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**Lansingburgh Central School District
Minutes of the
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
Monday, June 13, 2022
Turnpike Elementary School - Cafeteria**

The meeting was called to order by Board President, Michael Cusack at 6:02 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Board of Education Members, Michael Cusack, Andrea Fairhurst, Jillian Manupella, Talia Pallozzi, Daniella Richards, Jason Shover, James Spear and Jeffrey White were present.

ROLL CALL

Others present include Christina Korsak, Jessica Vartigian, Thomas Zakrzewski, Lindsey Gibson (on behalf of the LTA), Matthew Van Dervoort, Carrie Phelan, Katie Stalker, Kelly Cataldo, Linda Klime, Rebecca McGrouty, Dr. Antonio Abitabile and Christina Williams. There were no others present.

Mr. Cusack read the District’s Mission Statement:

MISSION

Our mission at the Lansingburgh Central School District is to create for all students a productive, challenging and safe educational environment. Our students will acquire civic values and learning skills and strategies through a dynamic partnership between the schools and community. These experiences will inspire a lifetime of learning and self-sufficiency.

Motion by Mr. Shover:

**RESO #1-06/13/2022
Open Public Hearing
and Call for Public
Comment**

Be it resolved that the Board of Education hereby opens the Join Public Hearing on the 2022-2023 Foundation Aid Learning Plan and the 2022-2023 ARP Preliminary Plan; and further calls for public comment.

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mr. White

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Mrs. Linda Klime reviewed the 2022-2023 Foundation Aid Learning Plan and the 2022-2023 ARP Preliminary Plan. A copy of each plan can be found on pages 27, 28 and 29 of this document. No public comments were stated.

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**PERSONNEL –
INSTRUCTIONAL**

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Lucia Gutierrez, Spanish Teacher at Lansingburgh High School, effective June 30, 2022.

**RESO #6-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Lucia Gutierrez**

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Margaret Madonna, English Language Arts Teacher at Lansingburgh High School, effective June 30, 2022.

**RESO #7-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Margaret Madonna**

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Kimberly Stevens, Science Teacher at Lansingburgh High School, effective June 30, 2022.

**RESO #8-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Kimberly Stevens**

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Diane Haner, Building Substitute Teaching Assistant at Lansingburgh High School, effective June 30, 2022.

**RESO #9-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Diane Haner**

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Jonathan Sproule, Teaching Assistant at Turnpike Elementary School, effective June 6, 2022.

**RESO #10-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Jonathan Sproule**

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #11-06/13/2022
Accept Resignation –
Erika Burton

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board accepts the resignation of Erika Burton, School Psychologist at Turnpike Elementary School, effective June 30, 2022.

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #12-06/13/2022
Appoint School
Psychologist – Laurin
Thorud

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Laurin Thorud to a probationary position at Turnpike Elementary School in the tenure area of School Psychologist, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –July 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – June 30, 2026
Certification Status – School Psychologist, Provisional (pending)

Salary – Step 1	\$44,227
Masters	450
67 Grad Credits	<u>2,750</u>
	\$47,427

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #13-06/13/2022
Appoint School
Counselor –
Stephanie Gardenier

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Stephanie Gardenier to a probationary position at Knickerbacker Middle School in the tenure area of School Counselor, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –August 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – July 31, 2026
Certification Status – School Counselor, Permanent

Salary – Step 6	\$46,765
Masters	450
67 Grad Credits	<u>2,625</u>
	\$49,840

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Christina Korsak to a probationary teaching position at Lansingburgh High School in the tenure area of Special Education, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –September 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – August 31, 2026
Certification Status – SWD Grades 7-12 Generalist, Professional
Salary – Step 7 \$47,272
Masters 450
39 Grad Credits 1,625
 \$49,347

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

RESO #14-06/13/2022
Appoint Special
Education Teacher –
Christina Korsak

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Jennifer Gardy to a probationary teaching position at Lansingburgh High School in the tenure area of Science Education, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –September 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – August 31, 2026
Certification Status – Biology 7-12, Initial (Pending)
Salary – Step 1 \$44,227
Masters 450
42 Grad Credits 1,750
 \$46,427

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

RESO #15-06/13/2022
Appoint Science
Teacher – Jennifer
Gardy

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Staci Fisher to a probationary teaching position at Turnpike Elementary School in the tenure area of Elementary Education, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

RESO #16-06/13/2022
Appoint Elementary
Teacher – Staci Fisher

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Commencement of Service –September 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – August 31, 2026
Certification Status – Early Childhood B-2, Emergency COVID
Childhood 1-6, Emergency COVID

Salary – Step 1	\$44,227
Masters	450
48 Grad Credits	<u>2,000</u>
	\$46,667

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Kylee Brand to a probationary position at Rensselaer Park Elementary School in the tenure area of Teaching Assistant, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –September 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – August 31, 2026
Certification Status – Teaching Assistant Level I (pending)
Salary – Step 4 \$19.01 per hour

