulting in a larger class sizes. She stated that she is concerned about the impact on her child's success.
- Dr. Zetty stated that the quality of the teaching staff is the main reason for a student's success.
- Christine Smith of 329 Buffalo Ridge Road, stated that she is concerned that the teachers will teach to the brighter students and the average student will fall behind.
- Dr. Zetty stated that there is no research to support the benefits of smaller class-size in school districts with our demographics.
- Darcy Sefer of 201 Sandcreek Drive stated she feels class sizes must stay below 24
- Megan Faloni of 107 Highland drive stated that she supports the Pleasant Valley field improvements and suggested that there be no lights and sound.
- Barbara Luckhardt of 127 Highland Drive requested that the Board remember that the residents are their neighbors and felt that the Board should have reached out to the neighbors regarding this project. She requested a meeting with the residents and the school board.
- Laura Devine, a Pittsburgh city school teacher stated that larger classes such as the one she teaches with over thirty students, do have an impact on instruction.
- Shobhna Chawla, of 257 Molly Drive thanked the Board for their support of the Odyssey of the Mind for McMurray Elementary.
- Sheri Morgan of 107 Standing Rock Drive stated that she feels that class size matters and is concerned about the impact on teachers. She stated class size was one of the reasons she moved to Peters Township.

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS: None

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

I. BUSINESS OFFICE

RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve Business Office recommendations as follows (attachments 1 through 9):

1. Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting on April 18, 2011.
2. Approval of the treasurer's report for April 2011 with a balance of \$ 2,731,316.66.
3. Approval of General Fund bills for April 12, 2011 through April 30, 2011 and May 1, 2011 through May 11, 2011.
4. Approval of the Capital Facilities Fund bills from April 13, 2011 through May 11, 2011.

5. Approval of the Food Service Bills from April 13, 2011 through May 11, 2011.
6. Approval of the McMurray Elementary School Activity Fund report from April 1, 2011 through April 30, 2011.
7. Approval of the Middle School Activity Fund report from April 1, 2011 through April 30, 2011.
8. Approval of the High School Activity Fund report from April 1, 2011 through April 30, 2011.
9. Approval of the High School Athletic Fund report from April 1, 2011 through April 30, 2011.

MOTION:

Mr. Hvizdos moved approval of the Business Office recommendations 1 through 9, seconded by Mrs. Golembiewski

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

II. BOARD COMMITTEES

Personnel

Cindy Golembiewski

- Mrs. Golembiewski stated that a closed Personnel Committee meeting was held on April 19 and May 12 for the purpose of discussing personnel issues. Another is scheduled for May 19, 2011 at 6:30 p.m.
1. **RECOMMENDATION:** Consider a motion to amend the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the PTSD and PTFT for the 2010-11 contract year as follows:

Section 10, Subsection H, Paragraph 1 & 3: Early Retirement Incentive Program – To change the required age from 62 to 60.

MOTION:

Mrs. Golembiewski moved approval of the Personnel Committee recommendation 1, seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

Buildings and Grounds

Lori Cuervo

- Mrs. Cuervo stated that there was a Buildings and Grounds Committee meeting on May 2, 2011 to discuss transportation cost savings and the high school renovations. She reported that the Township Planning Meeting concerning the renovations to the PV fields resulted in an approval from the Township Thursday evening. She also thanked HHSDR & Mr. Solomon for answering questions at the planning meeting.
- Mrs. Sullivan thanked Joyce Dahlstrom, Assistant Supervisor of Building and Grounds and Transportation for an excellent report on the transportation in the District.
- Dr. Buzzatto questioned the status of the McMurray floor issue.
- Dr. Zetty stated that we will continue to monitor this issue this year.

Education

- Lynn Erenberg stated that there was no report

Finance

Tom McMurray

- Mr. McMurray stated that there was a Finance Committee meeting on May 9, 2011 to discuss budget cuts from the April 18, 2011 Finance Committee meeting and to prepare the preliminary budget. The next Finance Committee meeting will be held on June 13, 2011.
1. RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to reappoint Citizens Bank as Treasurer of Record for the 2011-12 school year under the existing terms and conditions.

MOTION:

Mr. McMurray moved approval of the Finance committee recommendation 1, seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

2. RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to adopt the tentative General Fund Budget for the 2011-12 school year in the amount of \$49,892,752.

