

CLEAR FORK VALLEY LOCAL SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Meeting
Bellville Elementary Cafeteria

December 15, 2022

6:30 p.m.

District Mission Statement: *Striving to Exceed Expectations*

The Regular Meeting of the Clear Fork Valley Local School Board was called to order at 6:30 PM by Board President, Mrs. Lori McKee.

Roll call was taken and the following members were present: Mr. Rick Kvochick, Mr. Carl Gonzalez, Mrs. Lori McKee, Mr. Ryan Knuckles, and Mrs. Koti Epperson.

Employees and Guests in Attendance:

Janice Wyckoff/Superintendent	Amy Cox	Joy Dials
Jon Mason/Treasurer	Steve Bechtel	Jennifer Klaus
Craig Smith	Brittany Bechtel	Tracy McDaniel
Libby Nickoli	Melinda Cook	Lynn Kneile
Jeff Swank	Jennifer Kvochick	Heather Keating
Nichole Rinehart	Trent Wine	Sonia Kelley
Brian Brown	Jennifer Wine	Lynelle Leedy
Sue Brown	Brian Constance	Ashley Twedt
Cathy Kinney	Jeff Kennedy	Rachel Schag
Ann Dettmer	Kourtney Kucirek	

INVOCATION and PLEDGE

Pledge – Purple Star Students

PRESENTATIONS

Joy Dials provided an update on the 4th and 5th grade Student Council fundraising and food drive.

ADMINISTRATION REPORT(S)

Bellville Elementary – Mrs. Stacy Swank
Butler Elementary – Mrs. Libby Nickoli
Middle School – Mrs. Jennifer Klaus
High School – Mr. Brian Brown

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Jack Kennedy of 1462 Riggle Rd, Bellville, OH 44813 addressed the board in regards to the Richland Public Health Survey discussed last month. Mrs. Wyckoff stated that she has spoken with Richland Public Health and the students will not be doing the survey.

Jeff Swank of 718 Ross Rd, Butler, OH 44822 addressed the Board about his concerns with the education process in the district. He also asked about the Board evaluation process for the Superintendent and Treasurer.

Craig Smith of 4763 Possum Run Rd, Bellville, OH 44813, addressed the Board on behalf of The Sons of the American Legion, about a donation to the Softball Program.

2022-260 **Upon Motion** by Mr. Knuckles and seconded by Mr. Gonzales, the Board approved the minutes of the following meeting.

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The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

TREASURER'S REPORT

Upon Motion by Mr. Kvochick and seconded by Mr. Knuckles, the Board:

2022-261 Approves the November 2022 Financial Report.

2022-262 Accepts the following donations:

\$1000.00 anonymous donation to the Clear Fork Wrestling Program

\$200.00 anonymous donation to the 7th Grade Field Trip

\$2,675.00 from American Legion Post 535 to Butler Elementary School for field trips

2022-263 Accepts the following grant:

\$371.88 Cares for Classrooms Grant – Gabriel Dannemiller

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Upon Motion by Mrs. Epperson and seconded by Mr. Kvochick the Board:

2022-264 Accepts the following resignations:

David Carroll – Teacher – effective 11/28/2022

David Carrol – Winter, Spring, and Summer Weight Coach – effective 11/28/2022

Sarah Robinette – Teacher – effective 12/12/2022

2022-265 Approves modifying motion 2022-212 to rescind the hiring of Griffin Robinette's freshmen boys basketball coaching contract for the 2022-23 school year.

2022-266 Approved the following certified personnel are employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2022-2023 school year:

Margo Alibeckoff	Musical Director –shared
Joseph Jancura	Musical Director – shared

Joseph Jancura Show Choir Director

2022-267 Approves that in accordance with 3319.22 ORC the Clear Fork Board of Education affirms that the following positions have been offered to the certified employees of the Clear Fork Valley Local School District and no qualified employee has been selected for the position(s). Furthermore, the Board affirms that the position(s) had been advertised on the Clear Fork website on March 2, 2022, March 10, 2022, April 1, 2022, April 11, 2022, May 2, 2022 or May 11, 2022 to those who may be qualified and that the following personnel be employed on a one (1) year supplemental contract for the 2022-2023 school year per the adopted salary schedule:

Thomas Stortz Assistant Varsity Wrestling

2022-268 Approves the following volunteer coach for the 2022-2023 school year.

Matt Endicott Basketball

2022-269 Approves Nick Hoover as Technology Support Assistant effective January 3, 2023 pending completion of requirements.

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

New/Old Business

Upon Motion by Mr. Knuckles and seconded by Mr. Gonzales, the Board:

2022-270 Approves the list of students as recommended by Mr. Brian Brown to be awarded graduate status January 13, 2023 provided all local and state requirements have been met for graduation.

2022-271 Adopts the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Board desires to enter into a new agreement with the Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center, to be in effect from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2025, in accordance with O.R.C. 3313.843(D)(2).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of the Clear Fork Valley Local School District, Bellville, Ohio that:

Section 1: The Board hereby determines and declares its intent to enter into a new service agreement with the Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center, to be in effect from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2025, in accordance with O.R.C. 3313.843(D)(2).

Section 2: It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relation to the adoption of this Resolution were done in an open meeting of this Board and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, or otherwise in compliance with all legal requirements.

2022-272 Enters into an Interagency Agreement with Ohio Heartland CAC Head Start for the 2022-2023 Program Year.

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING INFORMATION

2022-273 **Upon Motion** by Mr. Kvochick and seconded by Mr. Knuckles, the Board discussed, set and affirmed the Board of Education Organizational meeting in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 3313.14 to be followed immediately by the Board of Education Regular January meeting for Wednesday January 4, 2023 at 6:30 PM at the Butler Elementary, 125 College St, Butler, OH 44822. Should this meeting get cancelled due to a weather event the alternate date is Wednesday January 11, 2023 same time and location.

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

2022-274 **Upon Motion** by Mr. Gonzalez and seconded by Mrs. Epperson, the Board took nominations for the appointment of President Pro Tempore for the January 2023 Board of Education Organizational Meeting.

Nominated by Mr. Gonzalez the Board appointed Mr. Ryan Knuckles President Pro Tempore for the January 2023 Board of Education Organizational Meeting.

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

2022-274 **Upon Motion** by Mr. Knuckles and seconded by Mr. Kvochick, the Board adjourned from Regular Session at 7:51 PM.

The vote was:	Mr. Knuckles	Yes	Mr. Gonzalez	Yes
	Mr. Kvochick	Yes	Mrs. Koti Epperson	Yes
	Mrs. Lori McKee	Yes		

Lori McKee, Board President

Jon Mason, Treasurer