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Kennedy Teta to a probationary position at Rensselaer Park Elementary School in the tenure area of Teaching Assistant, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law, with compensation as set forth below:

Commencement of Service –September 1, 2022
Expiration of Probationary Appointment – August 31, 2026
Certification Status – Teaching Assistant Level I (pending)
Salary – Step 4 \$19.01 per hour

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

RESO #17-06/13/2022
Appoint Teaching Assistant – Kylee Brand

RESO #18-06/13/2022
Appoint Teaching Assistant – Kennedy Teta

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #19-06/13/2022
Appoint OM Advisor
– Patricia Stinson

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Patricia Stinson as the Olympics of the Mind Advisor for the 2021-2022 school year with a stipend as per the LTA Contract.

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #20-06/13/2022
Create Trap Team
Advisor Position and
Appoint Adam South
as Advisor

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board hereby creates the position of Trap Team Advisor in accordance with a Memorandum of Agreement dated June 1, 2022 by and between the District and the Lansingburgh Teachers Association; and

It is further resolved that the Board appoints Adam South as Trap Team Advisor for the 2021-2022 school year with a stipend in the amount of \$3,000.

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8 Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #21-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022 ESY
Staff

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following summer school staff for the 2022 Extended School Year Program:

<u>Classroom</u>	<u>Staff</u>
MD TES -Teacher	Samantha Kulzer
MD TES - TA	Kristin Griswold
MD TES - TA	Lynne Connally
1:1 Aide for Conley	Kathleen Eaton
MD RPES/KMS - Teacher	Antonia Lazzara
MD RPES/KMS - TA	Julie Allen
MD RPES/KMS - TA	Darcy Munhall
MD LHS - Teacher	Christine Retell

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MD LHS - TA	Diane Murray
MD LHS - TA	John Pelletier
OT	Louise Sullivan
PT	Mary Legnard
Speech	Olivia Bruni
Substitute	Julia Patrick
Substitute	Katie Baril
Substitute	Lisa Dillman
Substitute	Gretchen Murphy

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following summer school staff for the 2022 Special Education Enrichment Program:

**RESO #22-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022 Special
Education
Enrichment Program
Staff**

Teacher	Delmarie Moore
TA	Patricia Stinson
TA	Elaine Dodson
Substitute	Julia Patrick
Substitute	Katie Baril
Substitute	Lisa Dillman
Substitute	Gretchen Murphy

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

**RESO #23-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022
Elementary Summer
School Staff**

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following 2022 Elementary Summer School staff:

Kindergarten	Ashley Burke
Kindergarten	Jill Flannery
Grade 1	Nicole Ferraro
Grade 1	Jennifer Carroll
Grade 2	Maureen Mahoney
Grade 2	Alexa Reyes
Grade 3	Emma Closson
Grade 3	Jason Blackmur
Grade 4	Ashley Giaquinto
Grade 4	Peter Allen
Reading K-2	
Math AIS	Kelly Borden
Reading 3 and 4	Kelly Juliano
SpEd K-2	Cassidy Hayes
SpEd 3-4	Taylor Legace
ENL K-5	Michelle Sidoti (paid through Title III)
Nurse (M-TH)	
Substitutes	Lynn Miles Jamie Cavanaugh Amanda Squires Erin Teta Zerlina Ochis Julia Patrick MaryAnne DeNault Colleen Marro

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	Caitlin Garrity
Security	Tony Faraci

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following 2022 Middle School Summer School staff:

RESO #24-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022 Middle
School Summer
School Staff

Grade 5/6 Transition	Kerry Wania
Grade 5/6 Transition	Olivia Williams
ELA 6	Chris Jura
ELA 6	Chris Scharnott
ELA 7	Haylielyn Szemplinski
ELA 7	Meghan Murphy
ELA 8	Rob White
ELA 8	Samantha Hunter
Math 6	Mckenzie LeVan
Math 6	Elizabeth Wing
Math 7	Trista Bugbee
Math 7	Cortlandt Tisch
Math 8	Steven Caruso
Math 8	Karryn Bohley
Reading Grade 6	Bethany Spencer
Reading Grade 7	Darlene Walzer
Reading Grade 8	Julia Ciaccio

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Special Education	Kelly Quinn	
Special Education	Dana Parker	
ENL	David DeMarco (paid through Title III)	
Counselor/Social Worker	Katie Secore	
Security	Jeff Pasinella	
KMS/LHS Nurse	Jenna Sherman	
Sub	Renee McDonald	
Sub	Reanna Terano	
Sub	Brandon Nugent	
Sub	Mike Oliver	
Sub	Nina DelPrado	
Sub	Anne Ryan	
Sub	Judy Zlotnik	
Sub	Chris Eaton	

