Board Briefs

NORTH SCHUYLKILL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Regular Meeting – October 21, 2026

A Regular Meeting of the North Schuylkill Board of Education was held on the above date in the LGI Room of the North Schuylkill Junior/Senior High School.

Action was taken on the following agenda items:

Finance Committee

Approved:

- financial reports and check registers
- Real Estate Tax Exemptions for Disabled Veterans
- the Addendum to the Agreement with ESS

Tabled:

- the annual donation to the public libraries

Physical Facilities

Approved:

- Facility Use Applications
- the Grass Cutting and Mowing Services Agreement with Cloverleaf Maintenance LLC

Personnel

Approved:

- an Intermittent FMLA Leave for Christine Burns, School Social Worker
- Alijah Hollenbach as an Elementary Special Education Teacher
- a childbearing/childrearing leave request for Kelsey VanderMeer, Elementary Teacher
- the MOU with NSEA for a salary adjustment for Bachelor's degree plus credits
- Amy Weikel, Amanda Dillman (Substitute), Brittany Marsden and Alyssa Placek as Part-Time Paraprofessionals
- a rate adjustment for Charles Dillman
- accepted the resignations of Amy Weikel and Katelynn Himes

Food Service, Safety, Transportation

Approved:

- adding Justine Fetterolf, Audrey Ahner and Quintin Neidlinger to the School Bus Drivers/Van Drivers/Aides Roster for 2026-2027 school year

Extracurricular Programs

Approved:

- the following Supplemental Position for the 2026-20267school year:

  Leah Wallace – Math Counts Advisor
- a field trip request for the NS Ski Club to Belleayre Mountain Ski Center, Highmount, New York

Policy/Legislative

Approved:

- the Second Reading of the following policies: 102, 105, 204.1, 209, 246, 249, 704, 803, 805.2 and 822

Committee of the Whole Meeting

The following **Students of the Month** were recognized by their teachers and presented a School Themed Shirt from the Board:

7th Grade	-	Jayce Eroh *nominated by Ms. Rex*
8th Grade	-	Sophie Kulengosley *nominated by Ms. Kline and Mr. Shoener*
9th Grade	-	Mina Pennypacker *nominated by Ms. Kline and Mr. Shoener*
10th Grade	-	Juliana Miller *nominated by Ms. Kaminski*
Kindergarten	-	Owen Jantzen *nominated by Mr. Onuschak*
1st Grade	-	Aubrey Nestor *nominated by Ms. Pasco*
3rd Grade	-	Derrick Garner *nominated by Ms. Cara*
4th Grade	-	Colton Jessman *nominated by Ms. Macknis*
4th Grade	-	Jordan Lahr *nominated by Mr. Cole*
5th Grade	-	Jacob Lopez *nominated by Ms. David*
5th Grade	-	Jaz'Zalyn Wilson-Blackwell *nominated by Mr. McGrath*

Merri Lynn Craig, Board Secretary

Upcoming Meetings

November 18, 2026 – Committee of the Whole – 6:30 p.m.
– Committee Meetings – 7:00 p.m.
– Regular Meeting – immediately following Committee Meeting