4061 Creek Road Youngstown, NY 14174

OUR MISSION One Purpose. Your Pathway. Our Promise. OUR VISION

Our **PURPOSE** is to ensure that when students leave Lewiston-Porter they will be ready to face the world with confidence in themselves and what they can contribute. While students are here they will be challenged to grow along their **PATHWAY** and discover their personal best because we **PROMISE** to give them our best.

Regular Board of Education Meeting DRAFT MINUTES

February 26, 2024, 6:00 pm Boardroom, Community Resource Center

Board of Education:

President, Danielle M. Mullen (2023-2025)
Vice President, Julie Donnelley (2021-2024)
Chuck Barber (2022-2025)
Jennifer A. Klemick (2021-2024)
Joseph J. Palermo (2023-2026)
April Saks (2022-2025)
Jack G. Waugaman III (2023-2026)

Superintendent: Paul J. Casseri Interim Asst. Supt. for Admin. Svcs: Scott M. Hoot District Clerk: Marisa I. Barile

	CALL TO ORDER						
Call to Order	The Board President called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.						
Acceptance of Agenda	Approved, CARRIED, 7-0						
Community Comments	No community comments.						
	COMMITTEE & BOARD REPORTS						
Upcoming Committee Meetings	02/28/24 Facilities Review Committee	J. Palermo, J. Donnelley					
	02/28/24, Fine Arts Council	J. Donnelley, A. Saks, J. Waugaman					
	03/01/24, Policy Review Committee	J. Klemick, D. Mullen, J. Waugaman					
	03/04/24, Work Session/Budget Workshop						
	03/06/24, Finance Review Committee	C. Barber, D. Mullen					
	03/13/24, Health & Wellness Committee	J. Donnelley, J. Palermo					

	03/13/24, O/N BOCES Board Meeting	D. Mullen
		D. Manen
Committee Reports	03/18/24, Regular Board Meeting 02/16/24, Communication Committee	A. Saks, C. Barber, D. Mullen
Administrative Reports	Administrative Reports (PEC, HS reports submitted) Intermediate Education Principal – Monthly Calendar Middle School Principal – Monthly Calendar Interim Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services Superintendent	Dr. Vantine Mr. Auer Mr. Hoot Mr. Casseri
	PRESENTATIONS/RECOGNITIONS	
Recognition	Ms. Rachel Smith, National Board Certification	Mr. Casseri
Grant/Donation	Presentation of the Illuminarium Inc. and the Newell - Renaud Family grant/donation in aid to support the Lewiston-Porter World Language/Chinese Language Program.	Mr. Renaud Mr. Newell
	BOARD OF EDUCATION INFORMATION	
Board Member Comments		Mr. Waugaman Mr. Barber Ms. Klemick Mr. Palermo Ms. Saks
		Ms. Donnelley Ms. Mullen
Recess	A short recess was taken from 7:01 pm to 7:15 pm to recognize the accomplishments of the students and staff.	
	DISTRICT OPERATIONS	
Minutes	RESOLVED, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education approve the Minutes from the January 22, 2024 Regular Board Meeting, as submitted by the District Clerk. Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Barber to approve M-1.	M-1 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0
Minutes	RESOLVED, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education approve the Minutes from the February 12, 2024, Regular, Work Session and Budget Workshop Meeting, as submitted by the District Clerk. Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Klemick to approve M-2.	M-2 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0