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst Ayes – 8 Nays – 0 Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

**RESO #25-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022 High
School Summer
School Staff**

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoint the following 2022 High School Summer School staff:

Global 9/10 (2)	Biddle, Leighann
English 9/10 (1)	Madonna, Margaret
English 11/12 (1)	Richmond, Rachel
Living Environment (2)	Tanner, Sam

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves the following Lansingburgh High School staff members for a sixth class for the 2022-2023 school year, with compensation as per the LTA Contract:

Jesse Guyer
Patricia Dyer
Ellen Clark-Cruz

Adam South
John Bergmann

RESO #27-06/13/2022
Approve 6th
Classroom Teaching
Assignment for 2022-
2023

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following extracurricular advisors for Knickerbacker Middle School for the 2022-2023 school year:

- Homework Club-Kristie Keary and Samantha Craven
- After School Supervision-Renee McDonald
- Breakfast-Kristie Keary
- Morning Supervision-Darcy Munhall
- Odyssey of the Mind-Robin Delaney and McKenzie LeVan
- Olympics of the Visual Arts-Nina delPrado
- KMS National Junior Honor Society-Matt Loatman and Edda Sacco
- 8th Grade Advisor-Rachel Walkuski
- KMS Student Council Co-Advisors-April Kilmer and Katlyn Hill
- Middle School Drama Club-Chris Rowlands
- Ski Club-Andrew Ferris
- Peer Tutoring-Cat Stockton and Colleen Buff (SIG Funded)

RESO #28-06/13/2022
Appoint 2022-2023
KMS Extracurricular
Advisors

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves a Settlement Agreement for employee #931, dated June 7, 2022.

RESO #29-06/13/2022
Approve Settlement
Agreement

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

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Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves a Settlement Agreement for employee #1428, dated June 7, 2022.

RESO #30-06/13/2022
Approve Settlement Agreement

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves the following staff as facilitators of Lansingburgh Academy Classes with stipends paid through Title II funding for the 2021-2022 school year:

RESO #31-06/13/2022
Approve Staff Facilitators

Mary Haydock / Random Family Book Study / \$125 stipend
Maggie Higgins / Book Bonanza / \$125 stipend

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves the following staff for 2022 summer workdays for curriculum and training purposes:

RESO #32-06/13/2022
Approve 2022 Summer Workdays

Building	Participants	Purpose	# Days	Compensation Per Person
ALL	Sara Plummer Amanda Squires Alyssa Cohen Michelle Foster Caitlin Garrity Bourke Ashley Giaquinto Melissa Watts Nina DelPrado Phillip Faseun Edda Sacco Katie Secore Leesa Crawford-Young Patricia Dyer Laura Gallagher Stephanie Moryl Darleen Samson	TIG Training	2	13 hours @ \$25/hour
ALL	Kristin Griswold	TIG Training	2	13 hours @ daily rate
ALL	Jennifer Nelson Anna Pellicone Cathleen Peter	The Take A Look At Teaching grant will allow students to investigate	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour

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	Derek Shuttleworth Elizabeth Wing	careers in teaching and education.		
ALL	Michelle McGivern	TIG Training	1	13 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	6-8 ELA: Rachel Walkuski, Molly Fryer, April Kilmer, Chris Jura, Angela Mauriello	Prepare digital NYS Assessment prep activities	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	AIS reading teachers: Julia Ciaccio, Kathleen Prechtel, April Kilmer	Best Practices for supporting AIS students in the co-teach balanced literacy classroom	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	Seminar teachers: McKenzie Levan, Britney Bodmer, Brooke Miller, Christina Scharnott	Generating Resources, Guidelines and Overview of Seminar classes	2	6 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	ELA teachers: Rachel Walkuski, Jessica Bouchard, April Kilmer, Haylielynn Szemplinski, Chris Jura, Angela Mauriello	Increasing the Rigor in Launching the Workshop	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	Grade 6-8 math/SpEd/AIS math push-in: McKenzie Levan, Molly Fryer, Mary Kate Graham, Brooke Miller, Jill Anderson, Steven Caruso, Jeff Nadeau, Karryn Bohley, Cortland Tisch, Patrick Amyot	Curriculum development (using EngageNY)	3	18 hours @ \$25/hour
KMS	Grade 6-8 teachers: Camille Amodeo, Mary Kate Graham, Audra Colliton, Catherine Stockton, Brooke Miller, Christina Huttner, Jessica Bouchard, Jill Anderson, Jeff Nadeau, Haylielynn Szemplinski, Cortland Tish, Angela Mauriello, Chris Jura, Molly Fryer, James Gordon, Matt Loatman, Rachel Walkuski, April Kilmer, Courtney Hynes.	Curriculum Mapping with Data in Mind	3	18 hours @ \$25/hour
LHS	Earth Science Teachers: Melissa Cox, Ashley Snyder, Barbara Mancuso	Liz Mirra - Earth Science Curriculum Mapping and Lesson Development	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour

