

LAMPETER-STRASBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT
Lampeter, Pennsylvania 17537

October 1, 2018

A G E N D A

Meeting Called to Order

Introduction of Guests

Opportunity for Public Comment regarding Agenda Items

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings

Communications and Recognition

Treasurer's Report – Mr. Keith A. Stoltzfus

Academic Committee – Mrs. Patricia M. Pontz, Chairperson

Buildings and Grounds Committee – Mr. David J. Beiler, Chairperson

Board of Review Committee – Mrs. Melissa S. Herr, Chairperson

Finance Committee – Mr. Scott J. Kimmel, Chairperson

Personnel Committee – Mr. Scott M. Arnst, Chairperson

Federal Programs – Dr. Andrew M. Godfrey, Representative

Liaison Reports

Student Representatives – Mr. Pierson Castor, Ms. Julia Smecker

Superintendent's Report

Old Business

New Business

Opportunity for Public Comment

Adjournment

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LAMPETER-STRASBURG HIGH SCHOOL – Dr. Benjamin J. Feeney, Principal

A. AP TEST RESULTS

Students scoring a grade of three or higher on the five-point scale may be granted three or more credits or advanced placement in the curriculum by various colleges and universities.

1. AP English Literature and Composition Exam Results

Fifteen members of the Advanced Placement English Literature and Composition course took the College Board AP exam this past May. The College Board reported the following results:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	2
4	5
3	3
2	5
1	0

2. AP Calculus AB Exam Results

Of the students enrolled in the AP Calculus AB course this past year, 57 chose to take the Advanced Placement exam. The following results reflect their efforts:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	26
4	22
3	8
2	1
1	0

3. AP Calculus BC Exam Results

Ten students chose to take the AP Calculus BC exam. Six students earned a 5 and four students earned a 4 on the exam.

4. AP Computer Science A Exam Results

No students challenged this exam this year.

5. AP Statistics Exam Results

Thirty-eight students took the AP Statistics exam.

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	5
4	11
3	12
2	9
1	1

6. AP Biology Exam Results

Of the students enrolled in the AP Biology course this past year, eight students chose to take the Advanced Placement exam. The following results reflect their efforts:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	2
4	3
3	2
2	1
1	0

7. AP Chemistry Exam Results

Twenty students participated in the AP Chemistry examination last spring. The results are as follows:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	4
4	3
3	10
2	3
1	0

8. AP Physics I Exam Results

Fourteen students participated in the AP Physics I examination. The results are as follows:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	4
4	5
3	4
2	0
1	1

9. AP Physics C: Mechanics Exam Results

Three students challenged the AP Physics C: Mechanics exam this year. The results were as follows:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	0
4	1
3	1
2	1
1	0

10. AP European History Exam Results

Twelve students challenged the AP European History exam this year and earned the following scores:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	3
4	8
3	1
2	0
1	0

11. AP Macroeconomics Exam Results

One student challenged this exam and earned a score of 3.

12. AP Microeconomics Exam Results

No students challenged this exam this year.

13. AP Psychology Exam Results

Twenty students participated in the AP Psychology examination last spring. The results are as follows:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	2
4	5
3	8
2	3
1	2

14. AP U.S. Government and Politics Exam Results

Sixteen students participated in the AP U.S. Government and Politics examination last spring. The results are as follows:

<u>SCORE</u>	<u>L-S STUDENTS</u>
5	4
4	1
3	9
2	2
1	0

15. AP U.S. History Exam Results

No students challenged this exam this year.

16. AP World History Exam Results

No students challenged this exam this year.

17. AP Art History Exam Results

One student challenged this exam and earned a score of 3.

18. AP Environmental Science Results

No students challenged this exam this year.

B. AEVIDUM

Aevium is pleased to report there will be two new dogs joining our schools. Both elementary schools will be the recipients of these Facility Dogs in mid-October, with training beginning the first week in October. These Facility Dogs will be a welcome addition to assist our students.

C. ASIAN CULTURE CLUB

The Asian Culture Club has a busy schedule for the first few months of the new academic year. We are cheering on our Fair Queen candidate, Lexy Campbell, for the Fair season.

On October 5, 2018, we will be hosting a Friday Fun Night for children enrolled at Lampeter and Hans Herr Elementary Schools here at the high school. We will provide games, activities, snacks, and plenty of fun. Proceeds from the event will be used to host a club field trip we are planning to the Freer Gallery of Art, a premiere Asian art museum, at the Smithsonian in Washington, D.C.

