

NORTH BRUNSWICK TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION
Board Minutes
Wednesday, March 16, 2022
Conference Meeting, John Adams- 7:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
3. Board President, Mr. Duran Harris, called the Conference Meeting of North Brunswick Board of Education to order at 7:05 p.m. The meeting was held at John Adams in the Auditorium. This meeting of the North Brunswick Township Board of Education is being recorded and broadcast via YouTube.

On a Roll call, the following members were present: Mr. Brockman, Mr. Duran Harris, Ms. James, Ms. Keefe, Mr. Liguori, Dr. Patel, Ms.Toth, Mr. Wen and Ms. Zulick.
Absent: None

Present: Acting Superintendent, Ms. Ciarrocca and Business Administrator/Board Secretary, Ms. Hock.

4. Board President's Statement:
The New Jersey Open Public Meetings Law was enacted to ensure the right of the public to have advance notice of and to attend the meetings of public bodies, at which any business affecting their interests is discussed or acted upon. In accordance with the Open Public Meetings Law, the public notice of this meeting, which included the time, date, and location was distributed by 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 2, 2022 in the following manner:
 - a. Posted on the Bulletin Board reserved announcements in the Board Office, Old Georges Road, North Brunswick.
 - b. Mailed to the Home News Tribune, Sentinel, and the Clerk of the Township Of North Brunswick.
 - c. Delivered to the nine (9) duly elected board members.

5. **PRESENTATIONS:**

- a. Ms. Ann Kingsley, Principal of John Adams welcomed the Board, Ms. Ciarrocca, and Ms. Hock to John Adams School. She introduced her administrative staff, Mrs. Susan Stern, Director of Elementary Instruction and Mrs. Carlie Cummings, Dean. Ms. Kingsley indicated that March is both Music In Our Schools and Youth Art Month, John Adams School emphasizes the importance of both music education and visual art education.

Ms. Kingsley introduced the John Adams art and music teachers. Each teacher demonstrated what their students are learning in the specific discipline. Ms. Famiglietti, Art Teacher, showcased pieces of art that were created by 2nd grade students. Mr. Mason, Instrumental Music Teacher, led 3rd grade students in the performance of 3 musical pieces. Last, Ms. Kapusta, Vocal Music Teacher, led 2nd graders in two songs.

Ms. Kingsley summarized John Adams programs that support all students.

- Character Education
- PBIS
- Social and Emotional Learning

Ms. Ciarrocca and Mr. Duran Harris thanked Ms. Kingsley for bringing out staff and students to celebrate the arts.

6. **Open Session:**

- a. Old Business - None
- b. New Business- None
- c. Administrative Report - None
- d. Student Reports - None
- e. Committee Reports - None

7. A motion was made by Mr. Liguori and seconded by Mr. Brockman to approve the appointment of the following personnel pending state mandated certification and background check:

- a. Certified staff (salary includes \$297 Professional Development stipend):

Last Name, First Name	Position	Location	Total Annual Salary	Step/Level	Stipend(s)	Effective Date	Reason
Crerand, Joanna	English Teacher	NBTHS	\$58,337	Step A / BA	N/A	February 28, 2022	Resignation: E. Hassan

On Roll Call the results of the motion were:

Aye: Mr. Brockman, Mr. Duran Harris, Ms. James, Ms. Keefe, Mr. Liguori, Dr. Patel, Ms.Toth, Mr. Wen and Ms. Zulick.

Nay: None

Absent: None

8. **Public Session:** None

9. A motion was made by Mr. Brockman and seconded by Mr. Liguori to close the public portion of the meeting.

The results of the motion were:

Aye: Mr. Brockman, Mr. Duran Harris, Ms. James, Ms. Keefe, Mr. Liguori, Dr. Patel, Ms.Toth, Mr. Wen and Ms. Zulick.

Nay: None

Absent: None

10. **ADJOURNMENT:**

A motion was made by Ms. Keefe and seconded by Mr. Brockman that the meeting be adjourned at 7:47 p.m.

The results of the motion were:

Aye: Mr. Brockman, Mr. Duran Harris, Ms. James, Ms. Keefe, Mr. Liguori, Dr. Patel, Ms. Toth, Mr. Wen and Ms. Zulick.

Nay: None

Absent: None



Rosa Hock, Business Administrator/Board Secretary