

# Minutes of Regular Meeting of the Louisville Board of Education

May 16, 2022

## REGULAR MEETING 05/16/22

The Louisville Board of Education met in regular session on Monday May 16, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at Louisville Middle School, 1300 South Chapel Street Louisville, Ohio 44641 with the following members present: Mr. Jon Aljancic, Mr. Frank Antonacci, Mr. Rick Crislip, Mrs. Barb DeJacimo, and Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux. Also in attendance were: Ms. Michele Shaffer, Mrs. Anna Minor, Mr. Derek Nottingham, Ms. Lauren L'Amoreaux, and Mr. Owen Pukys.

### A. SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Michele Shaffer, Superintendent

Taryn Allgood- Speech & Debate Student  
Beth Balough- Speech & Debate Student  
Maggie Begue- Speech & Debate Student  
Megan Begue- Speech & Debate Student  
Tayleigh Folden- Speech & Debate Student  
Noah Capo- Speech & Debate Student  
Katie George- Speech & Debate Student  
Ally Ivey- Speech & Debate Student  
Jessie Stewart- Speech & Debate Student  
Kip Anna- Speech & Debate Student  
Maya Baxter- Speech & Debate Student  
Lauren Clarke- Speech & Debate Student  
Declan Deioma- Speech & Debate Student  
Kenna Dunlap- Speech & Debate Student  
Kenna Gnes- Speech & Debate Student  
Isaiah Gray- Speech & Debate Student  
Chloe Millard- Speech & Debate Student  
Alex Mohr- Speech & Debate Student  
Camille Schmied- Speech & Debate Student  
Maddie Bigham- Speech & Debate Student  
Kylie Daum- Speech & Debate Student  
Joey Duncan- Speech & Debate Student  
Katy Russell-Greer- Speech & Debate Coach  
Kayla Hrindak- Speech & Debate Coach  
Donna Mitchell- Speech & Debate Coach  
Jake Zartman- Speech & Debate Coach

Charlotte Nuesch- Gymnastics Athlete  
Tiffany Stanek- Gymnastics Head Coach

Lacy Harvey- Wrestling Athlete  
Kolten Barker- Wrestling Athlete  
Dylan Rhoads- Wrestling Athlete  
Pablo Castro- Wrestling Athlete  
Dominic Hoffarth- Wrestling Athlete  
Brenden Severs- Wrestling Athlete  
Noah Peterson- Wrestling Athlete  
Blake Schaffer- Wrestling Athlete  
Cameron Brazek- Wrestling Athlete  
Rocky Laughlin- Wrestling Head Coach  
Jeff Berkebile- Wrestling Coach

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Shane Blommel- Wrestling Coach  
Dante Rini- Wrestling Coach  
Micah Kullman- Wrestling Coach  
Brad Barker- Wrestling Coach  
Blake Robbins- Wrestling Coach

Jeff Couto- Girls Basketball Coach  
Brian Layton- Girls Basketball Asst. Coach

### **Ohio School Boards Association Business Honor Roll Recognition-** Michele Shaffer, Superintendent

GPD Foundation  
Beatty's Sports Shop  
Classico Landscape  
JN House Enterprises  
Marko Siding and Home Improvement  
Caar Excavating  
Lowe's Store #0297  
Troy Lizer

### **Student Board Representatives-** Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux

Lauren L'Amoreaux  
Owen Pukys

### **Recognition of 20-Year Award Recipients-** Michele Shaffer, Superintendent Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux, Board President Board of Education Members

James Callan  
Amanda Daugherty  
Laura Deitrick  
Melissa Fach  
Anita Gardner  
Kathryn Hopple  
Lisa Kruse  
Katy Todd  
Amy Ward

### **Recognition of 2021/2022 Retirees-** Michele Shaffer, Superintendent Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux Board of Education Members

Pam Nauss- LHS- Special Ed Aide  
Deb Lutz- LHS- Guidance Secretary  
Melissa Warga- LMS- ELA Teacher  
Connie Clark- LMS- Intervention Specialist  
Margie Williams- LMS- Special Ed Aide  
Patti Sears- NN- Secretary  
Jill Strohl- NN- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teacher  
James Adkins- LES- Custodian  
Diane Johnson- LES- Library Tech  
Nancy Nicholson- LES- Cafeteria Manager  
Pam Elder- Bus Driver  
Patricia Metzger- Bus Driver  
David White- District- Maintenance Technician

