



CENTRAL OFFICE UPDATE

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Greetings: The LaBrae BOE held their regular monthly meeting Monday, June 14, 2021, in the Complex Auditorium, and conducted the following business:

- Approved the minutes of the May 10, 2021 Regular Board Meeting.
- Approved the May Financial Report as presented by the Treasurer.
- Approved a resolution permitting the Board to acquire goods and services through the use of an "open purchase order" which is limited to a certain purpose and the money for which is in the treasury.
- Authorized the Treasurer to transfer \$146.30 from the general fund to the cafeteria fund to retire 2020-2021 student lunch debt, and transfer the debt to student fee accounts in accordance with Board policy 8500.
- Authorized the request, pending Ohio Department of Education approval, to participate in a Summer Food Service Program offered by the Child Nutrition Division of the Ohio Department of Education.
- Accepted a two year proposal submitted by Julian & Grube to assist the LaBrae Local School District in preparing the District's basic financial statements, effective July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2023.
- Approved the following vendors for the management of LaBrae's Bureau of Workers' Compensation claims and programs:
 - ❖ Sedgwick as the authorized Managed Care Organization
 - ❖ Sheakley Uniservice, Inc. as the authorized Third Party Administrator
- Approved a shared services agreement between Mathews Local Schools and LaBrae Local Schools, effective August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2024.
- Approved the employment of Bradley S. Panak as treasurer, effective August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2024.
- Employed Madeline Crish as a 5th Grade ELA & Social Studies Teacher at LaBrae Intermediate, on a one-year limited contract, effective August 26, 2021.
- Accepted the resignation of Tiffany Bear, a classified employee, from the position of cafeteria worker, effective May 24, 2021.
- Approved the resignation of classified employee, Diana Kaster, Intermediate Custodian, due to retirement effective June 1, 2021.
- Approved the voluntary transfer of Cheryl Anderson to the Intermediate Custodian position, effective July 1, 2021.
- Approved a Family Medical Leave of Absence for a classified staff member, effective April 19, 2021 through June 13, 2021.
- Granted Jeffrey Starkey, High School Building Principal, a three-year limited administrator contract, effective from August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2024.
- Approved Margaret Kowach as a credentialed teacher evaluator under the Ohio Teacher Evaluation System, effective June 7, 2021 through June 7, 2023.
- Approved Kay Suzelis as a credentialed teacher evaluator under the Ohio Teacher Evaluation System, effective June 10, 2021 through June 10, 2023.
- Approved five additional summer days of service for John Calderwood, technology coordinator, and authorize the superintendent to grant additional days beyond five as necessary, but not to exceed 10 extra days beyond his contracted days of services.
- Approved a temporary increase in the summer custodian summer rate of pay to \$12.00 per hour, effective May 31, 2021 through August 30, 2021.
- Approved Terri Gorrell and Pauline Stone, who are classified employees, for summer help, on an as needed basis, per the current negotiated agreement with OAPSE Local 278.



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- Adopted the following handbooks for the 2021-2022 school year:
 - ❖ Bascom Elementary School
 - ❖ LaBrae Intermediate School
 - ❖ LaBrae Middle School
- Approved academic supplemental positions for the 2021-2022 school year.
- Approved payment to the LPDC committee members and the recording secretary who are eligible for four (4) meeting dates after school hours for the 2020-2021 school year.
- Approved the renewal of the District's Athletic Insurance Policy with S3 Direct Insurance Services, Plan 3 in the amount of \$9,100.00 for the 2021-2022 policy period.
- Approved Student Protective Agency as the agency to service LaBrae families, on a voluntary basis, for student accident coverage during the 2021-2022 school year.
- Approved a following resolution authorizing 2021-2022 membership in Ohio High School Athletic Association.
- Acknowledged and accepted the following donations to LaBrae Local Schools:

Donation From	Donation For	Donation Amount
Ruth Groff	Food Pantry - In Memory of Howard Wilson	\$100.00
Lisa Shesko	Food Pantry - In Memory of Howard Wilson	\$100.00
Margaret Wilson	Food Pantry - In Memory of Howard Wilson	\$50.00
Marion Anderson	Food Pantry - In Memory of Howard Wilson	\$35.00

- Approved a Special Board Meeting to be held on June 29, 2021, at 8:00 a.m. in the Board Office to approve fiscal year-end transactions
- Moved to enter into executive session to discuss employment of personnel and collective bargaining.
- Approved the Memorandum of Understanding with the LaBrae Teachers' Association on salary reopener for 2021-2022.

The Administration would like to thank our entire staff, both certified and classified, along with all the parents/guardians, for their assistance and cooperation in making the 2020-2021 school year a huge success. Our students would not have been able to complete this school year without all of your help and dedication.



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