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LHS	Living Environment Teachers: Christina Penman, Sam Tanner, Catherine Eldred	Liz Mirra - Living Environment Curriculum Mapping and Lesson Development	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour
LHS	Kyle Dalton and John Verra	The current TSS Team Chairperson and the new co-chairperson need to meet to get the new co-chairperson caught up on the work of the TSS committee and prepare for the upcoming year.	1	3 hours @ \$25/hour
LHS	Randi Behrens	UHS Pre-Calc course mapping	2 1/2	15 hours @ \$25/hour
LHS	Justine Fazziola, Alana Nadeau, Derek Shuttleworth, Rachel Richmond, Kendra Ferris	ELA vertical alignment of skills	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
LHS	Justine Fazziola, Alana Nadeau, Derek Shuttleworth, Rachel Richmond, Kendra Ferris	Create a year-long vocabulary program to address vocabulary gaps in grades 9-12	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour
MULTI	Caitlin (Garrity) Bourke, Colleen Marro, Maggie Higgins, Elizabeth Jamison, David Hamilton, Samantha Brown, Emily Burns, Jamie Desso, Robert White, Maureen Mahoney)	Digital Fluency curriculum development to implement NYS standards adopted in December 2020 (related to NYS assessments and ongoing digital literacy requirements)	2	6 hours @ \$25/hour
MULTI	Jill Anderson, Julia Ciaccio, John Verra, Patricia Dyer, Jessica Bouchard, Angela Mauriello, Danielle French, Audra Colliton, Patrick Wilson	<u>Digital Fluency curriculum development to implement NYS standards</u> adopted in December 2020 (related to NYS assessments and ongoing digital literacy requirements)	2	6 hours @ \$25/hour
MULTI	IDEAL Committee Meetings: Tiffany Ainsworth, Bianca Covello, Philip Faseun, Laura Gallagher, Lindsey Gibson, Elizabeth Jamison, Kelly Juliano, Stephanie Moryl, Lisa Puckey, Dana Parker, Sara Plummer, Jessica Sisti, Catherine Stockton, John Verra, Rachel Walkuski, Elizabeth Wing	Inclusion, Diversity & Equity Alliance of Lansingburgh (IDEAL) will set its schedule for the 2022-2023 school year, develop the 2022-2023 action plan and initiate work on said action plan.	2	6 hours @ \$25/hour

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MULTI	Elizabeth Jaminson, Christine Martinelli	Inventory of Elementary School Physical book collection using destiny follett.	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour
MULTI	Elizabeth Jaminson, Meghan Murphy, Christine Martinelli	Grade Level Priority Skills list will be generated for Digital Literacy in preparation for meeting to crosswalk With NYS Digital Fluency Standards	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
RPES	3-5 ELA: Colleen Marro, David Hamilton, Rob White <i>(tentative per summer school sub)</i>	Prepare digital NYS Assessment prep activities	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
RPES	Elizabeth Jamison, Kimberly Ellison	Organize and develop a check out system for the Professional library section of RPES Media Center	2	18 hours @ \$25/hour
RPES	RPES 12:1:2 Program: Michelle Foster, Melissa Watts, Taylor Hayner	Collaboration and planning with the 12:1:2 program at RPES.	2	12 hours @ \$25/hour
RPES	RPES 12:1:2 Program: Marydalia Coriano, Makayle Huff, TBD TA	Work with 12:1:2 Program	2	12 hours @ their hourly rate
RPES	David Hamilton, Colleen Marro, Caitlin Garrity Bourke, Jason Blackmur, Kimberly Ellison, Kelly Juliano, Robert White, Annette Hopkins, Emily Wild, Megan Haley-Greene, Ashley Giaquinto, Alyssa Cohen, Melissa Watts, Michelle Foster	The Building Leadership Team will work to develop a mission statement. Additionally, there will be subcommittees that will meet to work on related projects. The subcommittee includes curriculum and data, SEL, attendance, and family engagement	4	24 hours @ \$25/hour
RPES	Jamie Byrne	RPES BLT	4	24 hours @ their hourly rate
RPES	Michelle Foster, Caitlin Garrity, Ashley Giaquinto, Kelly Juliano, Melissa Watts	TSS alignment goals	1	6 hours @ \$25/hour
TES	Sara Plummer, Maggie Higgins	Embed diverse texts and lessons into curriculum maps	1	5 hours @ \$25/hour
TES	K-2 Teachers & TOSA: Maryanne DeNault Lynne Miles Kaitlin Speta Megan Nolan Ashley Burke Jill Flannery	Objective: Teachers will work with their grade level team to revise reading mini-lessons to ensure alignment with the NGLS for ELA. Lucy Calkins Units of Study will be used as the resource for the mini-lessons. The	2	15 hours @ \$25/hour

