

THREE VILLAGE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT OF  
BROOKHAVEN AND SMITHTOWN

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
MARCH 10, 2021

Meeting of the Board of Education of the Three Village Central School District of Brookhaven and Smithtown held at the North Country Administration Center, 100 Suffolk Avenue, Stony Brook, New York 11790 on March 10, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Members present: Inger Germano, President  
Irene Gische, Vice President  
Deanna Bavlnka, Trustee  
William F. Connors, Jr., Trustee (via Video)  
Jeffrey Kerman, Trustee  
Jonathan Kornreich, Trustee (from 5:50 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.)  
Vincent Vizzo, Trustee

Members absent:

Also present: Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent  
Jeffrey Carlson, Deputy Superintendent  
Kevin Scanlon, Assistant Superintendent for Educational Services  
Gary Dabrusky, Assistant Superintendent for Human Resources  
Kathleen Sampogna, District Clerk  
Jesse Behar, Student Representative to the Board  
Visitors

CALL TO  
ORDER

Ms. Germano called the meeting to order at 5:50 p.m.

MOVE INTO  
EXECUTIVE  
SESSION

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Dr. Kerman and carried by a 7-0-0 vote, the Board moved immediately into Executive Session in accordance with Open Meeting Law to discuss the employment history of a particular person(s) and current litigation.

RECONVENE  
INTO PUBLIC  
SESSION

The meeting reconvened into open session at 7:55 p.m. Mrs. Pedisich led the pledge of allegiance.

CHANGES IN  
THE MEETING  
AGENDA

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- Item I. – Contract of Agreement with District Clerk

BOARD  
RECOGNITION

Bus driver Chris Florio was recognized for his heroic action in helping prevent serious injury to a student.

Custodial Supervisor was recognized for coming to the aid of an individual who was injured in a serious automobile accident.

PUBLIC  
PARTICIPATION

Ms. Germano read comments from Stefanie Werner regarding adherence to safety protocols for students who opt out of testing and from Ekaerina Boudreau regarding use of the WMHS pool by the Three Village Swim Club.

Mrs. Pedisich noted that safety protocols will continue to be followed throughout the district, including planning for students opting out of testing, and that use of the WMHS pool has been reevaluated and will be open to all members of the swim club.

MINUTES AND  
BIDS

Minutes of  
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On motion by Mr. Vizzo, seconded by Mrs. Gische, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board approved the minutes as presented.

REPORTS

Student  
Representative  
Report

Jess Behar reported on recent events, including a virtual fundraiser and the beginning of sports and attendance by limited spectators.

Preliminary  
Budget  
Presentation

Mr. Carlson presented information regarding the 2021-22 budget.

ITEMS FOR BOARD DISCUSSION

Mrs. Pedisich advised that use of the WMHS pool has been reevaluated and will be open to all members of the Three Village Swim Club.

ITEMS FOR BOARD ACTION

Policy

Be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education accept the Policies delineated below:

0101 - Gender Neutral Single-Occupancy Bathrooms, 4000 – Student Learning Standards and Instructional Guidelines, 4511- Textbook Selection and Adoption, 8130 - School Safety Plans and Teams, 8131 - Pandemic Planning, 9700 - Professional Learning and Staff Development

<u>Policy #</u>	<u>Policy Title</u>
0101	Gender Neutral Single-Occupancy Bathrooms
4000	Student Learning Standards and Instructional Guidelines
4511	Textbook Selection and Adoption
8130	School Safety Plans and Teams
8131	Pandemic Planning
9700	Professional Learning and Staff Development

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Mr. Vizzo, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented.

Appointment of Construction Manager

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education appoint School Construction Consultants, Inc. to provide construction management services for the following two projects as part of the 2020/2021 Capital Improvement Projects: Installation of New Synthetic Turf Baseball and Softball Outfields at Ward Melville HS and Toilet Renovations at RC Murphy JHS, for an approximate fee of \$112,230, in accordance with pricing included in the Nassau BOCES Shared Services Agreement.

On motion by Dr. Kerman, seconded by Ms. Bavluka, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented.