On October 15, 2018, we will continue to help with childcare for a parent meeting at Lampeter Elementary School by offering games and henna tattoos for the children.

D. ATHLETICS: 2018 FALL SPORTS PARTICIPATION

	<u>7th</u>	<u>8th</u>	<u>9th</u>	<u>10th</u>	<u>11th</u>	<u>12th</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cross Country	16	17	22	15	13	12	95
Cheerleading	4	1	3	8	3	6	25
Field Hockey	8	19	5	4	12	7	55
Football	1	4	15	25	15	16	76
Golf	--	--	3	3	2	3	11
Boys Soccer	20	20	12	12	13	4	81

Girls Soccer	10	14	9	9	9	10	61
Girls Tennis	--	--	5	9	9	6	29
Volleyball	--	--	9	5	7	5	26
Total:	<u>59</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>90</u>	<u>83</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>459</u>

This is a decrease of 11 students from the 2017 fall season.

E. FCS

Fellowship of Christian Students began meeting on September 5, 2018, with a morning of worship and an introduction to our officers. Eric Herr, the youth pastor at Willow Street Mennonite Church, spoke on September 12, 2018, and introduced our theme: "Tribe – working together as one body in Christ." We look forward to promoting a t-shirt with the same theme, and in mid-October, we plan to support the collection of shoeboxes with gifts inside for Operation Christmas Child.

F. GUIDANCE

An open house for incoming ninth graders and new entry students was held on August 16, 2018, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Approximately 180 students attended the event. The event included a club and activity fair.

Eleven college representatives scheduled visits to the Guidance Office during the month of September to meet with interested juniors and seniors.

The PSAT/NMSQT will be administered to college-bound freshmen, sophomores, and juniors on Saturday, October 13, 2018, at Lampeter-Strasburg High School.

During the month of August, counselors held a large group meeting for twelfth grade students on topics relating to career and post-secondary planning/preparation.

G. INTERACT CLUB

The Interact Club is off to an amazing start of the 2018-2019 school year. There were 25 students who helped guide the incoming freshman at the Club and Activity Fair in August. Twenty students helped guide the parents for Back-to-School Night. At the first Interact Club meeting, 300 students attended to hear all about the activities the club will be doing this year. Over 200 members have signed up to help at the West Lampeter Fair booths.

Kym Kouterick will be representing the Interact Club in the Fair Queen competition.

The club will be helping the Lampeter-Strasburg Woman's Club with their Bingo fundraiser in October.

This year the club will be doing a Mission trip to the Dominican Republic in April to help students in a local village.

The Interact Club will be sponsoring the Chick-Fil-A Leadership Club, which helps develop leadership skills in students. They have 30 students signed up at this time to work with the Chick-Fil- A on Route 30.

The officers for this year's Interact Club are as follows:

Co- Presidents	Kym Kouterick and Alyssa Stillwell
Vice President	Bella Beiler
Secretary	Ellen Here
Co-Treasurers	Katie Herr and Brynne Baker

Lastly, the club will be participating in the Strasburg Halloween Parade.

H. LS NEWS

With less than a month of school in session, *LS News* published 10 articles yielding 8,600 web page hits. The *LS News* website has nearly 700,000-page views. *LS News'* Facebook page reached 3,300 people this month capitalizing on our 1,489 followers. Our Instagram account now has 1,193 followers. Our Twitter account has over 543 followers.

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I. LSTS

The Lampeter-Strasburg High School Thespian Society held its first meeting of the school year on August 30, 2018. Twenty-two students are participating having earned membership status. Officers serving the society this year are:

President	Logan Emmert
Vice President	Braeden Weaver
Secretary	Pierson Castor
Treasurer	Jillian Pontz

Katrina Herrera is this year's Lampeter Fair Queen candidate representing the Thespian Society. Members have offered to make signs for Katrina's parade vehicle, and other members are planning to escort her during the parade distributing candy to spectators (while also promoting this fall's production). Pierson Castor is Miss Herrera's escort.

The High School Fall Play this year is *Mousetrap*, written by Agatha Christie, produced by the Samuel French Publishing Company, and directed by Mrs. Susan Rettew. Rehearsals are well underway. A student crew has also been assisting Mr. Scott Cantrell with set construction. Mark your calendars for evening performances November 8 to 10, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center.

J. MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Pioneer marching band is excited to perform this year's show, "Voices." The band is the largest it has been since 2008 at 97 members. Many upper classmen joined the band for the first time after realizing that the new format would allow them to participate in sports and band. More than 10 percent of the band members play a fall sport, and almost half of the cast of the fall play participate in marching band. This year's performances are in the Lancaster County Marching Band Coalition Festivals at Lancaster Catholic High School on September 22, 2018, Southwest High School on October 13, 2018, and the Finale at McCaskey High School on October 27, 2018.

K. OUTDOOR CLUB / ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB

The Lampeter-Strasburg High School Outdoor/Environmental Club's goal is to enhance students' understanding and importance of preserving our natural world, while providing outdoor educational, recreational, and stewardship opportunities to students again this year. The Club advisor is Mr. Jeffrey Landis, and student officers include Johnny Franklin, Abbey Drummond, and Kelsey Kimmel. The club has planned a fun-filled weekend in early October to feature kayaking, camping, stewardship, and a deep sea fishing option. Other activities planned this year may include indoor rock wall climbing, hiking, and whitewater rafting.

L. SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB

The Ski and Snowboard Club is excited to begin its tenth year at Lampeter-Strasburg High School by offering a wide variety of winter recreational opportunities for nearly 100 students. Club co-advisors are Mr. Jeffrey Landis and Mrs. Lindsay Shehan. Student officers include Co-Presidents Caleb Bruner and Collin Strubel. Club membership continues to rebound from the record season of 2016. The club plans to visit Bear Creek on four weekends in 2019. Additional trips include a Saturday trip to Seven Springs and a trip to Blue Mountain on the "Tweeners Day" between semesters. The highlight of the season will be the annual trip to Vermont during the Presidents' Day holiday weekend and a new trip for beginners to Ski Sawmill. The club would like to thank the school administration and board members for their continued support.

M. STUDENT COUNCIL

Homecoming week will be the week of October 15 through October 20, 2018. Student Council, Varsity Club, the fall cheerleaders, and the PTO will be holding a tailgate party for all students, faculty, staff, and coaches on Thursday, October 18, 2018, from 5:00 to 6:15 p.m. At 7:00 p.m., Student Council will hold its annual Powder Puff game between the Senior girls and the Junior girls. The coronation ceremony for the Homecoming King will take place at halftime of the Powder Puff game. Admission to the game is \$3 for everyone. This is Student Council's fundraiser so no passes or spirit passes will be accepted. The coronation ceremony for the Homecoming Queen will take place during half time of the football game on Friday, October 19, 2018.

N. VARSITY CLUB

Varsity Club started the year by inducting Chad Sensenig, Lauren McHale, and the 1998 State champion relay team of Jared Schnapf, Olivier Manosane, Jeremy Osborne, and Jansen Rudy into the Hall of Fame. Club members helped to organize the event and served dessert to alumni and community members in honoring the accomplishments of these outstanding athletes. The club also has an entry in the Lampeter Fair queen contest. Hayley Phenegar will be representing us at the event. Currently, Varsity Club has 80 members on the roster, each being required to serve the athletic community, support our athletic teams, and serve the L-S community through larger events like Ryan's Race. Varsity Club will be co-hosting the tailgate party before the Homecoming Powderpuff Game, as well as serving in the concession stand as a fundraiser. The club will be looking to add elements to programs this year and is currently working with the elementary schools to help with their spring sports days.

MARTIN MEYLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL – Mr. Jamie P. Raum, Principal

A. SIXTH GRADE ORIENTATION

On August 9, 2018, at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., sixth grade students and parents attended a middle school introduction orientation program. During these sessions, 240 students and parents obtained information to assist in the transition from fifth to sixth grade. Mr. Jamie Raum, principal, Mr. Gregory Fantazzi, assistant principal, and Mrs. Margaret Lutz, guidance counselor, presented information on a variety of topics, including:

- First Day Procedures
- School Bus Guidelines
- Student Handbook
- Team Structure
- Individual Student Schedules
- Locker Assignments
- Suggestions for Homework and Home Study
- Home and School Channels of Communication
- PTO Information

Students were given sixth grade schedules, and time was provided to tour the building and locate rooms and lockers. This program was the third phase of our sixth grade orientation program:

Phase I	May evening orientation program for parents; sixth grade team leaders/counselors/administration
Phase II	May student orientation; tour of the building and meeting sixth grade teachers
Phase III	August orientation program

B. NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Students new to Martin Meylin Middle School were encouraged to attend a new student orientation in August. Two meeting times were available for parents and student convenience. Mrs. Kerri Eberly, 7th/8th grade guidance counselor was present during each session dealing with entry-level information for transition into our building and school district.