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Maggie Higgins Bianca Covello Jamie Desso Staci Fisher Jodi McNutt Cassidy Hayes Angela Herba Amanda Squires Maureen Mahoney Samantha Brown Jennifer Carroll Lori Filarecki Aliza Fane	mini-lessons will provide students with increased opportunities to engage in inquiry. The lessons should deepen their understanding of reading so that they can apply to their own reading or writing independently.		
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Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #33-06/13/2022
Approve 2022
Summer Workdays

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board approves the following staff for 2022 summer workdays:

Name	Title	# Days	Reason	Fund	Compensation
Lori Filarecki	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Maggie Higgins	Teacher	20	Kindergarten Screening	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Sabrina Devine	Secretary	10	Orientations, teacher letters, etc.	General Fund	hourly
Mary Haydock	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Jessica Dusenbery	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Shelly Snyder	Secretary	10	Student letters, orientation, scheduling, etc...	General Fund	hourly
Colleen Buff	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General	1/200th of Salary
Colleen Buff	TOSA	4	Summer Workdays	SIG	1/200th of Salary
Phil Faseun	Counselor	15	Scheduling	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Edda Sacco	Counselor	15	Scheduling	General Fund	1/200th of Salary

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Colleen Thomas	Secretary	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	hourly
Kyly Horton	Attendance	6	Lockers assignment, prep for Find Your Way Day	General Fund	hourly
Stephanie Gardenier	Counselor	15	Scheduling	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Eileen Culliton	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Lindsey Gibson	TOSA	15	Summer Workdays	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Kelly Borden	TA	10	Summer Workdays	General Fund	Hourly Rate
Gina Fusco	Director of IT	5	implementation of Red Rover	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Stephanie Moryl	Social Worker	10	SS support, meals/food delivery, family court, probation	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Giovanna Gavin	Attendance	6	close out for summer	General Fund	hourly
Dave Merrill	Teacher	5	working with improving graduation numbers, building case load	General Fund	1/200th of Salary
Ainsworth, Tiffany	CSE Chair	20	CSE Responsibilities	General Fund	1/200 of salary
Flanigan, Erinne	CSE Chair	20	CSE Responsibilities	General Fund	1/200 of salary
Thorud, Laurin	Psychologist	7	IEP and Scheduling Responsibilities, Student Testing, Write Reports, AR Meetings	ARP	1/200 of Salary
DeMarco, Lauren	Psychologist	7	IEP and Scheduling Responsibilities, Student Testing, Write Reports, AR Meetings	ARP	1/200 of Salary
Foster, Michelle	Psychologist	7	IEP and Scheduling Responsibilities, Student Testing, Write Reports, AR Meetings	ARP	1/200 of Salary

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McGivern, Michele	Psychologist	7	IEP and Scheduling Responsibilities, Student Testing, Write Reports, AR Meetings	ARP	1/200 of Salary
Martinelli, Stephanie	OTR	7	3 days of supervision for the COTA servicing the summer program to observe, review PM notes and complete notes. Additional days to OT IST program documentation system, work on the universal OT screens, divide up caseloads, set up face to face documents for all OT students and develop supervision plans for COTA's	General Fund	1/200 of Salary
Laurie Ryan	TA	25	Supervision of the Summer Youth Program for SpEd Students (It runs for 5 weeks, 25 hours a week)	General Fund	Hourly
Donna Welcome	Typist	15	Textbooks and purchasing	General Fund	Hourly

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

PERSONNEL – Non-Instructional

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #34-06/13/2022 Appoint 21st Century Program Director – Elizabeth Renfrew

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints Elizabeth Renfrew as 21st Century Program Director effective July 1, 2022, with benefits in accordance with the Management Confidential Employees Agreement, pending clearance by the New York State and the Federal Government per the Project SAVE Law with salary as set forth below:

2022-2023: \$55,000

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Terms: 10-months plus 20 summer workdays

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board appoints the following Student Workers for the 2021-2022 STEP Program:

Shantejiah Jones-Williams

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

RESO #35-06/13/2022
Appoint Student Workers

ACTION ITEMS

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESOLVED, the Board of Education hereby establishes July 11, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. as the date and time of the Annual Reorganizational Meeting of the Board of Education. This meeting will be held in the LGI at Turnpike Elementary School.

Second: Mr. White

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

RESO #36-06/13/2022
Establish Date/Time for Annual Reorganizational Meeting

Motion by Mr. White:

RESOLVED, the Board hereby increases the 2021-2022 General Fund Appropriations and Revenues in the amount of \$2,130.22 for the Pepsi Funds/LCSD Education Foundation; and it is further resolved that such funds be used to provide scholarships, health and safety initiatives, student field trips, other activities and other purchases as approved by the Board of Education.