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### B. COMMITTEE REPORTS

RG Drage Representative- Mr. Frank Antonacci

- Met April 21, 2022
- Approved Unique Program- allows 30-60 students from outside districts to attend
- Graduation is May 19

Finance Committee- Mr. Rick Crislip, Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux

- Discussed Five-Year Forecast

Student Liaison Committee- Dr. Brenda Ramsey L'Amoreaux

- Graduation is Thursday, May 19

### C. PRINCIPAL REPORT- Jason Orin, Principal Louisville Middle School

- Strive to make a relationship between staff and students
- Middle school track team competed in the state meet
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade band received award

### 22-53 ADOPT MEETING AGENDA

Motion by Mr. Aljancic and seconded by Mr. Crislip to adopt the following agenda for the May 16, 2022 regular meeting.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

### 22-54 CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

### Resignation

1. Approve the resignation of the following employees:

Carrie Reedy	Resignation, Proctor, Louisville Elementary, effective 4/11/22
Rocky Laughlin	Resignation, Head Wrestling Coach, effective 5/2/22
Diane Johnson	Retirement, Library Technician, Louisville Elementary, effective 6/1/22
Jack Haddad	Resignation, Bus Driver, effective 6/30/22
James Adkins	Retirement, Custodian, Louisville Elementary, effective 7/31/22
Holly Leatherman	Resignation, Intervention Specialist, effective end of 21/22 school year

### Hiring

2. Approve the employment contracts of the following administrative employees effective 8/1/2022-7/31/2025:

Jason Greathouse	High School, Assistant Principal
Jim Adkins	Middle School, Assistant Principal
John Twinem Jr.	High School, Assistant Principal
Michael Norris	Louisville Elementary, Principal
Janice Williams	Central Office, Food Service Director

3. Approve the employment of the following certified employees for the 2022-23 school year, contingent upon meeting employment requirements:

Carrie Barker	Math Instructional Coach, LES & NN Elementary (effective 8/12/22)
Callie Adams	Reading Tutor, North Nimishillen Elementary (effective 8/12/22)
Scott Galayda	Math Tutor, Louisville High School (effective 8/12/22)

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Natalie Kanam	Permanent Sub, North Nimishillen Elementary (effective 8/12/22)
Andrew Meister	Permanent Sub, Louisville High School (effective 8/12/22)
Kirstie Saunders	Elementary Instructional Coach, LES & NN (effective 8/12/22)

4. Approve the employment of the following classified employees for the 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years and contingent upon meeting employment requirements:

Lawrence (Larry) Larke	Custodian, Louisville High School (effective 5/4/22)
Julianne Block	Bus Driver (effective 7/1/22)
Theresa Prather	Van Driver (effective 7/1/22)
Sierra Brown	Proctor, Louisville Elementary (effective 8/12/22)

5. Approve the employment of the following classified substitutes for the 2021-22 school year and the 2022-23 school year:

Robin Smeltz	Cafeteria (effective 4/19/22)
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### Other

6. Approve the following employment recommendations for the 2021-22 and 2022-23 school years:

#### Transfers

Erica Stires	Transfer from Van Driver to Bus Driver (effective 7/1/22)
Laura Ehlers	Transfer from Secretary at North Nimishillen Elementary to Guidance Secretary at Louisville High School (effective 7/29/22)
Megan Strasser	Transfer from Attendant at North Nimishillen Elementary to Secretary at North Nimishillen Elementary (effective 7/29/22)
Amy Essik	Transfer from Library Tech at North Nimishillen/Louisville Elementary to Library Tech at Louisville Elementary (effective 8/12/22)
Allison Allsopp	Transfer from Attendant at Louisville Elementary to Aide at Louisville Middle School (effective 8/12/22)
Michael Kostur	Transfer from Grade 5 at Louisville Elementary to Grade 6 ELA/Science at Louisville Middle School (effective 8/12/22)
Gary Nigro	Transfer from Grade 5 at Louisville Elementary to Reading/Math Individual Small Group Instructor at Louisville Middle School (effective 8/12/22)
Emily Swope	Transfer from Grade 1 at Louisville Elementary to Grade 5 Math/Science/Social Studies at Louisville Elementary (effective 8/12/22)