Approval of Health and Welfare Services Contract

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education approve the contract for health and welfare services for the 2020-2021 school year with the following school district:

- West Islip UFSD                                2 Students @ \$ 927.77 = \$ 1,855.54
- Syosset CSD                                        2 Students @ \$1,020.20 = \$ 2,040.40
- South Huntington UFSD                        25 Students @ \$ 798.86 = \$19,971.50
- Smithtown CSD                                    80.31 Students @ \$1,111.18 = \$89,238.87  
(includes 1 prorated student)

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Mr. Vizzo, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented.

Acceptance of Donations

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education accept with gratitude the following:

- A Karl Knilling full size Violin, case and bow donated by Choral Teacher, Mr. Robert DePersio, to the Three Village School District’s Music Department.
- A check in the amount of \$1,000.00 donated by Nissan 112 to the Gelinis JHS Theatre Arts. It will be deposited into the Gelinis Allied Fund.
- A scholarship check in the amount of \$250.00 donated by Munistat Services, Inc. to be awarded in their name to a deserving student pursuing a course of study at a college or university. The check will be deposited into the Ward Melville High School’s Scholarship Fund TE092.11.
- A donation of 45 books from Mrs. Stuart, parent of 4<sup>th</sup> grade student Skylar, to the Minnesauke Library.

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Dr. Kerman, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented.

Declaration of Surplus Equipment

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, be it RESOLVED that the items listed below be declared surplus and disposed of in the best interest of the Three Village Central School District.

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<u>Item Description</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Serial #</u>	<u>Three Village #</u>	<u>Condition</u>	<u>Location</u>
Panasonic Television	F27678BC	806414493	15128	Poor	Setauket-Tech Dept
5 - Microscopes	Monolux-Freedom	0049081, 0049166, 0049222, 0049112, 0049001	N/A	Poor	Setauket-Science Lab

On motion by Dr. Kerman, seconded by Ms. Bavluka, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented

Contract of Agreement – District Clerk 2020-2021

Be it RESOLVED that upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Contract of Agreement appointing the District Clerk be approved, and further RESOLVED that Irene Gische is authorized to sign the contract on behalf of the Board of Education.

On motion by Dr. Kerman, seconded by Mrs. Gische, and carried by a 5-0-1 vote with Ms. Germano abstaining, the Board adopted the policies as presented

Approval of the Memorandum of Agreement between the Three Village Central School District and the Three Village School Administrators Association, Regarding a Change in the Annual Limit of Unused Vacation Days for Payment

Whereas, the spread of the COVID-19 virus has resulted in the need for tracking and contact tracing by certain school administrators; and ,

WHEREAS, the parties are desirous of allowing certain administrators as listed in Schedule A, to buy back additional unused vacation days for the 2020-2021 school year;

Now therefore be it RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the Three Village Central School District and the Three Village School Administrators Association regarding members employment, and increase the limit of unused vacation days available for payment during the 2020-2021 school year, to the extent listed for individual administrators named in Schedule A. The collective bargaining agreement, remaining in effect, except where modified by the Memorandum of Agreement, for the term July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2022.

On motion by Dr. Kerman, seconded by Ms. Bavluka, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented

Approval of the Memorandum of Agreement between the Three Village Central School District and the United Public Service Employees Union, Maintenance and Operations Unit Adding a Title to the Salary Schedule

BE it RESOLVED that upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hereby approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the Three Village Central School District and the United Public Service Employees Union, Three Village Maintenance and Operations Unit, adding the title, “Network and Systems Specialist I” to the salary schedule.

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Mr. Vizzo, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board adopted the policies as presented.

Personnel Matters

*Instructional*

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education approve the instructional personnel items as described in the schedules listed below:

RETIREMENT

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Date of Hire</u>
Preston, Kimberly	Ward Melville High School/ Global Language Teacher	6/30/2021	9/1/1998
Ferraro, Virginia	Murphy JHS/ Family & Consumer Science Teacher	6/30/2021	9/1/2001
Rakowsky, Debbi	Districtwide/ Social Worker	8/31/2021	12/1/1988
Lilavois, Nathalie	Districtwide/ Director of Elementary Curriculum	6/30/2021	6/25/2002

RESIGNATIONS

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Date of Hire</u>
DiStasi, Vincent	Minnesauke/ 1 yr COVID substitute teacher	1/3/21	9/29/16
This is to adjust Mr. DiStasi's resignation effective date.			
Christianson, Arthur	Remote Elementary School/ Teacher Assistant	2/8/21	12/18/20

