

*To afford all students
the academic and social skills
necessary to become productive members of society.*

AGENDA

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
Monday, April 12, 2010 - 7:00 p.m.
Board Room, New Cumberland

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

HEAR CALLERS

INFORMATION/REPORTS/DISCUSSION

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS

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ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Special Meeting- March 23, 2010

Regular Meeting – March 23, 2010

Special Meeting – March 25, 2010

Special Meeting – April 6, 2010

CALLERS

INFORMATION

A. Young Writers' Contest

The Hancock County Board of Education would like to recognize the following students for being named county winners in the 2009 Young Writers' Contest:

| | |
|-------------|---|
| Level 1-2 | Joey Cowher, Liberty Elementary, Deborah Coss, Teacher |
| Level 3-4 | Allina Owen, Liberty Elementary Barbara Switzer, Teacher |
| Level 11-12 | Jesse Beilhart, Oak Glen High Rebecca Vukas, Teacher |

B. The Education Alliance –Mini Grants

Andrea Anderson – Weir High
Anne Ford – Oak Glen Middle/High

C. West Virginia Skills USA

The Hancock County Board of Education would like to congratulate the following students from the John D. Rockefeller IV Career Center on their accomplishments at the 2010 Skills Competition:

Roger Fiest – Gold Medal in Electronics Installation and Maintenance – Post Secondary
Nathan James – Gold Medal in Electronics Installation and Maintenance – Secondary
Shawn Karnich – Silver Medal in Electronics Technology – Post Secondary
Zachary Greenlief – Bronze Medal in Electronics Technology - Secondary

Shawn Burnham – Culinary Art
Kyle Carey – Job Interview
John Raynor – Chapter Display
Kent Sayre – Promotional Bulletin Board
Kyle West – Automotive Service Technology
Mary Zangus – Welding Technology

- D. Ed Specs Committee update for proposed Weirton Elementary School project.
- E. Weir High/Weir Middle HVAC project update

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

A. PERSONNEL

1. RESIGNATION -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following resignation be approved, effective 6/10/10:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Reason</u> |
|---------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Linda McGuire | Teacher (Grade 5) Weir Middle | Retirement |

2. TERMINATION -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following termination be approved, effective 4/12/10:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Reason</u> |
|--------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Brandy Byers | Substitute Teacher Countywide | Administrative Release |

3. CHANGE IN DATE OF UNPAID LEAVE OF ABSENCE -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following change in the unpaid leave of absence (maternity) be approved:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>To</u> |
|----------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Valerie Dawson | Teacher (Grade 3) Allison Elementary | 4/9/10 - 4/25/10 (Return 4/26/10) | 4/16/10 - 5/2/10 (Return 5/3/10) |

4. TRANSFERS -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following transfers be approved, effective the 2010-11 school year:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>To</u> |
|--------------------|---|---|
| Megan Bartolovich | Teacher (Multi-cat./Elem.) Oak Glen Middle | Teacher (Grade 6) Oak Glen Middle |
| Tammi Brown | Teacher (Grade 5) Weir Middle | Teacher (Art) Countywide, Base-N. Man. |
| Jennifer Schiavoni | Teacher (Multi-cat./Content area specialization/Autism) Weir High | Teacher (Transition and Secondary Career Education) Rockefeller Career Center |

5. ASSIGNMENT -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following assignment be approved, effective the 2010-11 school year, pending certification:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Degree/Exp.</u> |
|--------------|--|--------------------|
| Ashley Wolfe | Teacher (Multi-cat./ Elem./Autism) Weirton Heights Elem. | Bachelor/0 |

6. SUSPENSION -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following employee's suspension be approved, effective the 2009-10 school year (March 19 - 25), due to disciplinary reasons, and that the contract be adjusted from 200 to 195 days.

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7. ASSIGNMENTS -- COACHING -- CERTIFIED

It is recommended that the following coaching recommendations be approved, effective the 2010-11 school year. Those indicated with an asterisk (*) have met state guidelines established for non-certified personnel employed in coaching activities.

WEIR HIGH SCHOOL

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Football Head | Tom Taylor |
| Boys' Basketball Head | Michael Granato |
| Girls' Basketball Head | William Smith |
| Wrestling Head | Ray Pernell* |
| Boys' Track Head | Jeffrey Lewis |
| Girls' Track Head | Angela Glyptis |
| Girls' Softball Head | Jason Angle |
| Girls' Volleyball Head | Carrie Magnone |
| Golf Head | Dave Hinerman* |
| Boys' Tennis Head | Michael DelRe |
| Girls' Tennis Head | James Butterworth |
| Cross-Country Head | James Butterworth |
| Physical Fitness I | Tom Taylor |
| Physical Fitness II | Dee Bailey |
| Boys' Soccer Head | Joseph Pepe* |
| Swimming Head | Donna Ferguson |
| Cheerleading Varsity | Faith Magnone |

8. ASSIGNMENT – CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following person(s) be approved effective May 3, 2010 until the end of the year:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|------------------|---|-----------------|
| Christine Zirkle | Bus Driver Pre-School Mid-day run Not to exceed 2 hours | Transportation |

9. TRANSFER - CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following transfer be approved effective for the 2010-2011 school year:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>To</u> |
|--------------|---|---|
| Jodi Headley | Supervisory Aide IV Transportation 200 days/7 hours Filling Leave of Absence | Aide/Autism Mentor Initial Placement–Weir Middle 200 days/7 hours |

10. TRANSFER - CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following transfer be approved effective May 3, 2010:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>To</u> |
|---------------|--|---|
| JoAnn McClain | Bus Driver - #103 Transportation 200 days/5.75 hours | Bus Driver - #17 Transportation 200 days/5.75 hours |

11. TRANSFER - CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following transfer be approved effective June 1, 2010:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>From</u> | <u>To</u> |
|-------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Kent Ruiz | Substitute Custodian Countywide | Custodian II Weir High School 220 days/8 hours Afternoon Turn |

12. LEAVE OF ABSENCE – CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following unpaid leave of absence be approved effective April 19, 2010 through June 9, 2010:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Reason</u> |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Debby Staley | Cook II Oak Glen Middle School | Medical |

13. ASSIGNMENT – SUBSTITUTE - CLASSIFIED

It is recommended that the following person(s) be approved for the substitute list for 2009-2010:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Position</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Richard Mehalko | Custodian | Countywide |
| Candice Dotson | Secretary | Countywide |

B. FINANCE

1. LIST OF BILLS

It is recommended that the list of bills be approved for payment.

C. MISCELLANEOUS

1. CALENDAR – 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR

It is recommended that the enclosed calendar for the 2010-2011 school year be approved.

2. APPROVAL OF INVOICES

Request authorization to pay invoices pending approval of the School Building Authority:

| <u>Company</u> | <u>SBA Project</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| RA Finnigan | Weir Middle/High HVAC | \$207,717.84 |
| McKinley | Weir Middle/High HVAC | \$ 2,652.00 |
| McKinley | OGHS/HVAC | \$ 6,382.53 |
| McKinley | CEFP | \$ 874.48 |

3. SCHOOL BUS RESCUE AND EXTRICATION CLASS

New Manchester Volunteer Fire Department is requesting the use of the John D. Rockefeller IV Career Center parking lot for training in school bus rescue and extrication class, May 22, 2010. This class is sponsored by the United Hancock County Firefighters' Association, and their liability insurance covers any sanctioned training activity.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Oak Glen High School Air Conditioning project.

NEW BUSINESS

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MEETINGS

April 26, 2010

6:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting, Hancock County
Board of Education,
Board Room, New Cumberland

ADJOURNMENT