MOTION:

Mr. McMurray moved approval of the Finance committee recommendation 2, seconded by Mrs. Sullivan

- Dr. Buzzatto requested clarification regarding the amount the District can increase the final budget above the tentative budget.
- Mr. Solomon stated that the allowable increase is two thousand dollars above the tentative budget

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

3. **RECOMMENDATION:** Consider a motion to approve the tentative 2011-12 Technology Budget in the amount of \$795,903 (excluding salary and benefits that has been incorporated into the General Fund Budget).

MOTION:

Mr. McMurray moved approval of the Finance committee recommendation 3, seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

- Mrs. Sullivan reminded that these are tentative budgets that are still being worked on and thanked the Superintendent and the building administrators for their help in this process.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

4. **RECOMMENDATION:** Consider a motion to adopt the tentative Capital Reserve Fund Budget for the 2011-12 school year in the amount of \$3,862,217.
- Mr. McMurray explained the \$5,000,000 bond issue purpose and stated that \$2.5 million was for the Pleasant Valley field renovation and the balance is for other projects like paving, roofing and other projects. The additional \$2.5 million can be used for any other Capital expenses that may be needed over the next several years. He stated that it was advantageous to borrow this money at this time with the market where it is at this time. At this point the Board has not voted to do this bond issue or to do the Pleasant Valley field officially. Mr. McMurray stated that the Capital budget stands alone from the General Fund Budget.

MOTION:

Mr. McMurray moved approval of the Finance committee recommendation 4, seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(9-0)

- Mrs. Sullivan questioned if the scope of the project at Pleasant Valley will be discussed before a final vote on the bond issue.
- Mrs. Cuervo stated that adjustments and modifications are being addressed.
- Dr. Zetty stated that the Board is listening to the comments regarding the Pleasant Valley field.
- Mr. Solomon explained our decision to move the speakers and the batting cages

Policy

Diane Ritter

- Mrs. Ritter stated that the GPA committee has been meeting and will make recommendations to the Board and thanked everyone who participated.
- Dr. Buzzatto requested an explanation of the process of policy development.
- Mrs. Ritter summarized the process.
- Dr. Buzzatto stated that he did not feel the explanation answered his question.
- Mrs. Ritter suggested that he forward his request via e-mail.

PSBA

Sue Smith

- Mrs. Smith thanked everyone who responded to her request. She stated that she received an emergency e-mail from PSBA where their legal advisors have requested that they change their support for a bill in the Pennsylvania legislature.

Western Area Career and Technology Center

Julie Ann Sullivan

- Mrs. Sullivan thanked Mr. Hvizdos for attending the last meeting in her place.
- Mrs. Sullivan stated that the WACTC's Certificate Ceremony honoring the Class of 2011 will be held on Tuesday, May 17, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chartiers-Houston High School Auditorium; Dr. Zetty will attend. The annual induction ceremony for members of the National Technical Honor Society was held on May 6, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. at WACTC.
- Mrs. Golembiewski left the board meeting at 9:15 p.m.

Intermediate Unit

Tom McMurray

5. RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve the IU #1 Consortium Highmark Blue Cross/Blue Shield premium rates for the 2011-12 school year. The rates remain unchanged from the 2010-11 school year.
- Mr. McMurray thanked all who created the consortium.

MOTION:

Mr. McMurray moved approval of the Intermediate Unit recommendation 5, seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

(8-0)

South Hills Area School Districts Association
David Hvizdos

- Mr. Hvizdos reported that two students, Marissa Dawson and Peter Goimarac, III were honored at the SHASDA conference on April 29, 2011.
- Mr. Hvizdos stated that this concludes SHASDA events for the 2010-11 school year.