Areas covered included school policies, scheduling, academic information, introductions, building layout, new school coping skills and support, and bus information.

C. SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE SCHEDULES

Martin Meylin Middle School schedules were available on PowerSchool on August 9, 2018, and in the office for students entering seventh and eighth grades. Students had an opportunity to visit Martin Meylin Middle School before school began in August.

D. MARTIN MEYLIN PTO

The Martin Meylin Middle School PTO school year began in earnest with an officers meeting in August and a chairperson meeting in September. Our PTO will continue to make an important contribution to our students, staff, and community. Martin Meylin PTO officers are:

President	Wendy Barber
Vice President	Beth Ammon
Secretary	Nadine Echternach
Treasurer	Rose Krause

E. SIXTH GRADE BLOCK PARTY

On Friday, September 7, 2018, sixth grade students had a block party. One hundred seventy-eight students purchased tickets. Mr. Kenneth Neumann served as DJ, while Mr. Jamie Raum cooked over 100 hamburgers and 75 hot dogs. Mr. Gregory Fantazzi, Mrs. Jennifer Beers, Mrs. Margaret Lau, Mrs. Sarah Smoker, Ms. Elizabeth Henry, Mrs. Margaret Lutz, Mrs. Laura Fehrenbacher, Mrs. Laraine Scarpone, Mrs. Joellen Rowe, Mr. Charles Lambert, Mr. Brian Griffith, Mrs. Christine Willig, and Ms. Samantha Ragghianti served as chaperones. Mr. Edward Leone provided the face painting. We also had sixth grade parents help chaperone and serve food. A good time was had by all.

F. MARTIN MEYLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENTS' NIGHT

Martin Meylin held its fourth sixth, seventh, and eighth grade parents' night on Tuesday, September 11, 2018. Parents followed their child's Day 1 schedule.

From 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Creative Arts teachers were in the gymnasium for the Creative Arts Fair. Once again, attendance was high and there were many positive remarks by the staff and the parents.

G. STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

The following students were chosen by their team teachers as Students of the Month for September. Students were selected in the category "Back to School and Ready to Learn."

6 Bears

Truman Horst
Connor Kouterick
Bailey Melendez
Emma Williams

6 Falcon

Kaitlin Churchill
Calandra Reynolds
Drea Rice
Saaketh Vemuri

7 Lion

Jada Dillman
Aiden Flory
Katelyn Pope
Bennett Wehibe

7 Sharks

Rebekah DeJesus
Jeimy Elvira-Paredes
Julian Eves
Emily Lapinsky

8 Kings

Landon Coronado
Katherine Helm
Cora Hudson
Matthew Logan

8 Owls

Kurt Kessler
Ethan Poley
Marissa Puleo
Ally Raub

Pioneer Pride Student

7 Lion - Josiah Shimp

H. UPCOMING EVENTS

October 5	Martin Meylin Middle School Fundraiser Begins
October 10	Martin Meylin Middle School Pictures
October 25	Martin Meylin Middle School Band - Strasburg Halloween Parade

LAMPETER-STRASBURG ELEMENTARY DIVISION –

Dr. William M. Bray and Dr. Jeffrey T. Smecker, Principals

A. SCHOOL BEGINS WITH OPEN HOUSES AND BUS ORIENTATION PROGRAMS

During the month of August, 2018, Lampeter Elementary School students (kindergarten through grade 2) visited their new classrooms and met their new teachers and other classmates during the Open House held at Lampeter Elementary School. Kindergarten programs included a time for each child to become familiar with the various learning centers and components of a kindergarten day through a self-guided learning activity with their parents. First and second graders also visited their new classrooms at that time.

Mr. Jeffrey Landis coordinated bus orientation programs and bus rides during the Open House. Mr. Landis talked about bus safety and rules before taking students on a short bus ride to practice safety rules. Many students were excited to take their very first school bus ride!