Second: Mrs. Fairhurst

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

RESO #37-06/13/2022
Pepsi Fund

Motion by Mr. Shover:

WHEREAS, Education Law, Section 3651 1a, permits the establishment of a Tax Certiorari Reserve, by Resolution of the Board of Education, to pay for assessment challenges; AND

RESO #38-06/13/2022
Tax Certiorari Reserve Increase

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WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the establishment of a Tax Certiorari Reserve on June 21, 2010;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund a Tax Certiorari Reserve in the amount of \$762,115.01, an increase of \$152.81, as permitted under Section 3651 1a of Education Law.

Second: Mr. Spear

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law, Section 6-r , as amended by Chapter 59, Laws of 2019 permits the establishment of a Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund, by Resolution of the Board of Education, to fund employer retirement contributions, payable to the New York State Teacher Retirement System (TRS); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the Retirement Contribution Reserve TRS Sub-Fund on May 29, 2019;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund the Retirement Contribution Reserve up to the amount of \$374,500.00, as permitted under Section 6-r of General Municipal Law.

Second: Mr. White

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Mrs. Klime indicated that SED recently began allowing for this reserve for instances where there are large contribution rates for School Districts. It is very wise for us to have this money set aside.

Motion by Mr. Spear:

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law, Section 6-p, permits the establishment of a Reserve for Employee Benefit Accrued Liability, by Resolution of the Board of Education, for the payment of any accrued employee benefits due to employees upon termination of service; and

RESO #40-06/13/2022
Employee Benefit
Accrued Liability
Reserve Fund
Increase

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WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the establishment of a Reserve for Employee Benefit Accrued Liability on May 23, 2011;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund the Reserve for Employee Benefit Accrued Liability in the amount of \$417,009.85, an increase of \$83.59, as permitted under Section 6-p of General Municipal Law.

Second: Ms. Richards

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

By Mr. White:

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law, Section 6-r permits the establishment of a Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund, by Resolution of the Board of Education, to fund employer retirement contributions, payable to the New York State and Local Employees' Retirement System (ERS); and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the Retirement Contribution Reserve Fund on May 23, 2011;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund the Retirement Contribution Reserve in the amount of \$507,804.72, an increase of \$171.72, as permitted under Section 6-r of General Municipal Law.

Second: Mr. Spear

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

By Mr. White:

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law, Section 6-j, permits the establishment of a Workers' Compensation Reserve, by Resolution of the Board of Education, to pay for compensation benefits and other expenses authorized by Article 2 of the Worker's Compensation Law, and for payment of the expenses of administering a self-insured program; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the establishment of a Workers' Compensation Reserve on May 23, 2011;

RESO #41-06/13/2022
Retirement
Contribution Reserve
Fund Increase

RESO #42-06/13/2022
Workers'
Compensation
Reserve Fund
Increase

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund a Workers' Compensation Reserve in the amount of \$207,058.41, an increase of \$41.52, as permitted under Section 6-j of General Municipal Law.

Second: Mrs. Manupella

Ayes -8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Shover:

RESO #43-06/13/2022
Repair Reserve Fund
Increase

WHEREAS, General Municipal Law, Section 6-r permits the establishment of a Repair Reserve Fund, by Resolution of the Board of Education, to fund certain repairs to capital improvements or equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the Repair Reserve Fund on May 26, 2015;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Lansingburgh Central School District hereby authorizes and directs the District Treasurer to fund the Repair Reserve in the amount of \$1,000,258.44, an increase of \$200.59, as permitted under Section 6-r of General Municipal Law.

Second: Mr. Spear

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

Motion by Mr. Spear:

RESO #44-06/13/2022
Approve First
Reading of New
Policies

Be it resolved, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, that the Board approve the first reading of the following new policies:

- #6600-R – Non-Payment for Account Receivable Fees Procedure Regulation
- #6685-R – Medicaid Internal Procedures Regulation

Second: Mr. Shover

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

TES Report by Ms. Cataldo – See page 30.

RPES Report by Mrs. Stalker – See page 31.

KMS Report by Ms. Phelan – See page 32.

LHS Report by Mr. Van Dervoort – See page 33.

Principal's Reports

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By Mrs. McGrouty:

**Assistant
Superintendent
Report**

Summer School	Families have been contacted
Summer to do list	SCEP and DCIP will be completed Work on grants: Title I, II, IV, UPK, Expanded UPK Professional Learning Plan

By Dr. Abitabile:

**Superintendent
Report**

- Credit for this goes to Tina Rysedorph who came to me a few months ago about summer programs for our students. We put together a flyer of the many local summer programs and opportunities available in our area and sent it out to our Lansingburgh families via email and posted it on social media. Many of these are either free or offered at a reduced cost.
- Transportation: The contracts were signed by Mr. Cusack earlier this evening. First Student has been here the past few Saturdays for a vetting process for new drivers. They have had a great response.
- DEI Policy Work will continue into the next school year. I updated the policy with the discussion we had at the last workshop and will send that along to you in your Friday notes.
- Our two new board members will be attending Board Training with me tomorrow in the District Office.
- The reorganizational meeting of the Board will be held on July 11th when all board members will be sworn in and a president and vice president will be elected.

