TULPEHOCKEN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
Work Session Board Meeting
Middle School Cafeteria
November 03, 2026
7:00 P.M.
AGENDA

Public Participation - Policy #006:
A member of the public present at a Board meeting may address the Board in accordance with law and Board policy and procedures. Presentations by members of the public are limited to a maximum of five (5) minutes per person, unless extended by majority vote of the Board.
Recording of Meeting: Any recording of this meeting must be disclosed prior to the start of the meeting.

Call to Order .....President

Pledge of Allegiance .....President

Prayer ..... Board Member

Roll Call ..... Recording Secretary

Trojan Spotlight

Active Collaborator – Mr. Hamrick
Giovanni Garcia Diaz – 12th Grade

Resilient Individual – Mrs. Tinney
Aubree East – 3rd Grade

Innovative Problem Solver – Mr. Foreman
Jezebel Cornelius – 7th Grade

Effective Communicator – Mrs. Tinney
Mrs. Andrea Kreiser – Executive Assistant to the Superintendent

Compassionate Citizen – Mr. Guers
Wyatt Barrall – 2nd Grade

I. Discussion Items

1. Superintendent's Report – Dr. Netznik

A. Sophomore Class Trip – Washington D.C. – Mrs. Jodi Patricola

B. Graduation Project Update

2. Citizen/Student Participation pertaining to Agenda items only

3. Buildings & Grounds/Technology

A. Approve the change order to Lobar Construction Services Inc. for COR -117: Costs associated with the replacement of wet ½" HD board and installation of new tapered insulation & TPO on 12 ft. x 12 ft. section of reroof area in the amount of $4,103.14.

4. Finance

5. Personnel

A. Approve the following personnel items:

a. Approve the following employment:

- **Joshua Nielson, part-time Elementary Life Skills Support Paraeducator at Bethel Elementary, at an hourly rate of $16.32 (with a $2.00 per hour position differential), effective upon receipt of all required documentation, clearances, and disclosures.**
- **Cortney Kline Kindergarten Teacher at Bethel Elementary, at a salary of $ 64,788 Step 1M effective upon receipt of all required documentation, clearances, and disclosures.**

b. Approve the following substitute classified staff/event staff for the remainder of the 2026/2027 school year:

- **Wendy Fisher Secretarial**
- **Jacob Wrigley Custodial**

c. Approve supplemental contracts for the following Coach positions for the 2026/2027 sports season.

- **Mike Glass Asst. HS Girls' Basketball Coach $1335**
- **Ken Wieczorek Assistant HS Baseball Coach $2955**

d. Approve the following volunteers for the remainder of the 2026/2027 school year:

- **Viviana Vilches** **Classroom/School Events**
- **Chad Schwartz** **Classroom**
- **Angela Rodriguez** **Field Trips**

6. Programs

7. Policy

A. Give the second reading and final approval to the following policies:

#102	Academic Standard
#105	Curriculum
#204.1	Virtual Attendance and Wellness Checks
#209	Health Examinations/Screenings
#246	School Wellness
#249	Bullying/Cyberbullying
#704	Maintenance
#803	School Calendar
#805.2	School Security Personnel
#822	Automated External Defibrillator (AED)/Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

8. Curriculum

9. Items for Board Action

A. Approve the Sophomore Class trip to Washington D.C. as presented at the November 03, 2026, board meeting.

B. Approve the contract between Tulpehocken Area School District and Tulpehocken Township Police Department for Police Services, effective January 01, 2027.

10. Transportation

11. Legislative

12. Administrative Reports

A. Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) – Mr. Foreman, Mrs. Tinney, Dr. Ericson
B. English as a Second Language (ESL) – Mr. Guers and Ms. Troutman

13. Old Business

14. New Business

15. Public Comment

16. Adjournment

An executive session will be held following adjournment to discuss personnel matters.

17. Calendar of Events

- Sunday, November 1, 2026 – Jack Frost Marching Band Parade
- Monday, November 2, 2026 – Friday, November 13, 2026 – FFA Fruit Sale
- Tuesday, November 3, 2026 - Board Work Session Meeting – Middle School Cafeteria (7:00 pm)
- Friday, November 6, 2026 - PB Veteran's Day Breakfast/Ceremony (9:00 am)
- Friday, November 6, 2026 – TPMA Fundraiser Event – HS Cafeteria (4:00 pm)
- Saturday, November 7, 2026 – S.A.T.
- Monday, November 9, 2026 – Friday, November 13, 2026 – National School Psychology Week
- Wednesday, November 11, 2026 – Annual Veteran's Day Breakfast – HS Cafeteria (9:00 am)
- Wednesday, November 11, 2026 – Penn-Bernville PTO Meeting – PB Library (4:00 pm)
- Friday, November 13, 2026 – Saturday, November 14, 2026 – Fall Play –MS/HS Auditorium (7:00)
- Monday, November 16, 2026 – Friday, November 20, 2026 - Turducken Food Drive
- Tuesday, November 17, 2026 – General Board Metting – District Office Board Room (7:00 pm)
- Friday, November 20, 2026 - First Day of Winter Sports Practice - HS
- Saturday, November 21, 2026 - Graduation Project Presentations
- Monday, November 23, 2026 – Wednesday, November 25, 2026 - Parent Conferences – **Early Dismissal for Students**
    - 11/23/2026 - Conference Times: (MS/HS 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Elementary 1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.)
    - 11/24/2026 – Conference Times: (MS/HS 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Elementary 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)
- Wednesday, November 25, 2026 - MS Turducken Bowl (12:00 - 3:00 pm)
- Thursday, November 26, 2026 -Monday, November 30, 2026 - Thanksgiving Holiday - **Schools Closed**

RIGHT-TO-KNOW REQUESTS:

- Trisha Nicholl – Charles Jones, LLC – Trenton, NJ – Monthly tax collector report for September.

- Vincent Mutolo – Argo Agent – New York, NY – Purchase orders issued by TASD from 9/4/2021 – 9/4/2026.