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Tenured</u>
Dunn, Maria	Arrowhead/ Teaching Assistant	2/24/21 – 6/30/21	Unpaid	Yes
Cereola, Cristina	Murphy JHS/ English Teacher	2021-2022	Childcare	Yes
Shaw, Jacqueline	Murphy JHS/ English Teacher	2021-2022	Childcare	Yes
Reinhart, Claudia	Setauket/ Music Teacher	2021-2022	Article XXVI Section A Association Leave	Yes

APPOINTMENT TO INSTRUCTIONAL POSITIONS

Zambito, Caitlin  
 ASL Teacher  
 Rochester Institute of Technology – BA  
 Stony Brook University - MA  
 Previous Tenure – No  
 Salary: Step/Level – 2/MA  
 Effective: 9/1/21

This is a four-year probationary appointment with an anticipated tenure date of 9/1/25. This appointment is due to the retirement of Kimberly Preston. Ms. Zambito will be assigned to Ward Melville High School for the 2021-2022 school year. Ms. Zambito is the cousin of Marissa Liegi, Teacher Assistant at Murphy JHS. Ms. Zambito has worked in the District and fingerprint clearance for employment is on file.

New Probationary Teachers:

All probationary appointments made on or after July 1, 2015 are subject to the new four-year probationary period. In order to be eligible for tenure, an individual receiving a probationary appointment as a classroom teacher or building principal must receive annual composite or overall APPR rating of H or E in the last three of the four preceding years, and if the individual receives a rating of I in the final year of the probationary period, he or she will not be eligible for tenure at that time.

APPOINTMENTS TO SUBSTITUTE TEACHER/NURSE/PARAPROFESSIONAL/ TEACHING ASSISTANT POSITIONS

Substitute Teachers

Beisser, April

Ms. Bessier is the wife of Brendan Meier, Teacher at P.J. Gelinus Junior High School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Blaney, Erica

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Chaikin, Alyssa

Ms. Chaikin is currently a Substitute SEA/Monitor and has asked to be added to the Substitute Teacher List. Fingerprint clearance is on file

Contino, Jessica

Ms. Contino is the daughter of Linda Contino, Teacher at Ward Melville High School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Coughlin, Brittany

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Daly, Breanna

Ms. Daly is the daughter of Colleen Daly, Teaching Assistant at Ward Melville High School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

DeLaurenzo, Julianna

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Guidi, Jenna

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Huff, Taylor

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Mashkoor, Tanya

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

McCormack, Jenny

Ms. McCormack was approved by Ms. Pedisich for emergency appointment to begin working as a Substitute Teacher on February 10, 2021. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Pinard, Justin

Mr. Pinard is the brother of Allison Pinard, Assistant Athletic Trainer at Ward Melville High School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Pronesti, Faith

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Ransford, Meghan

Ms. Ransford was approved by Ms. Pedisich for emergency appointment to begin working as a Substitute Teacher on February 10, 2021. Ms. Ransford is the daughter of Melissa Quiros, Teacher at Ward Melville High School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Reff, Jason

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Schmidt, Nicole

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Silano, Victoria

Ms. Silano was approved by Ms. Pedisich for emergency appointment to begin working as a Substitute Teacher on March 2, 2021. Ms. Silano is the niece of Caroline Costanza, Teacher at Mount Elementary School. Fingerprint clearance is on file.

Sloan, Samantha

Fingerprint clearance is on file.

APPOINTMENTS OF  
WINTER COACH POSITIONS

Last Name	First Name	Building	Assignment	Effective	Step	Year at Step	Total Years	Stipend	Status
High School Coaches									
Dion	Jean Pierre	WMHS	Asst. Varsity Girls Cross Country	Fall	1	2	2	\$6,724.00	In District

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Mr. Dion was approved for emergency appointment on 2/26/21 effective 3/1/21.

Meehan	Kaylee	WMHS	JV Girls Volleyball	Fall	1	1	1	\$6,601.50	Out of District
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Ms. Meehan was approved for emergency appointment on 3/2/21 effective 3/2/21. Salary has been prorated.

Pulaski	Joseph	WMHS	JV Boys Soccer	Fall	2	1	3	\$6,945.00	In District
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This is a step/salary correction for Mr. Pulaski to the 2/10/21 agenda.

