

STAFF NEWSLETTER
TUSCARAWAS VALLEY LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARK A. MURPHY, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

HIGHLIGHTS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING—September 12, 2005

Staff members in attendance were Karen Jenkins, Gail Hardwidge, Deb Prochaska, Jim Lindon, Mary Beth Markley, Lou Wiles, Marilyn Wills, Vicki Neighbor, Myron Sommers, Jeff Raynor, Diana Flickinger. Guests present were Dan Martin, Bonnie Dutka, Bruce Neighbor, Sally Green, Barb Limbacher (*The Times-Reporter*).

Under **New Business**, the following action was taken:

Approved Minutes of the August 8, 2005 Regular Meeting, the August 19, 2005 Special Meeting, the August 2005 Financial Report and Investments.

Accepted the following resignations: Laura Lackey, bus driver, effective August 1, 2005, and Shawn Miller, MS basketball coach, effective August 16, 2005.

Approved an unpaid leave of absence request from Diane Richardson, Bolivar Elementary teacher, effective September 12, 2005, through the remainder of SY2005-06.

Employed the following personnel for SY2005-06:

Bonnie Adkins, New Cumberland Head Cook, effective 9/6/05

Julie Hoagland, bus driver, effective 9/6/05

Mary Jo Lundenberger, 5-hour MC cook, effective 8/22/05

Granted supplemental contracts for SY2005-06 as follows:

Heather Geibel

Middle School Volleyball

Kristin Geibel

Middle School Volleyball (Volunteer)

Craig Lieser

Middle School Cross Country

Megan Mathews

7th/8th Grade Cheerleading Advisor

Jay VanNatter

Varsity Volleyball Practice Asst. (Volunteer)

Robin Whitacre

Show Choir Assistant (Volunteer)

Arien Wise

7th Grade Class Advisor

Rita Zwick

Show Choir Director (Volunteer)

Approved the following substitute employees for SY2005-06:

Roy Davis

Bus Driver

Doris Garrett

Aide, Cook, Custodian, Monitor

Melinda Lee

Aide

Tally Matthews

Aide, Cook, Secretary

Tammy McKinney

Aide, Cook, Custodian, Monitor, Secretary

Orpha Smith

Cook

Kathy Stotzer

Cook

Rachel Tolley

Monitor

Terry Tomer

Cook

Denise Williams

Cook

Suzanne Winkhart

Aide, Cook, Custodian

Accepted TVHS foreign exchange students for SY2005-06 as follows:

Rodrigo Mascarenhas, Brazil, Gr. 11, hosted by Gary/Khristy Hurless

Alvaro Serralva, Brazil, Gr. 11, hosted by Jeff/Angela Robb

Christopher Stratmann, Germany, Gr. 12, hosted by Richard/Mary Ellen Gooding

Approved the certificated/licensed substitute teacher list for SY2005-06 as provided by the TCH-ESC.

Approved elementary workbook fees for SY2005-06 as follows: Kindergarten, \$20.00; Grades 1-4, \$50.00.

Renewed a contract with ECO SERRC for Regional Cooperative Programs (audiology and assistive technology) for school year 2005-06.

Approved a moratorium on insurance premiums for October and November 2005

Approved an agreement with Marti Rosemeyer, Certified Orientation and Mobility Specialist/Vision Consultant, for student requiring such services, at a rate of \$75.00/hour.

Approved an agreement with the TCH-ESC for Project Management and DataServ Maintenance, July 2005 through June 2006, at a cost of \$3995.00.

Approved an agreement with Harcatus CAO, Inc., Dennison, Ohio, to rent a classroom at Mineral City Elementary School for their Head Start Program during the 2005-06 school year at a rate of \$500.00 per month.

Approved an agreement with Primary Care Nursing Services, Inc. for student requiring such services from August 2005-June 2006, with costs to be paid through Medicaid.

Approved an agreement with Tri-Rivers Educational Computer Association (TRECA) to receive fiscal compensation for resident students who enroll in that online educational option during the 2005-06 school year.

Rescheduled the November Regular Board of Education Meeting from Monday, November 14, 2005, to Monday, November 7, 2005, due to a conflict with Capital Conference.

Heard Second Reading and **adopted** Board of Education policies as follows:
6000, *Finances*; 7000, *Property*; 8000, *Operations*; 9000, *Relations*.

Heard Principal/Supervisor reports.

Met in Executive Session for the purpose of preparing for, conducting, or reviewing negotiations or bargaining sessions with public employees concerning their compensation or other terms and conditions of their employment.

Adjourned at 8:25 PM.