

Glen Cove City School District - Board of Education - Brief of Meeting
Meeting Date: August 17, 2009

PERSONNEL ACTIONS

Name	Board Action
Erica Maltz , rescind the regular substitute appointment, Elementary teacher, to reappoint her	Approved
Erica Maltz , probationary appointment as Elementary teacher Connolly School, effective 9/1/09	Approved
Adrienne Hellman , probationary appointment as Speech teacher, Deasy & Middle Schools, effective 9/1/09	Approved
Anthony Gallo , probationary appointment as Health teacher, Middle School, effective 9/1/09	Approved
Tara Berkowitz , acceptance of resignation as Physical Education/Health teacher & Hip Hop coach, effective 7/29/09	Accepted
Christopher MacDonald , appointment as a part-time (.4) Physical Education teacher, Gribbin and Deasy Schools, effective 9/1/09	Approved
Christopher MacDonald , appointment as a permanent building substitute, High School, three days per week, effective 9/15/09 – 6/15/09	Approved
Kathleen Cirina, James Guarini, Trecia Wong, Elaine Charnow, Annemarie Rochford, Herenia Padilla & Alison Fletcher , appointments as teacher mentors effective the 2009/2010 school year	Approved
Zoe Karousos , an additional 8 days of employment, school monitor, continue to work in High School computer services office to assist Joseph Geller	Approved
Marie Flynn , appointment as breakfast helper, Landing School, 5-hrs/wk, effective on/around 9/8/09	Approved
Lorena Morissey , appointment as part-time school monitor (office) approx. 10-hrs/wk, 8 weeks per year for the 2009/2010 school year, effective on/around 8/24/09	Approval
I-Ping Yang , temporary appointment, school monitor, Connolly School, 29.5-hrs/wk, effective 9/8/09 – 6/25/10	Approved
Changes as indicated for the following teacher assistants, effective 9/8/09: Lisa Galante , from one-to-one, 29.5-hrs/wk Deasy to inclusion, 25-hrs/wk Landing School Danielle Jackson , from inclusion, 25-hrs/wk Deasy to one-to-one, 29.5-hrs/wk Middle School Michelle Orlando , from two-to-one, 29.5-hrs/wk to inclusion, 25-hrs/wk Connolly School Laura Petulla , from Connolly School to Gribbin School, 29.5-hrs/wk	Approved
Lisa Galante , appointment as school monitor (floater) Landing, 4.5-hrs/wk, effective 9/8/09	Approved
Catherine Ward , appointment as teacher assistant (special class) 25-hrs/wk Middle School, effective 9/8/09	Approved
Jennifer O'Brien , appointment as teacher assistant (one-to-one), 29.5-hrs/wk, Gribbin School, effective 9/8/09	Approved
Danielle Loucas , appointment as teacher assistant (Kindergarten inclusion), 25-hrs/wk, Deasy School, effective 9/8/09	Approved
Laura Argenzio , appointment as teacher assistant (special class), 25-hrs/wk, Middle School, effective 9/8/09	Approved
Annmarie Krach , appointment as teacher assistant (Kindergarten inclusion), 25-hrs/wk, Deasy School, effective 9/8/09	Approved
The list of Per Diem Substitutes for the 2009/2010 school year	Approved
Stefania Santoli , acceptance of resignation as a teacher assistant, effective 7/29/09	Approved
Matthew Labrake , rescind appointment as a part-time (.5) Library Media Specialist and part-time (.5) permanent substitute with the Glen Cove School District, effective 7/31/09	Approval
Mary Armen , acceptance of resignation, with regret, for purpose of retirement, after 24 years of service to Glen Cove School District, as Secretary to the Board of Education (School District Clerk), effective 9/1/09	Accepted
Mary Armen , resolution for distinguished service from 1985- 2009	Approved

Janet Bates-Wilkins , temporary increase in job hours as District Clerk, for up to 10 hours to transition with Mary Armen and complete her duties until a permanent replacement is appointed	Approved
Nancy Miller , acceptance of resignation, as an Elementary teacher, with the Glen Cove School District, effective 9/1/09	Accepted
Stefane Doynow , acceptance of resignation, as a teacher assistant, effective 8/14/09	Approved

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Description of Action	Board Action
Minutes of Regular Meetings of July 20, 2009 and July 27 2009	Approved
First Reading of Policy 7325, <i>Cell Phones, Various Listening Devices, and Portable Video Devices</i>	Accepted
Mr. Huggins , appointment as City Council liaison	Approved
Special Education District Plan	Approved
Memorandum of Understanding with Staff Development Workshops to provide Reader's Workshop Training, Grades K-5	Approved
Memorandum of Understanding with Staff Development Workshops to provide Readers and Writers Workshop Training Literacy Coaches, Grades K-8	Approved
EDS Bids Awards for the 2009/2010 school year	Approved
Final Payment to Palace Electrical Contractors, Inc. for work completed at Connolly School	Approved
Final Payment to Palace Electrical Contractors, Inc. for work completed at Landing School	Approved
To Reject any and all formal bids for replacement of the Thayer House boiler submitted on August 6, 2009 at 10:00 a.m.	Approved
Financial Warrants	Noted
Treasurer's Reports dated June 30,2009	Approved

Superintendent's Report:

Dr. Aronstein reported on the following items:

- Progress continues with respect to a number of on-going construction and maintenance projects being carried out during the summer vacation period. A notable example includes the High School Track: approximately 50 percent of the rubber surface has been installed with an estimated completion date of August 31st; the track lines are expected to be completed by August 27th; the scoreboard will be in place by September 2nd; a report from the electrical contractor, detailing the expected completion date for the lighting, is imminent. The High School Roof project is nearing completion, as work is currently focused on the edging. There are a number of other projects that will be reported on at the next Board meeting.
- The Alternative High School (AHS) has been re-named "Transition Nine" and has been moved from the facility at the Girls and Boys Club to two adjacent rooms at the High School. The District was released from its lease obligation with the Girls and Boys Club without consequence. The move to the new facility, which will accommodate 20-24 students, will realize some savings with respect to busing costs. Transition Nine will retain the staff of the former AHS, with Dr. Joseph Hinton as Principal.

Open Session: During the open sessions the public had an opportunity to ask questions or make comments with regard to items on the agenda as well as any items of their choosing.

Next Meeting will be a Regular Meeting at the Middle School on August 31, 2009 at 7:30 PM.

Submitted By: Mary Armen,
Secretary to the Board of Education