#### Supplemental Contracts 2022-23

Fullmer, Kat	Art Club
Fullmer, Kat	Video Production Club
Davis, Troy	C.H.A.M.P.S.
Borsellino, Jan	Class Sponsor- Freshman
Stallman, Courtney	Class Sponsor- Sophomore
Todd, Katy	Class Sponsor- Junior
Kidd, Brittany	Class Sponsor- Senior
Faiello, Sarah	Color Guard
Fullmer, Marissa	Drama Club
McVane, Sarah	Drama Club Assistant
Todd, Katy	French Club
Beane, Andy	STEM Club
Carpico, Pete	History Club
Baker, Elizabeth	Hope Squad
Reese, Randi	Hope Squad

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Bleininger, Kris	Instrumental
Palombo, Casey	Key Club
Frank, Christina	Key Club
Russell, Katy	National Forensics
Carpico, Pete	National Honor Society
Carpico, Pete	Science Club
Kidd Brittany	Spanish Club
Russell, Katy	Speech/Debate
Hrindak, Kayla	Speech/Debate Assistant
Zartman Jake	Speech/Debate Assistant
Mitchell, Donna	Speech/Debate Assistant
Slutz, Deb	Spirit Club
Todd, Katy	Student Council
Kidd, Brittany	Student Council
McVane, Sarah	Vocal
Slutz, Deb	Yearbook
Schuler, Erin	MS Academic Challenge
Mitchell, Dale	MS Audio Visual
Mitchell, Dale	MS Auditorium
Portzer, Sam	MS Instrumental
Markiewicz, Abigail	MS Instrumental
Bole, Lisa	MS Spelling Bee Coordinator
Faiello, Sarah	MS STEM Club
McVane, Sarah	MS Vocal
Jeandrevin, Ann	MS Vocal Assistant
McVane, Sarah	MS Vocal- 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Apone, Ashley	MS Yearbook
Shadle, Monica	SEEDS Materials Manager
Mast, Denise	Lead Mentor
Schuler, Erin	Gifted Team Coach
Miglich, Matt	Gifted Team Coach
Oaks, Chad	Gifted Team Coach
Hollifield, Emily	Gifted Team Coach
Adkins, Jacob	Gifted Team Coach
Barker, Carrie	Gifted Team Coach

### Athletic Volunteers- HS

Jeremy Foltz	Softball
Nathan Hostetler	Boys Lacrosse

### Athletics Volunteer- MS

Jeff Hoffman	Track
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### Seasonal Summer Grounds/Cleaning

Jacob Barrick  
Amy Bricker  
Kaylyn Butler  
Brexton Collins  
Nate Curry  
Toni Freeman  
Jack Horn  
Tyler Jackson  
McKenzie Miller  
Brook Pickens  
Jeremy Richard

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Dale Stauffer  
Raymond Strain  
Austin Vlacovsky  
Aiden Volkert  
Dylan Wymer

### Seasonal Summer Painting

Steve Colley  
Ty Coon

### Seasonal Summer Maintenance

Joe Greco

### Summer Speech Program

Krystin O'Leary (not to exceed 48 hours)

### Summer Student Evaluations (not to exceed 100 hours)

Melissa Robinson- Speech Language Pathologist  
Tiffanie Palas- School Psychologist

### June Acceleration Camp- Elementary

Callie Adams  
Allison Allsop  
Tina Beaver  
Tabetha Beckett  
Patty Berkebile  
Melissa Chatelain  
Alyssa Coffman  
Vicki Couto  
Crystal Dentz  
Brandi Elder  
Andrea Greco  
Nancy Groves  
Kathi Hopple  
Cara Jones  
Natalie Kanam  
Jessica Lattanzio  
Patricia LePar  
Megan Lindsey  
Misty Mackim  
Denise Renfrew  
Jennifer Slack  
Casey Smith  
Cheryl Wetter  
Natalie Wymer

### June Acceleration Camp- Middle School

Andy Beane  
Carolyne Beane  
Francesca Bowman  
Adriana Changet  
Emily Crawford  
Jared Komo  
Amy Manda  
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Sarah McVaney  
Drew Meister  
Debbie Minster  
Kim Palaski  
Alana Pustay  
Kylie Ray  
Monica Robinson

