

**JUNIATA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
Wednesday, April 11, 2018
7:00 PM WORKSHOP MEETING
Administrative Office, 146 Weatherby Way, Mifflintown**

MINUTES

A workshop meeting of the Juniata County School District Board of Directors was held Wednesday, April 11, 2018 at the District's Administrative Office Building, all members having been duly notified. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Mark Wagner.

In addition to Mr. Wagner, present were: Mrs. Angela Varner, Mrs. Heather Kelly, Mr. Danny Snyder, Mrs. Amy Wagner, Mrs. Christine Shadel, Mr. Joseph Shearer, Mrs. Christine McLaughlin, Mr. Troy Woodward, Superintendent Keith Yarger, Mr. Rich Meily, Mrs. Wendy Varner, Mrs. Christie Holderman, Mr. Benjamin Fausey, Mr. Edward Apple, Mrs. Valerie Ricedorf, Mr. Aaron Bennett, Mr. Clint Mitchell, Mrs. Jill Condo and Solicitor Scott Etter.

Mr. Wagner reported that Juniata High School's FFA banquet had been very good.

Mr. Yarger asked administrators to report on how PSSA testing was progressing, and all reported that testing was going well.

Mr. Fausey shared dates of spring events at East Juniata High School.

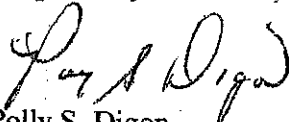
Following a performance by Tuscarora Junior High School musicians, band director/music teacher Aaron Himes gave a presentation on the curricular offerings, goals and extracurricular offerings of the district's music program, as well as upcoming performances. In response to a question from Mr. Yarger, he also explained how iPads are used in regard to music instruction.

Mr. Yarger reviewed the April 19, 2018 board meeting agenda, with a discussion ensuing in regard to a recommendation to solicit bids for replacement of a boiler at Lack-Tuscarora Elementary School. Mrs. Varner suggested considering closing Lack-Tuscarora Elementary School, and it was decided to obtain more information before acting on the suggestion. Mr. Yarger indicated that he would provide the requested information.

Mr. Yarger also indicated that he would provide information in response to Mrs. Kelly's request concerning a proposed agreement with Southern Huntingdon School District for the payment of tuition for a Juniata County School District resident to attend school in the Southern Huntingdon School District.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned and the Board entered executive session to discuss a litigation issue.

Respectfully submitted,


Polly S. Digon
Board Secretary