Supervision Rate: \$28.75 /hr prior to 6:00 p.m.  
\$43.14 /hr after 6:00 p.m. and on days school is closed

Scoreboard Timer: \$110.46 p. contest

All other times/scorers receive supervision pay rate

APPOINTMENTS OF CO-CURRICULAR SPONSORS

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Building</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Stipend</u>	<u>Not to Exceed</u>
*Casadei-Berwind	Daniela	MUR	National Junior Honor Society	2020-2021	\$2,203.00	\$2,203.00

\*This is a stipend correction for Ms. Casadei-Berwind to the 10/14/20 agenda. NJHS is a Level E club, not Level F.

APPOINTMENTS OF ANNUAL EXTRA ASSIGNMENTS

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Building</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Stipend</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Not to Exceed</u>
DePersio	Dana	Murphy	Additional .2, Resource Room Section	1/5/21-3/31/21	\$6,827.24	Stipend	\$6,827.24
Hughes	Julie	Murphy	Additional .2, Resource Room Section	3/1/21-3/31/21	\$2,782.36	Stipend	\$2,782.36
*Kilkenny	Kerri	Elementary	Lead Teacher, Elementary Health and Physical Education	2020-2021	\$2,797.00	Stipend	\$2,797.00
*This is to replace Ms. Kilkenny's appointment as Coordinating Chair of Health and Physical Education – Elementary approved 7/8/20 with Lead Teacher.							
Nickerson	Carol	Laurel Hill	Additional .2, Resource Room Section	2/9/21-6/25/21	\$2,840.68	Stipend	\$2,840.68
Pollera	Anthony	District	TVSAA Mentor for Mike Bartell	2020-2021	\$1,000.00	Stipend	\$1,000.00

APPOINTMENTS OF HOURLY EXTRA ASSIGNMENTS

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Building</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Not to Exceed</u>
Cordina	Jacqueline	Gelinas	Grading - 6th to 7th Grade Placement Exam	Spring 2021	\$50.05/hr	up to 4	\$200.20
*Davidson	Samantha	Remote Elementary	Proctoring - 6th to 7th Grade Placement Exam	Feb/March 2021	\$50.05/hr	Up to 5	\$250.25
Hugues	Jason	Districtwide	Virtual Career Fair Support	1/14/2021	\$50.05/hr	3 hours	\$150.15
Long	AnnMarie	Gelinas	Red Cross Club	2020-2021	\$44.49/hr.	15	\$667.35
*Prinzo	Anthony	Nassakeag	Proctoring - 6th to 7th Grade Placement Exam	Feb/March 2021	\$50.05/hr	Up to 5	\$250.25
Russo	Stacey	WMHS	ENL Screening	2020-2021	\$86.99/hr	10 hours	\$869.90
Varacchi	Gina	Districtwide	Virtual Career Fair Support	1/14/2021	\$50.05/hr	3 hours	\$150.15

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Vetro	Rocco	Murphy	Grading - 6th to 7th Grade Placement Exam	Spring 2021	\$50.05/hr	up to 4	\$200.20
Wolf	Daniel	Murphy	ENL Screening	2020-2021	\$55.50/hr	10 hours	\$555.00

\*Ms. Davidson and Mr. Prinzo were approved for emergency appointment by Ms. Pedisich on 2/8/2021.

APPOINTMENTS OF DEPARTMENT CHAIRS

<u>School</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Name</u>
P.J. Gelinas	English	1/08/2021	Michelle Hanczor
WMHS	Guidance	7/1/2021	Nathan Jayne

On motion by Ms. Bavlnka, seconded by Mrs. Gische, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board approved the resolution as presented.

*Non-Instructional*

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education approve the non-instructional personnel items as described in the schedules listed below:

RETIREMENT

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Years of Service</u>
Simas, Concetta	North Country Admin Center/ Principal Office Assistant/ PPS	6/30/2021	14 yrs. & 4 mos.

RESIGNATIONS

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Length of Service</u>
Balducci, Lisa	Murphy Junior High School/ Office Assistant/Attendance	3/6/2021	1 yr. & 6 mos.
Brunquell, Michelle	Ward Melville High School/ Special Education Aide	2/1/2021	3 mos.
Reinhart-Fitzpatrick, Kristine	Nassakeag Elementary School/ Special Education Aide	3/13/2021	6 yrs. & 6 mos.
Specht, Marilyn	Ward Melville High School/ Special Education Aide	3/10/2021	3 mos.
Zahed, Lila	Nassakeag ES SACC/ Child Care Assistant	2/22/2021	1 yr. & 4 mos.

