

PALMYRA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
STAFF REPORTER
November 12, 2009

Approved the revised Middle School Improvement Plan for the 2009-2010 school year.

Approved the adoption of new textbook to be used in the HACC College in the Classroom Physical Science course: *Physical Science* – McGraw Hill, 2009, for the 2009-10 school year.

Approved the following Reading Recovery teachers to attend two different conferences as listed:

- a) National Reading Recovery and K-6 Classroom Literacy Conference in Columbus, Ohio from February 6 to February 8, 2010:
 - Carol Ketterer
 - Natalie Mawritz
 - Mary Brier
 - Ruth Ann Arnold
- b) Elaine Stine to attend the Mid-Atlantic Reading Recovery Conference in Gettysburg, PA from November 11 to November 13, 2009.

Approved Dr. Collene Van Noord as Superintendent of the Palmyra Area School District beginning July 1, 2010 pending contract agreement.

Approved the following professional staff items:

- a) family medical leave for two weeks for Zak Marinkov upon the birth of their second child approximately January 5, 2010.
- b) family medical leave for 12 weeks followed by parental leave for Amanda Smith beginning the middle of March, 2010 for the remainder of the 2009-10 school year.
- c) family medical leave for 12 weeks followed by parental leave for Leanne Snyder beginning in February, 2010 until the end of the 2009-2010 school year.
- d) family medical leave for Lisa Smith beginning November 5, 2009 through the end of November 2009.
- e) Jana Storm as a short-term substitute in learning support at Northside effective September 21, 2009.

Approved the following support staff items:

- a) Karin Grobbelaar as a special education long-term substitute aide.
- b) resignation of Karla Petrino, MS Office Aide, effective October 23, 2009.
- c) Jessica Smith as substitute cafeteria monitor/classroom aide.
- d) Nicole Diaz as cafeteria substitute effective October 16, 2009.
- e) Carol Britcher, permanent position as HS Dishwasher effective September 30, 2009.
- f) resignation of Charlotte Chapman, cafeteria breakfast monitor, effective October 27, 2009.
- g) resignation of Richard Dougherty, HS custodian, effective October 23, 2009.

- h) Kelly Auge, permanent position as HS kitchen helper/server effective October 26, 2009.
- i) Sherry Weaber as HS dishwasher effective October 30, 2009.

Approved the following substitute teachers for the 2009-10 school year:

Regular

Laura Major	Social Studies
Gail McFadden	Elementary
Heidi Prestidge	Elementary
Sandra Speer	Spanish
Rene Trujillo	Social Studies
Wendy Reichenbach	Health & Phys. Ed.
Elizabeth Myers	Elementary K-5
Evan Michael Van Orden	Music K-12
Kelli Plasterer	Elementary

Approved the expulsion of two tenth grade students for the remainder of the 2009-2010 school year for a second violation of the district's controlled substance policy.

Approved Amy Giniewski as freshmen class advisor for the 2009-2010 school year.

Approved Walter Smith III as Assistant Swimming Coach for the 2009-2010 school year..

Approved the following winter sports coaches for 2009-2010 at the salaries listed:

Boys Basketball

- Head Coach- Peter Conrad
- Varsity Assistant- Matthew Eicher
- Junior Varsity- Zachary Straining
- Freshmen- Mark Runkle
- 8th Grade- Jeff Wilver
- 7th Grade- Tyler Binkley

Girl's Basketball

- Head Coach- Ronald Berman
- Varsity Assistant- Abbey Kohl
- Junior Varsity- Kevin Leonard
- Freshmen- Edward Frazier
- 8th Grade- Doug Knepp
- 7th Grade- Tim Robinson

Cheerleading

- Head High School- Jennifer Deiter

Swimming

- Co-Head Coach- Laura Palanzo-Sholly
- Co-Head Coach- Cynthia Lyons

Wrestling

Head Coach- Adam Bunting

Assistant Coach- Cory Rowe

Assistant Coach- Jeremy Wampler

Head Middle School- John Lehman

Assistant Middle School- Eddie Daurenheim

Miscellaneous

Winter Weight Room Supervisor- Christopher Pope

Middle School Game Manager- Talan Conjack

Approved Craig Cope as Owner's Representative for the Lingle Avenue Elementary School project.

Approved Robert Sweitzer as Interim Buildings & Grounds Supervisor from January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011.

Approved the October 2009 lists of bills for the Construction Funds.

Approved the 2009-10 Outdoor Education budget and set the student participation rate at \$88.00.

Approved the budgetary transfers for July through September 2009.

Approved Plancon F: Construction Documents