FLEETWOOD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fleetwood, Pennsylvania

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AGENDA

February 11, 2025 • 7:00 PM

The Fleetwood Area School District educates, inspires, and empowers each student on their journey to excellence.

Board Picture - 6:45 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Comments from community members will be entertained at the end of the meeting and will be limited to three minutes per speaker.

A. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

B. INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

C. PERSONNEL

1. Recommend approval of the following personnel actions:

Assignments

Support Staff

- Alexis Adkins, Middle School Paraprofessional, effective 2/19/2025 at an hourly rate of $14.17, pending completion of paperwork

Transfers

- Julianne Kessler, High School Food Service Head Cook to High School Food Service Kitchen Specialist, effective 2/19/2025
- Candace Lilley, Willow Creek Elementary Food Service Head Cook to Willow Creek Elementary Food Service Kitchen Specialist, effective 2/19/2025
- Michele Cowley, Middle School Food Service Head Cook to Middle School Food Service Kitchen Specialist, effective 2/19/2025
- Christina Ebbert, High School Food Service Worker to High School Food Service Cook, effective 2/19/2025
- Meghan Olivieri, Middle School Food Service Worker to Middle School Food Service Cook, effective 2/19/2025
- Lori Valykeo, Andrew Maier Elementary Food Service Worker to Andrew Maier Elementary Food Service Cook, effective 2/19/2025
- Christine Cavanna, Willow Creek Elementary Food Service Worker to Willow Creek Elementary Food Service Cook, effective 2/19/202

Retirement

- Todd Weiss, High School Social Studies Teacher, effective the end of the 2024-2025 school year

Resignations

- Kelly Hinnershitz, Middle School Paraprofessional, effective 01/21/2025
- Olivia Fitzgerald, Andrew Maier Elementary Paraprofessional, effective 1/23/2025

Leave Request

- Kathy Karpeuk, Middle School Secretary, intermittent FMLA qualifying leave beginning 2/19/2025 through 9/03/2025

Volunteers

Athletics

- HS Boys' Tennis: Michael Sonon

- HS Track & Field: Benjamin Koncsics
- HS Softball: Kenneth Rentschler (pending completion of paperwork), Abigail Stump (pending completion of paperwork)
- HS Baseball: Kenneth Steward, Matt Dobrosky, Rolland Green, Brian Loy, Robert Hackash, Darien Troche (pending completion of paperwork)
- MS Baseball: Tim Stump

Building

- Takyra Batz
- Andre Folk
- John Graham
- Molly Johnson
- Jamie Ryan
- Amber Stamm
- LeeAnn Fickes
- Jody Graham
- Vanessa Hartline
- Dana Liptok
- Melissa Siegfried

2. TEMPORARY PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES ATTAINING TENURE INFORMATION: As required by the Public School Code, Section 1108, the Superintendent has certified to the Board Secretary that the work of the Temporary Professional Employee named below is satisfactory since they have now completed their probationary period (no Board action is required). The Board Secretary will place in the minutes the following name of the person who attained the status of Professional Employee of the district:
    - Breanna Giangiacomo

D. BOARD POLICY (2nd Reading)

- 005 - Organization
- 146.1 - Trauma-Informed Approach - (new policy)
- 216.1 - Supplemental Discipline Records
- 217 - Graduation
- 247 - Hazing
- 807 - Opening Exercises/Flag Displays

E. BUSINESS AND FINANCE

1. Recommend exoneration of the elected tax collectors from any further attempts to collect unpaid real estate taxes for the 2024 tax year and authorize the turnover of all uncollected bills to the Berks County Tax Claim Bureau for further collection efforts.
2. Recommend approval of budget transfers as presented.
3. Recommend approval of the Berks County Intermediate Unit mandates services budget for the 2025-2026 school year in the amount of $2,191,504. (FASD share totals $31,701.16; an increase of $826.76 or 2.7% over the 2024-2025 cost)
4. Recommend approval of an independent education evaluation for student #64088 at a cost not to exceed $5,500.

F. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Recommend approval of the 2025-2026 FASD calendar.
2. Recommend approval to allow representatives from Explorica to use promotional materials in the high school to advertise a trip to Dallas, Texas for a JFK Assassination Tour for the students during the summer of 2026. (This is a non-school sponsored trip and is being recommended based on requirements in policy #913.)

G. DISCUSSION

1. K-12 Guidance Plan
2. 2024-2025 Budget Update

H. USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

1. Recommend approval of the following billable requests for use of facilities:

• Breakfast Brothers	HS Cafe	2/1	$120.00
• Emerge Dance	MS Gyms	multiple dates	$100.00
• Fleetwood Comm Theater	WC LGI	multiple dates	$968.75
• Tri-Valley YMCA	MS Gym A	2 dates	$ 32.00

I. COMMUNICATIONS

- BCIU Legislative Update, 1.16.2025
- BCIU NewsLink, 1.16.2025
- BCIU What Happened, 1.16.2025
- BCTC JOC Minutes, 12.12.2024
- BCTC JOC Briefs, 1.22.2025
- AMES Newsletter, 2.2025
- Enrollment, 2.3.2025

J. COMMENTS FROM THE COMMUNITY

K. ADJOURNMENT

Executive Session: Personnel