



# CENTRAL OFFICE UPDATE

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Greetings: The LaBrae BOE held their regular monthly meeting Monday, June 8, 2026, in the Complex Band Room, and conducted the following business:

- Approved the minutes of the May 11, 2026 Regular Board Meeting.
- Approved the May Financial Report as presented by the Treasurer.
- Approved resolution regarding real estate tax advancement.
- Approved a resolution authorizing the Board of Education to enter into a cooperative transportation agreement with the Trumbull County Educational Service Center and Community Bus Services, Inc. for the transportation of disabled students attending cooperative special education classrooms out-of-district in Trumbull County, effective July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027.
- 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 \$5,869.54 from the general fund to the cafeteria fund to retire 2025-2026 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.
- Approved the purchase of equipment and install labor for the Bascom Playground Project from GameTime, in the amount of \$278,372.66, per LaBrae's membership in OMNIA Partners, membership no. 4047540.
- Accepted the resignation of Stacey Biery, classified staff member, as the Bascom Library Aide.
- Accepted the resignation of Stacey Biery as the Boys' Soccer Administrative Athletic Event Manager.
- Accepted the resignation of Stacey Biery as a Bounce Into Bascom classroom aide.
- Accepted the resignation of Jason Diaz, classified staff member, as K-5 School Counselor.
- Accepted the resignation of Regan Shanower as Intermediate School Challenge 24 Supplemental position.
- Approved Bethany Prater, classified staff member, for summer work in the cafeteria, in accordance with Article X of the negotiated agreement with OAPSE Local 278.
- Approved the employment of Lisa Marsco as the LaBrae High School Principal's Secretary, a classified position, effective for the 2026-2027 school year.
- Approved the employment of Tiffany Steele as a classroom aide for the 2026 Bounce Into Bascom program.
- Approved the voluntary transfer of Regan Shanower, certified staff member, to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies at the LaBrae Middle School, effective for the 2026-2027 school year.
- Approved the following individuals as certified teachers on a one-year limited contract, effective for the 2026-2027 school year:
  - ❖ Julian Davis II – Middle School Instrumental Music
  - ❖ Chelsea Hood – Intermediate School Title One Teacher
  - ❖ Daniel Horacek – Middle School Interventionalist
  - ❖ Cheyanne Yoho – High School Spanish Teacher
- Approved the classified administrative contact for Carole Misinay, effective July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2029.
- Approved a three-year limited administrative contract for John Calderwood as the Technology Operations Coordinator, effective July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2029.
- Approved a three-year limited administrative contract for Todd Rowe as Principal at LaBrae Middle School, effective August 1, 2026 – July 31, 2029.
- Approved a three-year limited administrative contract for Amy Frederick as the Director of Pupil Services, effective August 1, 2026 – July 31, 2029.
- Approved Nicolette Hoffman and Kyle Bailey, as transportation drivers, as needed based on seniority, for students participating in the summer intervention program, Bounce into Bascom.



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- Approved the following supplemental positions for the 2026-2027 school year:
  - ❖ Julian Davis II – Assistant Marching Band Director / Summer Duties
  - ❖ Julian Davis II – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Band
  - ❖ Julian Davis II – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Band
  - ❖ Julian Davis II – 7/8 Grade Band
  - ❖ Sam Balest – Football – Varsity – Volunteer
- Approved the following head coach supplemental positions for the 2026-2027 school year:
  - ❖ Grace Barnhart – Cross Country
  - ❖ Elijah Whiteside – Basketball – Varsity Boys
- Approved payment to the LPDC committee members, who are eligible for four (4) meeting dates after school hours, and the recording secretary, who is eligible for three (3) meeting dates after school hours, for the 2025-2026 school year.
- Approved additional academic supplemental positions for the 2025-2026 school year.
- Approved Jodi Pleacher on a one-year administrative supplemental for the 2026-2027 school year as the HS Boys Soccer Athletic Events Manager.
- Ratified the negotiated agreement with the LaBrae Teachers Association, effective August 29, 2026 through August 28, 2029.
- Approved the initial, and only reading, and subsequent adoption of LaBrae Board of Education Policy 7540.09 – Artificial Intelligence
- Approved the sale of a used Chromebook.
- Acknowledged and accepted the following donations:

<u>Donation From</u>	<u>Donation For</u>	<u>Donation Amount</u>
Woodford Excavating	Bascom Playground	\$ 100,000.00
AMVETS Post 112	Bascom Playground	\$ 2,000.00
Tim & Janice Gibson	Bascom Playground	\$ 200.00
Gregory Barnhart	LHS Band	\$ 30.00

- Approved a Special Board Meeting to be held on June 24, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Office to approve fiscal year-end transactions and employment of personnel.
- Entered into executive session to discuss discipline of an employee.

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 2025-2026 school year a huge success. Our students would not have been able to complete this school year without all of your help and dedication.