B. ELEMENTARY PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATIONS SUPPORT ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS

The elementary Parent Teacher Organizations in both elementary schools have initiated a full list of activities for the students. These organizations support the schools by assisting in the funding of school activities, educational field trips, and busing costs for these field trips in both of the elementary buildings. The PTOs provide classroom monies for teachers to purchase additional classroom materials and recess equipment. They also provide the funds for school assemblies, Pioneer Day, County Park trips, and Young Authors' visits. The PTOs also provide parent volunteers to help with copying, laminating, stuffing Friday folders, classroom activities and a myriad of other roles for teachers and students. The PTO officers for the 2018-2019 school year are as follows:

Hans Herr Elementary:	President	Sally Welk
	Vice President	Nikki Downing
	Secretary	Tracy White
	Treasurer	Justina Martin

Lampeter Elementary:	President	Heather Peters
	Vice President	Kristen Beiler
	Secretary	Lindsay Mazzagatti
	Treasurer	Tiffany Heil

C. BACK-TO-SCHOOL PARENT NIGHT HELD AT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

At the Lampeter Elementary School Back-to-School Night which took place on September 13, 2018, the PTO president, Mrs. Heather Peters, welcomed parents and shared the activities and upcoming events for the school year. Dr. William Bray, principal, introduced the staff members and welcomed parents. The main part of the evening involved individual classroom teachers meeting with parents to discuss the curricular programs, special activities, and student expectations for that particular grade level. As usual, this event was extremely well attended.

Dr. Jeffrey Smecker, Hans Herr Elementary School principal, met with fifth grade parents on August 23, 2018, to inform them about the 1:1 program. On September 4, 2018, Hans Herr Elementary School held a Back-to-School Night for third and fourth grades. Teachers met with parents to discuss classroom expectations and provide an overview of the grade level curriculums. Additionally, the Hans Herr Elementary School PTO welcomed parents and shared upcoming events for the 2018-2019 school year.

D. SECOND GRADE STUDENTS BEGIN SWIMMING LESSONS

All second grade students at Lampeter Elementary School are taking swimming lessons at the Lampeter-Strasburg YMCA. The students began the first cycle of the six-week program in the beginning of September. During the lessons, the students are divided into one of three levels for instruction; beginner, intermediate, or advanced. Mrs. Melissa Weaver, elementary physical education teacher, coordinates the swimming lessons.

E. HEARING SCREENINGS HELD AT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

School nurses, Mrs. Mary Vestermark and Mrs. Donna Bitler, headed teams of trained personnel who conducted hearing screenings for all students in kindergarten through third grade and selected students in grades four and five throughout the month of September. This crucial screening insures that our students are not experiencing any type of hearing impairments which may hamper their learning ability. Special thanks go to all of the hearing screeners.

F. PRIMARY STUDENTS ATTEND THE LAMPETER FAIR

Students in kindergarten through grade two visit the Lampeter Fair on September 27 and 28, 2018. Their teachers have planned guided tours of special exhibits at the Fair that include, but are not limited to the livestock, pumpkins, rabbits, plants, vegetables, quilts, farm machinery, and arts and crafts. The teachers and administrators appreciate the generosity of Shultz Transportation Company, who donate the buses, and the L-S bus drivers, who donated their time to transport the students to the Fair.

G. CLASSROOM TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION

Hans Herr Elementary School teachers have been doing a great job integrating new technology into the classroom this year. Each day, students are getting the opportunity to use DELL Chromebooks to enhance their learning experiences. The implementation of 1:1 in third, fourth, and fifth grades has been a huge success. The commitment to placing technology in the hands of students at L-S is much appreciated!

H. INCLUSIVE PRACTICES

Grade level teachers collaborated with Mrs. Teresa Fowler to include students from the Life Skills classroom into many activities in the general education setting. Students from the life skills class check into a homeroom each morning for opening activities, attend specials, and eat lunch with their peers in general education. We are very excited about this opportunity, as there are so many benefits for all of the students involved. Kudos to Mrs. Teresa Fowler, Mrs. Jessica Bledsoe, Mrs. Beth Hendrix, Mrs. Kristi Raugh, and Mr. Daniel Colvin for working together to create a safe and nurturing learning environment!

I. CO-TEACHING AT HANS HERR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Special and general education teachers have been working together last year to implement co-taught math sections at Hans Herr Elementary School. We are proud to have co-taught sections of math at each grade level. When implemented correctly, co-teaching can be extremely beneficial for ALL students in a classroom setting. Kudos to Mrs. Christi Henry, Mr. Eric Balak, Mrs. Christine Bohanan, Mrs. Megan Burkholder, Mrs. Mary Beth Gochnauer, Mrs. Holly Heyser, Mrs. Kristen Greenwood, and Mrs. Katrina Harnish for all of their hard work to ensure our implementation of co-teaching is successful. These teachers have worked hard to co-plan, co-instruct, and co-assess all students in the general education environment!