SUPERINTENDENT'S AGENDA

III. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve Certificated Personnel recommendations as follows:

1. Approve the following retirement:

Effective: End of the 2010-11 school year
Name: Patricia Wermlinger
Position: 4th Grade Teacher
Assignment: McMurray Elementary

2. Approve the following child rearing leave:

Name: Kristin DeGiovanni
Position: Art Teacher
Assignment: High School
Effective: May 25, 2011 through end of the 2010-11 school year

3. Approve the following teachers for the 2011 Extended School Year (ESY) Program at the contractual rate:

Substitute Teacher (All Schools) June 27 – July 29
Michelle Roberts

Bower Hill Elementary June 27 – July 29
Angela Roberts 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Bower Hill Elementary June 27 – July 22
Dolores Miller 9:00 am – 12:30 pm

Pleasant Valley Elementary July 11 – July 29
Kristen Degenhardt 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

McMurray Elementary June 27 – July 29
Amanda Peduzzi 9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Breann Kaufman 9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Middle School	June 27 – July 29
Bettina Lemmon	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Michelle Roberts	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

4. Approve the following as day-to-day substitute teachers for the remainder of the 2010-11 school year, pending receipt of all compliance documents. Employees will not begin work within or for the District until documents are on file, except in special circumstances approved by the Superintendent.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Certification</u>
Moniodes, Pamela	Earth and Space Science
Sommer, Amy	Elementary K-6

5. Approve the following student teachers/observers/interns for the 2011-12 school year, pending receipt of all compliance documents:

Name: Christina Pucel
 Dates of Assignment: August 29 – December 22, 2011
 College or University: California University
 Curriculum Major: School Counseling
 Assignment: Intern
 PTSD Teacher and Bldg: High School Counseling Department

Name: Mary Mueller
 Dates of Assignment: September 6 – December 15, 2011
 College or University: Duquesne University
 Curriculum Major: Elementary
 Assignment: Student Teacher
 PTSD Teacher and Bldg: David Karp, Bower Hill Elementary

MOTION:

Mrs. Cuervo moved approval of the Certified Personnel recommendations 1-5, seconded by Mrs. Erenberg.

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
 (8-0)**

IV. NON-CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve Non-Certificated Personnel recommendations as follows:

1. Approve the following new hire(s):

Name: Jamie Ross
Position: Van Driver
Assignment: Bus Garage
Salary: \$9.65/hour
Effective: May 17, 2011
Replacing: Phyllis Pecina

Name: Mary Schweitzer
Position: Cafeteria/Food Service
Assignment: Middle School
Salary: \$11.26/hour
Effective: May 17, 2011
Replacing: Melissa Crumb

2. Approve the following intermittent family medical leave:

Name: Dennis Chappel
Position: Custodian
Assignment: High School
Effective: May 4, 2011

3. Approve the following family medical leave:

Name: Carol Hoffman
Position: Clerical
Assignment: Pleasant Valley Elementary
Effective: April 26 – May 10, 2011

4. Approve the following day-to-day non-teaching substitutes for the 2010-11 school year pending receipt of all compliance documents. Employees will not begin work within or for the District until documents are on file, except in special circumstances approved by the Superintendent.

Egan, Amy

Clerical, Cafeteria/Playground Monitor

5. Approve the following paraprofessionals for the 2011 Extended School Year (ESY) Program at the substitute teacher rate and/or prorated substitute rate:

<u>Bower Hill Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 22</u>
Vanessa Piqueirs	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ashley Buckman	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Brittany Armstrong	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Benjamin Barley	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>Pleasant Valley Elementary</u>	<u>July 11 – July 29</u>
Renee Ference	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 29</u>
Lauren Subosits	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 1</u>
Susan Kochin	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>July 5 – July 29</u>
Christine Clawges	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>July 25 – July 29</u>
Vanessa Piqueira	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>Middle School</u>	<u>June 27 – July 22</u>
Tracey Betschart	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>Middle School</u>	<u>June 27 – July 29</u>
Sarah Corsinelli	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Daniel DeLuca	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>Middle School</u>	<u>July 25 – July 29</u>
Benjamin Barley	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

6. Approve the following Paraprofessional's for the 2011 Extended School Year (ESY) Program at the paraprofessional contractual rate:

<u>Substitute Paraprofessional (All Schools)</u>	<u>June 27 – July 29</u>
Lisa Harrison	

<u>Bower Hill Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 29</u>
Teresa Buzard	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>Bower Hill Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 22</u>
Kendra Troscinski	9:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>Bower Hill Elementary</u>	<u>July 11 – July 29</u>
Katie Zoufalik	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 22</u>
Marilyn Miller	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>June 27 – July 1</u>
Cristina Fitzgerald	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>July 5 – July 29</u>
Rebecca Jackson	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
<u>McMurray Elementary</u>	<u>July 25 – July 29</u>
Elaine MacArthur	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Janet Ruzicak	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Gail Schlafman	12:30 pm – 3:30 pm
<u>High School</u>	<u>June 27 – July 29</u>
Michelle Seman	hours based on job shadowing
Elizabeth Camody	hours based on job shadowing