APPOINTMENTS TO NON-INSTRUCTIONAL POSITIONS

Clericals

Germano, Inger  
 District Clerk  
 North Country Administration Center  
 Replacing: Kathleen Sampogna (retired)  
 Related to current employee: Yes  
 Annual Salary: \$80,499 (prorated)  
 Effective: March 31, 2021

Ms. Germano is the daughter of Ramona Cartwright, Special Education Aide at Minnesauke Elementary School. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Romano, Lauren  
 12 month Senior Office Assistant (Step 6/Level 3)  
 Setauket Elementary School-Main Office  
 Replacing: Denise Ward (promoted)  
 Related to current employee: No  
 Annual Salary: \$47,159 (prorated)  
 Effective: March 15, 2021

Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Custodial

Bohlen, David  
Custodial Worker I (Step 1/Level 1)  
Arrowhead Elementary School  
Replacing: James Torre Jr. (reassigned)  
Annual Salary: \$48,611 (prorated)  
Effective: March 11, 2021

Mr. Bohlen is currently a substitute custodian. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Gunning, John  
Custodial Worker I (Step 1/Level 1)  
Arrowhead Elementary School  
Replacing: Thomas Summer (reassigned)  
Annual Salary: \$48,611 (prorated)  
Effective: March 11, 2021

Mr. Gunning is currently a substitute custodian. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Serabian, Thomas  
Network & Systems Specialist I  
North Country Administration Center  
New Position  
Related to current employee: No  
Salary: \$61,373 (prorated)  
Effective: March 29, 2021

Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Food Service Worker

Rosicki, Patricia  
Part-Time Food Service Worker (3 hrs./day)  
Setauket Elementary School  
Replacing: Joseph Miceli (resigned)  
Related to current employee: No  
Salary: \$15.63/hr.  
Effective: February 10, 2021

Ms. Rosicki is currently a substitute food service worker. Ms. Rosicki was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Monitors/Special Education Aides

Als, Jessica  
Monitor (Step 1/Level 3)  
Minnesauke Elementary School  
Replacing: New Position  
Related to current employee: No  
Salary: \$15.00/hr.  
Effective: February 10, 2021

Ms. Als was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Goode, Torri  
Monitor (Step 1/Level 3)  
Mount Elementary School  
Replacing: Kaitlyn Mortilla (resigned)  
Related to current employee: No  
Salary: \$15.00/hr.  
Effective: February 22, 2021

Ms. Goode was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

School-Aged Child Care (SACC)

Hermann, Marissa  
Child Care Assistant (max 25 hours/week)  
Minnesauke Elementary School  
Additional Staff Needed  
Related to current employee: No  
Salary: \$15.09 hourly (Step 1/Level 1)  
Effective: March 16, 2021



Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

CHANGES OF STATUS

Clerical

DeCarolis, Sherri  
 From: Account Clerk (Step 9/Level 4)  
 To: Senior Account Clerk (Step 9/Level 5)  
 North Country Administration Center/  
 Business Office  
 Salary: \$58,264 (prorated)  
 Effective: March 1, 2021

Custodial

Johansen, Thomas  
 From: Custodial Worker I (Step 12/Level 1)  
 To: "Acting" HS Head Custodian (Step 12 /Level 6)  
 Ward Melville High School  
 Salary: \$83,880 (prorated)  
 Effective: January 14, 2021

Mr. Johansen is assuming the role of "Acting" High School Head Custodian until further notice while James Walker fills in as Chief Custodian.

Price, Richard  
 From: Groundskeeper I (Step 12/Level 9)  
 To: "Acting" Groundskeeper II (Step 12/Level 9)  
 North Country Administration Center  
 Maintenance & Operations  
 Salary: \$82,492 (prorated)  
 Effective: February 10, 2021

Mr. Price is assuming the role of "Acting" Groundskeeper II until further notice, due to the absence of Eugene Bowling.

Walker, James  
 From: High School Head Custodian (Step 12/Level 6)  
 To: "Acting" HS Chief Custodian (Step 12/Level 8)  
 Ward Melville High School  
 Salary: \$89,777 (prorated)  
 Effective: January 14, 2021

Mr. Walker is assuming the role of "Acting" High School Chief Custodian until a permanent replacement is selected.