Consent Agenda for Financial Operations	RESOLVED, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education approve the following, Items NF-1, NF-3, NF-4 and NF-5, in the financial consent agenda as submitted by the Administration: Budget Status Reports Claims Transfer History Transfers Pending Board Approval Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Saks to approve NF-1, NF-3, NF-4 and NF-5.	NF-1 NF-3 NF-4 NF-5 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			
	OLD BUSINESS				
Approval of the Illuminarium Inc. Donation/Grant	rium Inc. School District hereby accepts the donation/grant in aid from Illuminarium				
	NEW BUSINESS - ADMINISTRATION				
Policy Revision Acceptance of the First Reading	RESOLVED, at the first reading, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education Accept the following policies; Policy 3280, Use of School Facilities, Materials and Equipment Policy 6110, Code of Ethics for Board Members and All District Personnel Policy 6111, Testing Misconduct and Mandatory Reporting Requirements Policy 6120, Equal Employment Opportunity Policy 6130, Evaluation of Personnel Policy 6213, Incidental Teaching Policy 7530, Child Abuse and Maltreatment Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Waugaman to approve NA-1.	NA-1 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			
Policy Revision Acceptance of the Second Reading	RESOLVED, at the second reading, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education accept the following policies; Policy 7440, Student Voter Registration and Pre-Registration Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Barber to approve NA-2.	NA-2 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			
Policy Deletion Acceptance of the Second Reading	RESOLVED, at the second reading, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education delete Policy 5574, Medicaid Compliance Program. Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Waugaman to approve NA-3.	NA-3 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			
Approval of the 2024-2025 District Calendar	RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education approve the 2024-2025 School Calendar. Motion made by Mullen, seconded by Barber to approve NA-4.	NA-4 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			

		PUPIL	. PERSONNEL		
Recommendations for CSE Placement and Amendments	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-P and amendments of authorization of fundervices consistent School Year 2023-11/27/23, 11/28/23, 12/18/23, 12/18/23, 12/19/23, 01/16/24, 01/17/24, 01/26/24, 01/29/24, 02/07/24, 02/08/24, Motion made by M	NP-1 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0			
Recommendations for CPSE Placement and Amendments	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-P and amendments of approve the authority programs and servity following: School Y 12/19/23, 01/17/24, Motion made by M	mendations cation and ducation s for the	NP-2 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0		
		PERSONNEL	- CONSENT AGENDA		
		PRI, PRNI, PR	ed by Barber to approve the RA, PLI, PLNI, PAPIP, PAI, LT		Approved, CARRIED, 7-0
Resignations/ Rescissions -		orter Board of	dation of the Superintendent Education accept the conse		
	Name	Date	Tenure	Reason	PRI
Instructional	Selina lozzo	2/09/2024	Elementary	Resignation	
	Kaitlin Collins	2/09/2024	Building-based Sub (PEC)	Resignation	
	Sara Jackson	1/29/2024	LTS Social Worker	Resignation	
	Terri Faut	6/30/2024	Library/Media Specialist	Retirement	
	Joy Khatib	6/30/2024	Elementary	Retirement	
	Paul Moskaluk	6/30/2024	Social Studies	Retirement	
	Michelle Riehler	6/30/2024	Art	Retirement	
	Denis Scinta	6/30/2024	Mathematics	Retirement	

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	Name	Date		Position		Reason	
	Jenna Szalay	1/25/	2024	Cleaner	(IEC)	Resignation	
	Angela Muto	2/02/	2024	Sr. Typist (High School)		Termination	
Non-Instructional	Marjorie Hurley	6/30/	2024	Occupati	onal Therapist	Retirement	PRNI
	Beth Bock	6/30/	2024	Sr. Typis	t	Retirement	
	Name	Date)	Position		Reason	
	Derek Tracy	1/25	/2024	Baseball	JV Head Coach	Resignation	
	Nicholas Carlo	2/21/	/2024	Baseball \	V Asst. Coach	Resignation	
<u>Athletics</u>	Richard Lindame	2/02	/2024	Boys Trac	ck JV Head Coad	h Resignation	PRA
	Kyle McGlynn	2/21/	/2024	Boys Trac	ck V Asst. Coach	Resignation	
Leaves -	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-Funpaid leaves of A	Porter Bo					
	Name	Date			Tenure	Reason	PLI
Instructional	Danielle Kudela	10/30/2	2023 - 2	2/02/2024*	Social Worker	Child-rearing	
	*amended return d	ate					
	Name	Date)		Position	Reason	PLNI
	Richard Kohler	2/23	/2024-2	2/29/2024	Cleaner	Personal	
Non-Instructional	Samantha Pearso	on 2/12	/2024-2	2/16/2024	Teacher Aide	Personal	
	Sherilynn Zeitz		mittent /2024-6	leave 6/30/2024	Teacher Aide	Personal	
Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education accept the consent agenda for permanent classified Non-Instructional Appointments, upon the successful completion of the probationary period in accordance with Civil Service Law Section 97 and Local Rule XIII, subdivision 5.						PANIP
	Name:		Justin	Higner			
Non-Instructional Permanent	Placement:		Distric	et			
Appointment	Position:		Clean	er			