MOTION:

Mrs. Sullivan moved approval of the above Non-Certified Personnel recommendations 1-6, seconded by Mrs. Erenberg

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
(8-0)**

- Mrs. Golembiewski joined the meeting by phone

V. EXTRA-DUTY PERSONNEL/PROGRAMS

RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve Extra-Duty Personnel/Program recommendations as follows:

1. Approve the following resignation:

Name:
David Barr

Position:
Cross Country Head Coach

2. Approve the following extra-duty personnel for the 2010-11 school year pending receipt of all compliance documents. Employees and volunteers will not begin work within or for the District until documents are on file, except in special circumstances approved by the Superintendent.

High School

Resource Positions:

Equipment Manager (split 33.3%)

Rich Piccinini

McMurray

Activities Positions:

Odyssey of the Mind Co-Coach (volunteer)

Shobhna Chawla

Odyssey of the Mind Co-Coach (volunteer)

Lina Rastogi

3. Approve the following extra-duty personnel for the 2011-12 school year pending receipt of all compliance documents and Board approval of this positions in the 2011-12 Budget. Employees will not begin work within or for the District until documents are on file, except in special circumstances approved by the Superintendent.

Facilitators:

Pleasant Valley

Grades K-1

Traci Stunek

Grades 2-3

Angela Johnson

Bower Hill

Grade K-1

OPEN

Grade 2

David Karp

Grade 3

Lora O'Brien

McMurray Elementary

Grade 4

Rebecca Riberich

Grade 5

George DeCario

Grade 6

Amy Casciola

PTMS

Grade 7

Dee Petricca

Grade 8 (split)

Matthew Cheran

Grade 8 (split)

T. Chris Kelly

PTHS

English (Split)

Kristin Groninger

English (Split)

Caryn Kuhn

Mathematics (Split)

Susan Canfield

Mathematics (Split)

Renee Wentzel

Science

Susan Hlebinsky

Social Studies

Mark Redilla

District K-12

Music/Art (split)

Donna Fox (music)

Amelia Yates (art)

Health & Physical Education

John Kerekes

School Counseling/Nursing (split)

Heather Wawrzeniak

Jeff Sudol

Special Education
Tech Ed., FCS, Media, BCIT (split)

Bettina Lemmon
Erin Boni
Roberta Veltri
Beth Bockstoce
Douglas Wilkinson

World Language (split)

McMurray Elementary

Activities Positions:

Student Council Advisor

Linda Lanham

Athletics Positions:

Intramurals

OPEN

Middle School

Activities Positions:

Academic Competition Sponsor

OPEN

Forensics Coach

Matthew Cheran

Literary Magazine Co-Sponsor

Nicole Mitchell

Literary Magazine Co-Sponsor

Bethany Gallagher

Math Counts

OPEN

Musical Co-Director Drama

Lorra Brannen

Musical Co-Director Vocal

Janet Cleary

Musical Assistant Director

OPEN

National History Day Sponsor

OPEN

Newspaper

Nicole Mitchell

PA Junior Academic (PJAS)

Madhura Ranade

Science Olympiad

Pamela Sanders

Set Design

Janice Cmar

Set Design

OPEN

Student Council

Josh Elders

Student Council

Michelle Seman

Resource Positions:

Technology Education & Engineering

OPEN

Family & Consumer Science

Janice Cmar

Art

OPEN

Photographer

OPEN

LGI Area Coordinator (split)

Renee Brown

LGI Area Coordinator (split)

Josh Elders

Audio Visual Coordinator

Janet Johns

High School

Band Camp Positions:

Marching Band (Nurse)

Gail Kowalczyk \$500

Marching Band (Percussion)

OPEN \$250

Marching Band (Woodwind)

Michael Lockman \$400

Marching Band (Brass)

Harry Stephens \$400

Activities Positions:

