

COPENHAGEN CENTRAL SCHOOL  
SPECIAL OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING

June 11, 2013

PRESIDENT ROBERT F. STACKEL, PRESIDING

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:  
TROY W. BUCKLEY  
KOREEN G. FREEMAN  
PRUDENCE L. KUNERT  
LYNN R. MURRAY  
ALFRED E. TOMASELLI  
KIM R. VOGT

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

OTHERS PRESENT:  
Scott N Connell, Superintendent  
Marcia A. Mundy, District Treasurer  
Laura Tousant, Interested Public

President Robert Stackel called this special official board meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. The Pledge to the Flag was said.

*Meeting called to order*

On motion of Koreen Freeman, seconded by Troy Buckley, the Board voted to approve previous minutes (*May 28, 2013 Regular Meeting*).

*Approved previous minutes*

VOTE: 7 – YES; 0 – NO

On motion of Koreen Freeman, seconded by Prudence Kunert, the Board voted to approve the following resolution:

*Approved appointment of Molly Curtis*

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Copenhagen Central School pursuant to Section 3012 of the Education Law and in compliance with part 30.3 of the Rules of the Board of Regents, upon recommendation of Scott N. Connell, Superintendent of Schools, does here by appoint MOLLY CURTIS to a full-time (1.0 FTE) three-year probationary teaching position to commence September 1, 2013, and to expire on June 30, 2016; said appointment is in the Physical Education/Health Education tenure areas; that MOLLY CURTIS holds valid New York State Physical Education Initial Certificate No. 658405121 and valid New York State Health Education Initial Certificate No. 648657121 permitting her to work as a Physical Education/Health Education teacher; and BE IT RESOLVED THAT during the 2013 – 2014 school year she will be paid \$39,235.00.

VOTE: 7 – YES; 0 – NO

On motion of Koreen Freeman, seconded by Troy Buckley, the Board voted to approve the following resolution:

*Approved appointment of Rebecca Houppert as long-term (1 year) substitute teacher*

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Copenhagen Central School, upon recommendation of Scott N. Connell, Superintendent of Schools, does here by appoint REBECCA HOUPPERT to a long-term (one-year long) substitute teacher position, tenure area: Elementary Education (Early Childhood Education, Birth – Grade 2); effective September 1, 2013, Expiration of Appointment, June 30, 2014; Certification Status: Initial Certificate, Control Number 576878111; and BE IT RESOLVED THAT during the 2013 – 2014 school year she will be paid Column 2/Step 2, + Masters - \$41,085.00.

VOTE: 7 – YES; 0 – NO

On motion of Kim Vogt, seconded by Alfred Tomaselli, the Board voted to approve Application for Use of Facilities submitted by the Town of Denmark Planning Board requesting use of Gymnasium A on July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013, between the hours of 6:30 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. for the purpose of holding a public hearing.

*Approved  
Application for  
Use of Facilities*

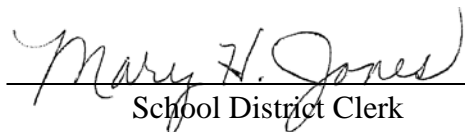
VOTE:           7 – YES;                   0 – NO

DISCUSSION:

- Word was received today that sadly, Copenhagen’s STARS grant application will not be funded. Mr. Connell and Mrs. Nevills are looking for alternatives.
- Laura Payne Bourcy is in the process of writing a Defense Grant, including Copenhagen along with other area districts.
- Marching Band – Administration sat down with Mrs. Gleason and Ms. Cross to discuss Marching Band. It was decided to not make marching band mandatory, giving other options to students such as jazz band, pep band, etc.
- Molly Curtis, the new physical education/health teacher will be here on the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of June to attend iPad training.
- Mr. Connell advised the results of the APPR Wordly Wise tests are in and 90%+ of our students have improved. Teachers will receive 17 of 20 points.
- 2013 – 2014 APPR negotiations are set to begin on June 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Mr. Connell suggested the Board’s Reorganization Meeting be held Monday, July 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m. The Board concurred.
- Mr. Connell reported some high school students leaving school in a reckless manner on June 10<sup>th</sup> in their own vehicles were ticketed by the New York State Police who happened to be in the parking lot.
- Mr. Connell will check on the wording of the District’s “student” parking permits.
- Mr. Connell asked the Board’s feelings on changing the date for the 2014 senior trip as requested by Mrs. Cathy Snyder, Director of Student Activities. The Board requested more information, i.e. implications with regard to BOCES students missing BOCES; they also wanted to know the cost to the school for substitutes for the teachers going on the senior trip. Mr. Connell will gather that information and bring it to the June meeting.

At 7:30 p.m. and on motion of Prudence Kunert, seconded by Troy Buckley, the Board voted to adjourn.

VOTE:           7 – YES;                   0 – NO;

  
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School District Clerk