SALARY ADJUSTMENTS  
 Stipends for Non-Instructional Personnel

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position/ Assignment</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Stipend Amount</u>
Guise, Heather	Arrowhead Night Lead Custodian	3/11/21	\$500 annually (prorated)
*Horton, Fred	School Custodial Supervisor	1/14/21	\$10,000 annually (prorated)

\*This stipend is for districtwide supervisory roles per the 12/4/20 MOA to the custodial contract.

APPOINTMENTS TO  
 NON-INSTRUCTIONAL  
 SUBSTITUTE POSITIONS

Custodians

Graham, Andrew  
 Salary: \$14.00/hr.  
 Effective: 2/16/2021

Mr. Graham was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Layden, Sean  
 Salary: \$14.00/hr.  
 Effective: 2/16/2021



Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Ransford, Meghan Salary: \$14.00/hr.  
Effective: 2/10/2021

Ms. Ransford was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Ms. Ransford is the daughter of Melissa Quiros, Teacher at Ward Melville High School. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Sloan, Samantha Salary: \$14.00/hr.  
Effective: 3/11/2021

Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

Velazquez, Sean Salary: \$14.00/hr.  
Effective: 1/25/2021

Mr. Velazquez was emergency appointed by Cheryl Pedisich, Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Velazquez is the son of Irene Velazquez, Teacher at Nassakeag Elementary School. Fingerprint clearance has been received and is on file.

APPOINTMENTS OF  
RETURNING COMMUNITY SWIM  
PROGRAM EMPLOYEES

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Building</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	Effective	Hourly Rate
Ferrara	Caitlin	WMHS	Supervisor	3/11/2021	\$34.00

AMENDMENTS/REVISIONS

Community Swim/Athletics

Saggio, Victoria Status: Lifeguard  
Amendment/Revision: Assignment  
Date of BOE Approval: January 13, 2021

Ms. Saggio's assignment was incorrectly noted as Water Safety Instructor, when it should have been Lifeguard.

Custodian

Mckenzie, Adaina Status: Custodial I  
Amendment/Revision: Resignation/Retirement  
Date of BOE Approval: February 10, 2021

Ms. Mckenzie's retirement was incorrectly noted as a resignation.

Monitors/Special Education Aides

Genovese, Courtney Status: Special Education Aide  
Amendment/Revision: Level/Stipend  
Date of BOE Approval: February 10, 2021

Ms. Genovese's step and level was incorrectly noted as Step 1/Level 13, when it should be Step 1/Level 11. Ms. Genovese should receive a \$700 stipend, this was omitted from the 2/10/21 agenda.

Umeed, Shabnam Status: Monitor  
Amendment/Revision: Level  
Date of BOE Approval: January 13, 2021

Ms. Umeed's step and level was incorrectly noted as Step 1/Level 14, when it should be Step 1/Level 13.

On motion by Mr. Vizzo, seconded by Mrs. Gische, and carried by a 5-0-1 vote with Ms. Germano abstaining, the Board approved the resolution as presented.

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Recommendations of Committee on Special Education, Sub-Committee and Accommodation 504 Plan Meetings of: January 6, 11, 13, 19, 21, 25, 26, 27, 28, February 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 22, 23, 24 and 25, 2021

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education, through the administration, arrange for the provision of the appropriate special education programs and services for students enumerated in the report of the Committee on Special Education.

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Mr. Vizzo, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board approved the resolution as presented.

Recommendations of Committee on Pre-school Special Education Meetings of: February 3, 5, 9, 11 and 23, 2021

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools be it RESOLVED that the Board of Education, through the administration, arrange for the provision of the appropriate special education programs and services for students enumerated in the report of the Committee on Preschool Special Education.

On motion by Mrs. Gische, seconded by Mr. Vizzo, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote, the Board approved the resolution as presented.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Ms. Germano read a statement advising she would be resigning from the Board of Education effective March 25, 2021.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Ms. Germano read comments from Stefanie Werner regarding adherence to safety protocols for students who opt out of testing and from Ekaerina Boudreau regarding use of the WMHS pool by the Three Village Swim Club.

Mrs. Pedisich noted that safety protocols will continue to be followed throughout the district, including planning for students opting out of testing

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to be conducted, motion was made by Dr. Kerman, seconded by Mrs. Gische, and carried by a 6-0-0 vote to adjourn the meeting at 8:35p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen Sampogna  
District Clerk