

# UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD BRIEFS April 20, 2023

- \* Approve the Treasurer's Report for the month ending March 31, 2023.
- \* Approve the Accounts Payable List for the month ending April 30, 2023.
- \* Award the bid for the purchase of 2023-2024 general & art supplies to Kurtz. Bros. of Clearfield, PA in the amount of \$15,761.95.
- \* Approve the Rockets Cyber Education tuition rates for the 2023-2024 school year.
- \* Approve the Union School District Parent/Guardian Transportation Agreements.
- \* Approve the 2023-2024 Central Susquehanna Intermediate Unit (CSIU) Computer Rates.
- \* Approve the 2023-2024 Clarion County Career Center Budget.
- \* Retroactively approved the agreement between Union School District and MHY Family Services (Longmore Academy) for the 2022-2023 school year.
- \* Approve the Actuarial Service Agreement for Alternative Measurement Method between HUB International Great Plains and Union School District.
- \* Approve the Contract for Services between the Union School District and Gaggle.Net, Inc. effective July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024.
- \* Approve the Maiello Brungo & Maiello, LLP hourly rate adjustment for Solicitor Services.
- \* Hire Lori Billotte as a Substitute Custodian for the 2022-2023 school year.
- \* Hire Brandy Giles as a Substitute Nurse/Health Tech for the 2022-2023 school year.
- \* Accept the letter of resignation for the purpose of retirement from Elementary Teacher Karen Paulden, effective May 30, 2023, waiving the severance pay requirements under appendix "C", item 6 of the UEA agreement.
- \* Accept the letter of resignation, for the purpose of retirement, from Custodian Tom Anthony, effective June 30, 2023.
- \* Retroactively approve a Family Medical Leave to employee #91 from March 27, 2023 through the end of the 2022-2023 school year.
- \* Approve an intermittent unpaid leave of absence to employee #141, effective April 20, 2023 through May 11, 2023.
- \* Approve an intermittent unpaid leave of absence to employee #225, effective April 20, 2023 through May 11, 2023.
- \* Approve Katelyn Hollingshead, Madison Coy, and Alison Barger as PTO volunteer/chaperones.
- \* Hire Emma Fox as Special Education Teacher, effective August 16, 2023 at step 1 of the Bachelors salary scale of the Union Education Association Agreement.
- \* Approve the Flexible Instructional Day Program for the 2023-2024 school year.
- \* Retroactively approve a teacher dress down week fundraiser for the Language Club from March 27, 2023-March 31, 2023.
- \* Approve credit recovery through The Learning Lamp and Ignite Education Solutions at a cost of \$160.00 per course.
- \* Establish the tuition rate for domestic (non-international) out-of-district students at \$9,000.00 per year. In the event the student requires special education services above the general education needs, the cost of these services will be added to the above tuition cost.
- \* Establish the tuition rate, for international students, at \$9,000.00 per student for the 2023-2024 school year, granting the Superintendent authority to adjust the rate as circumstances dictate.
- \* Approve the request of Superintendent, John Kimmel, to donate/dispose of old library books.
- \* Authorize the Union School District to utilize other van contractors, when necessary, to provide student transportation.
- \* Approve the Clarion County 2023 Hazard Mitigation Plan .
- \* Approve Daniel Guntrum as a substitute van driver for Weaver Transportation.
- \* Approve the use of the Union High School for Athletic Trainer, Heather Bair, to conduct summer strength and conditioning workouts from June 12, 2023-July 28, 2023. This will be for grades 4-12.

\* Accept the letter of resignation from Dan Reed, Assistant Varsity Football Coach, effective March 29, 2023.

**\*Old Business**

- Approve the 2nd reading of the following policies:
  - a. Policy No. 204–Attendance
  - b. Policy No. 623–Anti-Fraud
  - c. Policy No. 146.1–Trauma Informed Approach
  - d. Policy No. 214–Class Rank
  - e. Policy No. 217–Graduation
  - f. Policy No. 221–Dress and Grooming
  - g. Policy No. 233–Suspension and Expulsion

**\*New Business**

- Approve the 1st reading of the following policies:
  - a. Policy No. 137.1–Extracurricular Participation by Home Education Students
  - b. Policy No. 137.2–Participation in Cocurricular Activities & Academic Courses by Home Education Students
  - c. Policy No. 137.3–Participation in Career & Technical Education Programs by Home Education Students
  - d. Policy No. 137–Home Education Programs
  - e. Policy No. 251–Students Experiencing Homelessness, Foster Care & other Educational Instability

The **May Work Session** will be held on **Thursday, May 4, 2023** in the High School Library and the **Board Meeting** will be held on **Thursday, May 11, 2023 at 7:00PM** in the High School Library