

The Forbes Road School Board met in regular session on Monday, March 6, 2017, at 7:11 pm in the high school library.

Members of the school board present were Brian Barton, Margaret Bolinger, Byron Helsel, Chanin Rotz-Mountz, Kirby Shoemaker and Damon Schoen. Others present were Superintendent Mark Loucks, Solicitor Patrick Fanelli, Randy Gelvin, Maria Scott Bollman, Bethany Strait, Glenda Mellott, John Mixell and Jeremy Hollinshead. Board members absent were: Kathy Baker, Stacie Keller and Merrill Arnold.

On a Mountz/Bolinger motion, the February 6, 2017 minutes were approved as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Bolinger/Barton motion, the February treasurer's report was approved as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Mountz/Bolinger motion, the March bills totaling \$377,574.58 were approved as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Bolinger/Mountz motion, the February cafeteria report was approved as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Brian Barton reported Vo-Tech students are getting ready for state competition.

John Mixell reported maintenance employees are getting ready for spring sports. Mr. Gelvin stated the fields are in great shape. Mr. Loucks made the board aware that the school received a thank you note from a community member regarding making sporting events more handicap accessible.

Mrs. Scott-Bollman reported the elementary students placed 3<sup>rd</sup> out of 329 schools in Think through Math, earning a \$100 amazon gift card for the school. She stated the first family fun night was a success making a profit of \$800. Redbird registration will be held on April 3 & 4, 2017. Special Education Auditors will be at Forbes Road for three days in March. Camp Cardinal, a program to help students prepare for PSSA testing, is going well with 77 students enrolled.

Mr. Gelvin stated the school musical, Robin Hood was a success. Several members of the board mentioned the quality of the sound system added to the success of the show.

In the District update Mr Loucks reported US News and World Report awarded Forbes Road School District a Bronze Medal. He was happy to announce that plans are already being discussed for next year's musical. Appreciation was expressed to Solicitor Patrick Fanelli and the team at Fanielli Willett Law Offices.

There were no public comments.

Board Members voted by way of ballot for Tuscarora Intermediate Unit Board Representatives.

On a Mountz/Schoen motion approval was given to hire Bethany Strait as Civil Rights Coordinator/Contact Person for Forbes Road School District at a stipend of \$800. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Barton/Helsel motion the 2017-2018 school calendar was approved as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Mountz/Schoen motion approval was given to replace the first grade Hershey Park field trip with a trip to Lake Tobias on May 11, 2017. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Bolinger/Mountz motion approval was given for a Bible Release Field trip on March 30, 2017 contingent upon demonstration there will be no cost to the district for transportation. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Mountz/Schoen motion approval was given for FFA field trips in March and April. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Bolinger/Barton motion approval was given for Student Council to sell Hershey Park tickets for a fundraiser. Motion carried unanimously.

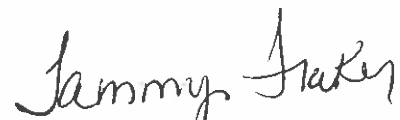
On a Schoen/Barton motion approval was given for the Forbes Road Lions Clun to use the school facility for their annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 15, 2017 in case of inclement weather. Motion carried unanimously.

On a Mountz/Bolinger motion approval was given for band front members to hold a volleyball tournament and bake sale to raise money to purchase new uniforms.



Kirby Shoemaker

President



Tammy Fraker

Secretary