J. HYBRID LEARNING EXPANSION

Several Hans Herr Elementary School teachers have joined the hybrid learning team this year. Fifth grade teachers, Mr. David Fakolt and Mr. Matthew Hoover will be using hybrid to deliver ELA instruction. Fourth grade teacher, Mrs. Holly Heyser will be using hybrid to deliver math instruction. Third grade teachers, Mrs. Jessica Bledsoe and Mrs. Lecinda Baker will be using hybrid in their self-contained classrooms starting this year. Hans Herr Elementary School now has a total of 16 hybrid classrooms. Hybrid has had a profound impact on our instructional model at Hans Herr Elementary School, as many other teachers have been exploring with the use of a rotational model.

K. SCHOOL-WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT (SWPBIS)

Hans Herr Elementary School has entered the second year off our implementation of School-Wide Positive Behavior Support (SWPBIS). Prior to the start of the school year, Hans Herr Elementary School staff collaborated on a plan to ensure all staff members have a role in the implementation. Each month, SWPBIS committees will be working to strengthen our implementation. Teachers have been very active in identifying, teaching, modeling, practicing, and re-teaching expected behaviors. Common procedures, such as increased playground supervision and improved cafeteria routines have served as proactive measures to prevent problem behaviors. By reducing opportunities for students to misbehave, we will create more opportunities for learning!

L. HANS HERR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STORY

At the start of the year, teachers were challenged to tell the story of their classroom in 140 characters or less to help guide them and focus on what is most important. Teachers were encouraged to use their time with parents during back-to-school nights to tell their story, giving parents the opportunity to see into their classrooms. The Hans Herr Elementary School Story was also introduced as follows:

We want our students to be excited to come to school every day. We collaborate to make decisions that best support the academic growth of every child we serve.

We are excited for the opportunity to tell our story throughout the 2018-2019 school year. Thank you for your continued support of our school, our staff, and our students!

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT – Mr. William E. Griscom, Jr., Technology Director

A. 1:1 CHROMEBOOK ROLLOUT

The IT Department witnessed the culmination of a three-year plan when it rolled out approximately 2,500 1:1 Chromebooks in third to twelfth grades. We are happy to report that issues related to damage have been very low to start the year, and students have done a nice job taking care of their devices. We will continue to evaluate staffing as the year progresses, but so far the overall demands of the rollout have been adequately met with current staffing.

B. LAMPETER-STRASBURG HIGH SCHOOL DISPLAY PROJECT

The Lampeter-Strasburg High School display project is nearly complete with over 90 percent of the displays in place to start the school year. A few locations proved to be extra challenging because of room configurations and lighting. The projectors that were already in place were left in place so teachers still had a projector to start the school year. We will be looking at different solutions for these six classrooms with an installation sometime in October.

C. INNOVATION PROGRAM

The winners of our most recent innovation program are Mrs. Vicki Grenier, Mrs. Kristen Greenwood, and Mrs. Claudia Ruoff.

Mrs. Grenier and Mrs. Greenwood wrote a proposal for Dash robots and various accessories to infuse coding into third grade classrooms. Mrs. Ruoff wrote a proposal for Bloxels, which is a unique block-based system that allows students to create their own games.

We are excited to see these ideas in use and will report back later with how both are being implemented and received by students.

D. POWERTEACHER PRO

Ms. Laura Anderson completed the rollout of PowerTeacher Pro, allowing teachers to access their gradebooks on any type of device without the need for support from technology staff. This new interface is more polished and will provide a better long-term experience as the company continues to add significant enhancements. The training for this rollout was delivered through recorded videos hosted on Google Drive and proved to be an effective method especially considering the challenges associated with limited time at the beginning of the year.

E. FIELD PROJECT - IT UPGRADES

The installation of fiber from Hans Herr Elementary School to the field house and press box is complete. Both locations have been outfitted with wireless access points, phones, and security cameras. The fieldhouse also received network-based speakers that can be utilized in the event there is a need to push an emergency page across the District. The second field will have security cameras installed by mid-October.