Class Sponsor, Senior	Kelly Hruby
Class Sponsor, Junior	Erin Baker
Class Sponsor, Sophomore	OPEN
Class Sponsor, Freshman	Heather Bonanno
Computer Club/ACSL Advisor	Roberta Veltri
Dance Company	Barbara Deliere
Dance Company (volunteer)	Dominique Deliere Schuster
Dance Company (volunteer)	Ashlee Olivo
Drama, Director, per play Fall	Kelly Barefoot
Drama, Director, per play Coffee House – Dec.	Beth Bockstoce
Drama, Director, per play Winter	OPEN
Drama, Director, per play Spring – May	Kelly Barefoot
Drama, Director, Musical Spring	Jeremy Kuharcik
Drama, Tech. Dir., per play Fall	OPEN
Drama, Tech. Dir., per play Coffee House – Dec.	Caryn Kuhn
Drama, Tech. Dir., per play Winter (split)	OPEN
Drama, Tech. Dir., per play Spring (split)	OPEN
Drama, Tech. Dir., Musical Spring	OPEN
Drama, Tech. Dir., Musical Spring	OPEN
Drama, Instrumental Director – Spring	Donna Fox
Drama, Co-Director, Musical Spring	OPEN
Drama, Vocal/Choral Director Spring	Ryan Perrotte
Drama, Choreographer, Musical Spring	Barbara Deliere
PHASE, Science Club Advisor	Keith Compeggie
FBLA Advisor	John Good
FBLA Assistant Advisor	OPEN
Forensics Advisor Fall/Winter	Merilyn Crouse
Forensics Advisor Winter/Spring	Merilyn Crouse
Forensics Assistant	Kaitlyn Roos
Government/Law Club	Mark Redilla
Interact Club Sponsor (paid by Rotary)	OPEN
International Society Adv – French Club	Davant Dodson-Rosenberg
International Society Adv – German Club	Douglas Wilkinson
International Society Adv—Spanish Club	Christine Clawges
Literary Publications Advisor (split)	Gina Duffy
Literary Publications Advisor (split)	Erin Boni
Marching Band Camp Director	Milton Barney
Marching Band Director	Milton Barney
Marching Band Co-Director	Donna Fox
Marching Band Asst. to Director	Leah Blasso
Marching Band Asst. (Aux.)	Jill Strangis
Marching Band Asst. (Percussion)	OPEN
Mathematics Club	Susan Canfield
National Honor Society	Deborah Kendrick
National Honor Society Assistant	Kevin Bastos
Newspaper Advisor	Nicole Sitler
Pep Band	Milton Barney

Photography Club
S.A.F.E.
SHARP Sponsor
Students Against Drugs
Student Council Advisor
Thespian Club Advisor (split)
Thespian Club Advisor (split)
Video Club Sponsor (split)
Video Club Sponsor (split)
Yearbook Business Advisor
Yearbook Editorial Advisor

Erin Boni
Keith Compeggie
OPEN
Andrea Gearhart
Gina Duffy
Jeremy Kuharcik
Kelly Barefoot
Robin Hodgin-Frick
Kevin Bastos
Nicole Sitler
Erin Boni

Resource Positions:

Art
Business
Home Economics
Technology
Physical Education
Stage Manager
Equipment Manager (split 50%)
Equipment Manager (split 50%)
Faculty Manager (split)

Marquerite Kazalas
Roberta Veltri
Kathryn Powell
Fred Burns
Pamela Rose
Jason Zippay
Richard Piccinini
Fred Burns
OPEN

Athletic Positions:

Basketball, Boys Head Coach
Basketball, Girls Head Coach
Swimming, Head Coach
Track, Head Coach (winter)
Wrestling, Head Coach

Gary Goga
OPEN
OPEN
OPEN
Jason Carpetta

4. Approve the following renewals of extra-duty personnel for the 2011-12 school year:

Middle School Athletics:

FALL

Football

Joe Scaglione

MOTION:

Mrs. Cuervo moved approval of the above Extra Duty Personnel recommendations 1-4, seconded by Mrs. Sullivan

Mrs. Golembiewski joined the meeting by phone.