Mr. Cusack presented Mr. Jeff White a plaque and thanked him for his seven years of service to the School District and community as a School Board Member. Mr. White will truly be missed.

**Honor Board
Member Jeff White**

Motion by Mr. Shover:

**RESO #45-06/13/2022
Adjourn**

Be it resolved this meeting of the Board of Education hereby adjourns at 7:01 p.m.

Second: Mr. White

Ayes – 8

Nays – 0

Motion Carried
Unanimously

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Respectfully submitted,

Christina Williams
Clerk to the Board of Education

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**Foundation Aid Spending Plan
Draft Plan for Public Comment
2022-23**

Areas of Priority

Increasing graduation rates and eliminating the achievement gap:

- Investing in Teacher Retention Program
- Expanding Student Data Analysis

Providing supports for students who are not meeting or at risk of not meeting, state learning standards in core academic subject areas:

- Investing in Teacher Retention Program
- Expanding Student Data Analysis
- Expanding APEX Credit Recovery Program

Addressing student social-emotional health:

- Continue relationship with Rensselaer County Department of Mental Health
- Continue with the ALLY Program

Providing adequate resources to English Language Learners, students with disabilities; and students experiencing homelessness:

- Investing in Teacher Retention Program
- Expanding Student Data Analysis

Goals and ratios for pupil support:

- Continuous in-person instruction
- Continue to reduce learning lag

Detailed summaries of investments in current year initiatives and balance funds spent in priority areas:

As of June 1, Lansingburgh Central School District has committed 100 % of the \$2,580,384 2021-22 Foundation aid increase.

Priorities:

Safe return to in-person instruction	\$ 946,468
Reduce Learning Lag	\$1,633,916

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**American Rescue Funds Spending Plan
Draft Plan for Comment
2022-23**

Areas of Priority

Safely returning students to in-person instruction

Installing air conditioning units in special education rooms to assist with air filtering

Maximizing in-person instruction time

Continue AIS Math and AIS ELA supports to reduce learning lag

Continue Summer Academy for general education students to reduce learning lag

Operating schools and meeting the needs of students

2021-22 priority

Purchasing educational technology

Purchasing Chromebooks and accessories for students and staff

Addressing the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on students, including the impacts of interrupted instruction and learning loss and the impacts on low-income students, children with disabilities, English language learners, and students experiencing homelessness

Continue AIS Math and AIS ELA supports to reduce learning lag

Continue Teacher Aide and Teacher Assistant support for struggling and identified students

Maintain additional related services staff for children with disabilities

Installing air conditioning units in special education rooms to assist with air filtering

Purchase personal hygiene items and grocery cards to support homeless students

Implementing evidence-based strategies to meet students' social, emotional, mental health and academic needs

Continue with the ALLY Program

Continue with the Lansingburgh Equity Alliance

Continue relationship with Rensselaer County Department of Mental Health

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Offering evidence based summer, afterschool, and other extended learning and enrichment programs

- Continue with Summer Academy for general education students
- Continue with Afterschool Programs
- Continue subsidizing After Care for Elementary student

Supporting early childhood education.

- Continue AIS Math and AIS ELA supports to reduce learning lag
- Continue Teacher Aide and Teacher Assistant support for struggling and identified students

Programs expected to continue

- Afterschool programs are expected to continue with the assistance of the 21st Century Grant
- Ally Program will continue. No ongoing costs to maintain.

Goals and Ratios for Pupil Support

- Continuous in-person instruction
- Continue to reduce learning lag
- Continue with the Ally Program to support social and emotional needs

Investments in Current Year Activities

As of June 1, Lansingburgh Central School District has spent \$3,450,221 of our allocated American Rescue Funds.

Summary

Learning Loss	\$3,137,328
After School Activities	\$ 105,461
Summer School	\$ 207,432

Details

Personnel Expenses	\$1,556,351
Equipment	\$ 179,191
Services/Software	\$1,420,057
Supplies	\$ 294,622

Balance of Funds Spent in priority areas

Balance to spend \$3,964,511

Learning Loss 2022-23	\$1,793,516
After School Activities	\$ 188,739
Summer School	\$ 188,739
Learning Loss 2023-24	\$1,793,517

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Kelly Cataldo
Principal's Report
Board Meeting
6/13/22

Attendance: June 2022 (8 days):
UPK: 89%
K: 88%
1: 89%
2: 90%
Overall: 89%

Curriculum and Instruction:

Kim Inglee from Questar is supporting our reading teachers in completing F & P running records.