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	Effective:	January 30, 2024	
	Appointment Type:	Permanent	
	Probationary Period:	July 31/2023 - January 29, 2024	
	Name:	Nicholas Wright	
	Placement:	Buildings & Grounds	
	Position:	Grounds	
	Effective:	2/13/2024	
	Appointment Type:	Permanent	
	Probationary Period:	8/14/2023 - 2/12/2024	
	Instructional and Long-Ter tentative and conditional of Except to the extent require Education Law. In order to composite or overall annual Section 3012-c and/or 301 effective in at least three (in principal/teacher receives)	of Education accept the consent agenda for m appointments. The probationary expiration date is nly (unless extended in accordance with the law). ed by the applicable provisions of Section 3012 of the begranted tenure the principal/teacher must receive all professional performance review ratings pursuant to 2-d of the Education Law of either effective or highly 3) of the four (4) preceding years, and if the an ineffective composite or overall rating in the final eriod the teacher shall not be eligible for tenure at that	
	Name:		
		Kaitlin Collins	
Instructional	Placement:	Raitlin Collins Primary Education Center	
Instructional	Placement: Position:		
Instructional		Primary Education Center	
Instructional	Position:	Primary Education Center Elementary	
Instructional	Position: Effective:	Primary Education Center Elementary 2/12/2024	
Instructional	Position: Effective: Probationary Period:	Primary Education Center Elementary 2/12/2024 2/12/2024 - 2/11/2028	
Instructional	Position: Effective: Probationary Period: Tenure Area:	Primary Education Center Elementary 2/12/2024 2/12/2024 - 2/11/2028 Elementary	
Instructional	Position: Effective: Probationary Period: Tenure Area: Certification:	Primary Education Center Elementary 2/12/2024 2/12/2024 - 2/11/2028 Elementary Childhood	

Annual Appointment -	that the Board of Edu	RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Board of Education accept the consent agenda for the following annual instructional appointments.							
Instructional	Name:	Kayla Neumann							
	Placement:	Intermediate Educational Center							
	Position:	.5 Reading/.5 Math Interventionist							
	Effective:	2/01/2024 - 6/30/2024							
	Certification:	Childhood Education, Gr. 1-6, Literacy, Birth - Gr. 6							
	Degree:	Master's*							
	Step:	2							
	Pro Rata Salary:	\$48,645.00							
	*Degree conferral/Salar	y change: Bachelor's to Master's Schedule							
Long-Term Substitute Appointments		e recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, ter Board of Education accept the consent agenda for rm appointments:							
	Name:	Whitney Vantine							
Long-Term Substitute -	Placement:	Primary Education Center, Intermediate Education Center	LTSA						
Administrative	Position:	Elementary Program Coordinator							
	Effective:	1/19/2024							
	Certification:	School District Administrator							
	Degree:	Doctorate							
	Per Diem Salary:	\$360.00							
	Name:	Randa Abu Hammad	LTSNI						
Long-term Substitute -	Placement:	St. Peter's R.C. School							
Non-Instructional	Position:	Teacher Aide							
	Effective:	1/29/2024							
	Appointment Type	: Temporary							
	Hourly Salary:	\$15.75							
	Tiouriy Galary.	ψ10.70							

Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-Non-Instructional a	Porter E	Board of E	PANI			
	Name:)'Sullivan			
Non-Instructional	Placement:	Transpo	rtation]	
	Position:	Position:					1
	Effective:		2/05/202	4			1
	Appointment Ty	pe:	Probatio	nary			1
	Probationary Pe	riod:	2/05/202	4 - 10/04/2	:024		1
	Step:		3				1
	Hourly Salary:		\$15.50]
Annual Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-I Teacher Aides/Mo duties of a Transp	Porter E nitors to	Board of E o assume	ducation a	ccept the cor	nsent agenda for pilities and	AANIT
Non-Instructional:	Name	Effe	ective	ctive Salary/Stiper		end	
Transportation Attendant	Shawn O'Sullivar	n 2/0	05/2024-6/30/2024 Base salary		/ + \$1.50/hour]	
Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon that the Lewiston-I	Porter E	Board of E	ducation a	ccept the cor		PACC
Co-Curricular &	Name	Appo	intment	Effective	ı	Hourly Rate	
Extra-Curricular	Suzanne Taylor	Teach MS M	ner Aide, Iusical	2/14/2024	4-5/18/2024	\$15.25, plus overtime as applicable	
Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education accept the consent agenda for building-based substitute appointments, without benefits, except as required by law, to be utilized on an annual basis at the discretion of the Superintendent. Services shall be at-will and at the pleasure of the Board of Education.						
Building-Based	Name:	Са	ameron Fly	nn			
Substitute	Placement:	Hiç	gh School				
	Position:	.5	Building-ba	ased Subst	tute Teacher		

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	Effective:	2/21/2024			
	Certification:	Social Studies	, 7-12		
	Degree:	Bachelor's			
	Salary:	\$90.00 per da	у		
Appointments -	RESOLVED, upon the that the Lewiston-Porte substitute appointments utilized on an as neede Services shall be at-will	r Board of Ed s, without ben d basis at the	ucation accept the con efits, except as require discretion of the Supe	sent agenda for d by law, to be rintendent.	or
	Name	Date	Certification	Per Diem Rate	
Instructional Substitutes: Certified	Cassidy Faddis	2/01/2024	Music	\$140.00	PASI
	William Quarantello	1/29/2024	Childhood Ed, 1-6	\$140.00	
	Amberlee Robertson*	1/19/2024	Social Studies, 7-12	\$140.00	
	Julia Sharpe	1/29/2024	Childhood Ed, 1-6 Students w/Disabilitie 1-6	\$140.00	
	*Change from Non-Cer	tified to Certif	ied: Issued certification	on date abov	e
	Name	Date	Position	Per Diem Rate	
<u>Instructional</u>	Sophie Lindamer	2/05/2024	Non-Certified Teache	r \$125.00	
Substitutes: Non-Certified	Elaina Page	2/01/2024	Non-Certified Teache	r \$125.00	
	Corey Zutell	2/12/2024	Non-Certified Teache	r \$125.00	
	Name	Date	Position	Hourly Rate	\neg
Non-Instructional Substitutes	Joanne Pollow	1/22/2024	Cleaner	\$15.00	PASNI
	James Newsome	1/01/2024	Cleaner	\$15.50*	
	*minimum wage increas	se (effective 1	/01/2024) adjustment		

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Appointments -	RESOLVED, up that the Lewisto Co-Curricular &	PACC					
Clinical Supervision	Clinical Supervisor	Supervised	Area	Period of	Supervisio	on Stipend	
	Sandra Yagielski	Allison Spagnolo	Speech	9/01/2023	3 - 6/30/2024	\$950.00	
Athletics Appointments -	RESOLVED, up that the Lewisto Coaching appoi	on-Porter Boar intments.					PAC
Coaching	Name	Appoint	ment		Cat./Step	Stipend	
	Nicholas Carlo Baseball JV Head Coach II-2 \$4,675.00					\$4,675.00	
	Stephen Sand	ied Softball V-3		\$2,764.00			
	Kyle McGlynn	ynn Boys Track JV Head Coach II-2 \$4,675.00					
		EXECUTIVE	SESSION	N - ADJOUI	RNMENT		
Executive Session	Motion made by Session at 7:22 person (s).						
	Motion made be Executive Ses			y Waugama	an to adjou	rn from	Approved, CARRIED, 7-0
Approval of Agreement	RESOLVED, up Education to ap presented to the Motion made b	NA-5 Approved, CARRIED, 7-0					
Adjournment	Motion made b	oy Mullen, see	conded b	y Klemick t	to adjourn t	he meeting	at Approved, CARRIED, 7-0

Marisa I. Barile, District Clerk