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
(9-0)**

VI. EDUCATION PROGRAM AND STUDENT ACTIVITIES

1. Approve the following fundraising activities:

Organization: Swimming & Diving Boosters
Purpose: To provide athletes with items during season
Dates: May 2011 – September 2011
Location: Peters Township Community
Activity: Community Service Landscaping Project

Organization: Quarterback Club
Purpose: To help support football program
Dates: June 1 – 30, 2011
Location: Community
Activity: Discount Cards

Organization: Quarterback Club
Purpose: To help support football program
Dates: July 27 – 29, 2011
Location: PTHS
Activity: Youth Football Camp

Organization: Quarterback Club
Purpose: To help support football program
Dates: September 1, 2011
Location: PTHS
Activity: Season Kick-off Pasta Dinner

2. Approve the following student trips (attachments):

Activity: Marching Band Leaders
Advisor: Milton Barney
Event: Leadership Training
Dates: July 17 – 21, 2011
Location: University of Pittsburgh, Greensburg
Est. Cost to Dist.: \$0 (paid by students and Music Boosters)

Activity: Odyssey of the Mind
Advisor: Lisa Harrison
Event: Odyssey of the Mind Worlds
Dates: May 27 – 31, 2011
Location: College Park Maryland, University of Maryland
Est. Cost to Dist.: \$3,423.00

Pending advancement to this level:

Activity: PTHS Baseball
Advisor: Joe Maize
Event: PIAA State Baseball Championships
Dates: June 17 – 18, 2011
Location: Altoona, PA
Est. Cost to Dist.: \$2,213.00

Activity: PTHS Track & Field
Advisor: Dennis Scott
Event: PIAA State Track & Field Championships
Dates: May 26 – 28, 2011
Location: Shippensburg, PA
Est. Cost to Dist.: \$4,938.70

Activity: National History Day – U.S. Team
Advisor: Joshua Elders
Event: National History Day Competition
Dates: June 12 – 16, 2011
Location: University of Maryland, MD
Est. Cost to Dist.: \$1,774.15

MOTION:

Mrs. Cuervo moved approval of the above Education Program and Student Activities recommendations 1& 2, seconded by Mrs. Erenberg

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY
(9-0)**

VII. OTHER

RECOMMENDATION: Consider a motion to approve other recommendations as follows:

1. Set the June Regular Board Meeting date for Monday, June 27, 2011.
2. Approve a donation of five (5) picnic tables for McMurray Elementary School from the McMurray PTA in the amount of \$3,450.
3. Approve a donation of two (2) picnic tables and one (1) Xccent X-Wave II (play ground equipment) for McMurray Elementary School from the McMurray Elementary Student Council in the amount of \$7,879.

4. Approve a donation of a used treadmill from Mr. and Mrs. David Stanchak in the amount of \$2,500.
5. Approve the Access Fund Budget requests to IU #1 for the purchase of special education equipment and supplies in the amount of \$1,169.75.
6. Approve the professional development agreement between Peters Township School District and the Perla Group for the 2011-12 school year in the amount of \$10,200 (attachment)
7. Approve the DEP Grant agreement between Peters Township School District and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the Honors Physics Alternative Energy Mini-Project in the amount of \$2,995 for the 2011-12 school year. The funds from this grant will allow students to research, build and test alternative energy resources and technologies within the Honors Physics classes.
8. Approve the bids for the 2011-12 school year for Athletics and Technology Education from Intermediate Unit #1 cooperative purchasing consortium as attached on the Vendor Supply Bid Summary (attachment).
9. Approve the agreement between the Peters Township School District and the Upper St. Clair and Mt. Lebanon School Districts for the mutual rental/use of available school transportation vehicles between the Districts. The rates for the service provided will vary based on the extent of the service provided. This arrangement has been approved by the District's insurance carrier.

MOTION:

Mrs. Smith moved for approval of the above recommendations 1 -9, seconded by Mrs. Sullivan

- Mrs. Golembiewski thanked all who made donations and for their generosity.
- Mrs. Sullivan thanked Joyce Dahlstrom again for her creating revenue regarding item number 9.

**MOTION CARRIED
(8-1)**

Mr. McMurray voted no because he did not support item 6

BOARD INFORMATIO: None

QUESTION AND ANSWER PERIOD ON AGENDA ITEMS (15 minutes): None

CORRESPONDENCE: None

ANNOUNCEMENTS—

June 13, 2011 6:30 p.m. Finance Meeting
June 16, 2011 6:30 p.m. Policy Meeting
June 27, 2011 7:30 p.m. Regular Board meeting

ADJOURNMENT:

Mrs. Sullivan moved for adjournment at 9:45 p.m., seconded by Mrs. Cuervo

(9-0)

Board Secretary

Board President