FOR BOARD ACTION

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

1. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF RESIGNATIONS

Recommend the approval of resignations from the following individuals:

- a. Ralph E. Kurtz, part-time custodian, Hans Herr Elementary School, effective October 31, 2018.
- b. Heather D. Martin, special education assistant, Hans Herr Elementary School, retroactively effective on September 28, 2018.

2. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF EMPLOYMENT – SUPPORT

Recommend the approval of employment for the following individuals in support or non-permanent positions:

- a. Jeffrey W. Haverstick, second shift custodian, Lampeter Elementary School. Mr. Haverstick will be employed as a category A1 support employee and will be compensated at \$10.85 per hour effective on October 1, 2018.
- b. Kristie L. Nies, Title I reading assistant, Lampeter Elementary School. Ms. Nies will be employed as a category E support employee and will be compensated at \$14.79 per hour retroactively effective to September 24, 2018.
- c. Paula L. Oatman, SACC aide, Hans Herr and Lampeter Elementary Schools. Ms. Oatman will be employed as a category E support employee and will be compensated at \$10 per hour effective on October 2, 2018.

3. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Recommend the approval of a leave of absence for Lisa S. Clark, mathematics teacher, Lampeter-Strasburg High School, from on or about February 18, 2019, through on or about May 14, 2019.

4. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF CHANGE TO ADDITIONAL SALARIES

Recommend the approval of changes to additional salaries for 2018-2019 to be paid from the associated student activity fund, at no cost to the District, if funds are available, as follows:

a.	Memory D'Agostino	Yearbook Editor – Martin Meylin School Activity Fund	\$846	Deletion
b.	Brian Griffith	Yearbook Editor – Martin Meylin School Activity Fund	\$846	Addition

5. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF SUBSTITUTES

Recommend the approval of substitutes in their respective capacities, as follows:

Certified Substitutes

Burger-Shirk, Alicia P.	Elementary (K-6)
Koutsavlis, Kelly L.	Industrial Arts/Technology Education
Neuman, Jill L.	Elementary (K-6)
Nies, Kristie L.	Elementary
Nisula, Kelsey B.	Elementary (PK-4), Elementary (4-8) - All Subjects (4-6), ELA, Reading, Mathematics (7-8), Special Education (PK-8)

Emergency Certified Substitutes

Ammon, Elizabeth A.	All Subject Areas
De Biasi, James C.	All Subject Areas
Hilliard, Mackenzie P.	All Subject Areas
Lambros, Michelle M.	All Subject Areas
Lopez, Julian D.	All Subject Areas
Noel Melanie E.	All Subject Areas
Rhine, Kimberly K.	All Subject Areas

Support Substitutes

Bender, Karen R.
Niemeyer, Jennifer M.
Nies, Kristie L.
Raugh, Keri A.
Swarr, Hannah M.
Thompson, Lynne J.

6. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF VOLUNTEERS

Recommend the approval of volunteers, as follows:

Crellin, Barbara H.
Jennings, Corrine C.
Spahr, Christopher M.

7. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF SALARIES

Recommend the approval of salaries, as posted.

BUSINESS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

8. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF CONSULTING CONTRACT WITH EDUCATOR ASSIST CONSULTANTS, LLC

Recommend the approval of a contract with Educator Assist Consultants, LLC, for \$18 per hour for the provision of DIBELS testing, kindergarten testing, and consulting services, as posted.

ACADEMIC COMMITTEE

9. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF COURSE CURRICULUM

Recommend the approval of course curriculum for Advanced Mechanics:507EL as posted in the Academic Committee supporting documents folder.

10. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF COMMUNITY BOARD REPRESENTATION

Recommend the approval of Mr. John Strange as a Community Board Representative for Academic Committee for the 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 school years, as posted.

MISCELLANEOUS

11. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL OF LCCTC AUTHORITY BOARD MEMBER

Recommend the approval of Martin J. Smith to serve as Chairman of Lancaster County Career and Technology Authority Board for a five-year term from January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2023.

FOR BOARD INFORMATION

1. The Academic Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room of the Administration Building on Tuesday evening, October 9, 2018.
2. The Buildings and Grounds Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room of the Administration Building on Monday evening, October 15, 2018.
3. The Board Workshop Meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room of the Administration Building on Monday evening, October 15, 2018.
4. The Ministerium Breakfast will be held from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. in the Lampeter-Strasburg High School cafeteria on Thursday, November 1, 2018.
5. The Personnel Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Administration Building on Monday evening, November 5, 2018.
6. The next Board Meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room of the Administration Building on Monday evening, November 5, 2018.