## June Acceleration Camp- Bus Drivers

Julianne Block	Chris Pumneo
Linda Butera	Carrie Reedy
Amanda Jones	Robin Reese
Jessica Lattanzio	Mary Sisemore
Karen Maierhofer	Mike Veigh
Belinda Monter	

## Math Textbook Training

Mac Aljancic  
Adriana Changet  
Rebecca Diroll  
Jerry Fresenko  
Diane Hardie  
Emily Hollifield  
Elizabeth Leebens  
Matt Miglich  
Joann Minner  
Chad Oaks  
Brad Pirie  
Tyler Radaia  
Erin Schuler  
Bob Sudomir  
Sherry Wilmer

## 7. Authorize the Superintendent to renew the following contracts for the 2022-23 school year:

Adams, Mark	3 days extended time
Andrews, Karen	5 days extended time
Baker, Elizabeth	10 days extended time
Baker, Kathryn	3 days extended time
Barwick, Cierra	3 days extended time
Bennett, Jennifer	3 days extended time
Bole, Lisa	9 days extended time
Clemson, Ann	10 days extended time
Davis, Troy	20 days extended time
DiRocco, Pam	15 days extended time
Gill, Deborah	As Needed Extended Time for Transportation
Gronow, Sue	5 days extended time
Essik, Amy	3 days extended time
Keister, Amy	8 days extended time
O'Leary, Krystin	3 days extended time
Palas, Tiffanie	15 days extended time
Pederzoli, Angelo	15 days extended time
Pustay, Alana	7 days extended time
Robinson, Melissa	3 days extended time
Saltsman, Thomas	25 days extended time

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### 22-64

Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mr. Aljancic to approve the Nutritional Standard Compliance Report for school year 2021-22 as presented on Exhibit S-4.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

### 22-65

Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mr. Aljancic to approve the meal pricing for the school year 2022-23 as follows:

Breakfast:	No charge for all students
	Adults                \$2.50
Lunch:	No charge for those qualifying for free or reduced priced meals
	Grades K-2        \$2.50
	Grades 3-5        \$2.75
	Grades 6-8        \$3.00
	Grades 9-12      \$3.25
	Adults             \$4.00

*Price increase due to inflation and rising food costs. Evaluation of free breakfast will be ongoing as the year progresses and will be dependent on food costs, with the possibility of charging after January 1, 2023 if necessary.*

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

### 22-66

Motion by Mr. Crislip and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve an out of state extended field trip to Washington D.C. on November 15-17, 2022 for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students at Louisville Middle School at no expense to the Board of Education.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

### 22-67

Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve FMLA Leave for employee A.M. (effective May 17-27, 2022).

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

### D. READING OF BOARD POLICIES

Allow for the first reading of the following Board Policies:

Policy 1616- Administration- Staff Dress and Grooming  
Policy 2271- Program- College Credit Plus Program  
Policy 4216- Classified Staff- Dress and Grooming  
Policy 5511- Students- Dress and Grooming  
Policy 5772- Students- Weapons  
Policy 6110- Finances- Grant Funds  
Policy 6114- Finances- Cost Principles-Spending Federal Funds  
Policy 6325- Finances- Procurement- Federal Grants/Funds  
Policy 6423- Finances- Use of Credit Cards  
Policy 7217- Property- Weapons  
Policy 8500- Operations- Food Services



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### E. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Louisville High School graduation will be held on Thursday, May 19, 2022 at the Louisville Leopards Football Stadium at 7:00 pm.

The last student day will be Friday, May 27, 2022 and the last teacher day will be Tuesday, May 31, 2022.

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held Monday, June 20, 2022 at 6:30 pm at the Board of Education Office located at 407 East Main Street, Louisville, Ohio 44641.

### 22-68 EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Mrs. DeJacimo and seconded by Mr. Aljancic to enter into Executive Session in accordance with ORC 121.22 at 7:52 p.m. to discuss negotiations/bargaining sessions with employees.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

Board President declared the board out of Executive Session and back into open session at 8:21 p.m.

### 22-69 ADJOURN

Motion by Mrs. DeJacimo and seconded by Mr. Antonacci to adjourn the meeting at 8:21 p.m.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Crislip, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

  
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Attest

  
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President