Michelle Stone modeled Interactive Read Aloud lessons for our 2nd grade teachers. She also spent a day with them aligning their reading units of study with NGLS. Summer work is planned to continue the alignment.

Social and Emotional Learning:

Character Ed trait of June: Friendship

Therapy Dog Visits: Rita & Harely visited, one more visit and then every classroom will have had the opportunity. Both are interested in returning next year on a more regular basis.

Events:

SuperMarket Science - 2nd graders got to witness fun science experiments performed with everyday items to get students interested in science

Mad Science Assembly - "S" day - two separate assemblies with science experiments geared towards EPK/UPK/K and then 1st/2nd.

Second Grade Concert - 6/22/22 at 10AM

School Leadership:

Planning Summer Work

Master Schedule for 22-23

Interviewing to fill teaching vacancies

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Katie Stalker
RPES Principal's Report
Board Meeting
6.13.22

Attendance Rates

3: 89.78%
4: 92.94%
5: 90.52%
Overall: 90.93%

Curriculum and Instruction

End of year data
Fountas and Pinnell Benchmarks
I-Ready data and building-wide incentive

Social and Emotional Learning

Character Trait of the Month - pride in achievement
2nd Step Lessons - career planning

Events


Field Trips
Grade 3: Katchkie Farm
Grade 5: The Great Escape
5th Grade end of year plans:
Field Day - June 14
Dance/Picnic - June 17
Moving Up - June 22
Choir
Concert on May 25
Field trip on June 16 - singing at Diamond Ridge and picnic at Powers Park

School Leadership

Domain 4 meetings
Finalizing summer committee work and professional development for 2022-2023
AP, Mrs. Santarcangelo, is using data to create class lists and develop curriculum for the Summer Success Academy
Interviews scheduled to fill vacancies

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Knickerbacker Middle School
BOE Report
June 13, 2022

Area of Focus	ELA	Math	SEL- Respect/Climate/Culture	Attendance	Parent Engagement
<p>Actions Initiatives</p>	<p>This month's focus has been on determining book clubs that can be used within ELA classes to support all students. We will be working on mapping these book clubs within our current units of study this summer.</p>	<p>This month Charlene Marchese is with us to help align the honors curriculum and determine how each grade level can support the next and provide the needed instruction so that students are receiving the honors curriculum yet still prepared for the NYS math assessment.</p>	<p>School Counselors are focusing on getting students registered for summer school.</p> <p>The Positivity Project is wrapping up this week. Students completed the last survey last week. Those who answered it correctly were entered to win 3 \$5 snowman gift cards.</p> <p>Student Council hosted a school-wide dance on May 24th. All the students that attended had a wonderful time. Mrs. Vartigian helped decorate our gym into an amazing welcoming environment for all attendees.</p>  <p>Student Council finished their cereal box collection and donated over 100 boxes of cereal to the Unity House of Troy. The council also made a little domino out of all the boxes. Moving forward into next year we hope to make a longer domino. Watch the video HERE.</p>	<p>Attendance Percentages (9/7/21-6/13/22)</p> <p>6th - 88.68%</p> <p>7th - 87.98%</p> <p>8th - 87.43%</p> <p>S2 - 90.28%</p> <p>Total - 88.01%</p> <p>June Attendance Percentages (6/1/22-6/13/22)</p> <p>6th - 89.67%</p> <p>7th - 86.26%</p> <p>8th - 86.4%</p> <p>S2 - 93.75%</p> <p>Total - 87.35%</p> <p>Today's Attendance 94%</p>	<p>We had a great turnout of parent volunteers for our Spring Fling</p> <p>We also had several parents volunteer for our pancake breakfast that will take place the morning of the 8th Grade Moving Up Ceremony</p>

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Lansingburgh High School Report

By: Mr. Van Dervoort

This time of year we are all focused on Graduation.

- We continue working with a group of kids who are on the bubble. We push them to complete their APEX work at school rather than on their own.
- Of the 151 seniors we started out with in September, 5 of them left the District and did not enroll in another district so they are in our count of non-completers. We have 1 student who moved here and enrolled, went to school 2 days and never returned. Our graduation rate for June will be around 82%
- If our graduation rate was based upon our students we had here for the whole year, it would be at 93%.

Thanks extended to Greg Rashford and Andrew Sheehan for all the work they did all year long and especially during the time Mr. Van Dervoort was out for surgery.

Thanks extended to Ms. Peter, Junior Class Advisor, for all her efforts on the Prom. The kids had a great time and everything went really well.

Jenn Nelson is having her last meeting of the year and the focus is on teaching/educating as an occupation.

We have a focus group who will be working on attendance.

We are working with Joe Otter on the Ally Program to make it more effective.