

Board of Education
Nutley, New Jersey

August 25, 1980

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of the Town of Nutley, New Jersey, was held in the Board Room, 149 Chestnut Street, on Monday, August 25, 1980, at 8:00 p.m., with Mr. Louis F. Williams, President, presiding.

FLAG SALUTE:

The meeting was opened with Mr. Eisenfelder leading the Board members and citizens in the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

ROLL CALL:

The other members present at roll call were: Mr. Douglas Eisenfelder, Mr. James Murray, Mrs. Ann Rabinowitz, Mr. Gerard T. Restaino, and Mrs. Marilyn Wightman. Absent and excused: Mrs. Jacqueline Imhoff, Mr. Carl Perez and Mr. Frank V. Tangorra. Ten citizens were present.

MINUTES:

Copies of the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on July 28, 1980, at 8:45 p.m., being in the hands of each member, reading of same was dispensed. Mr. Murray moved that the minutes be approved, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz, and unanimously approved by the Board.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Mr. Ramsland presented and read the following communications:

1. A letter from the Nutley High School Parents' Council with regard to its officers elected for the 1980-1981 school year.
2. A letter from Bill Haddock, President, Nutley United Soccer Club:

"I would like to personally thank you and the other members of the Board of Education for the part you played in providing the Oval for our recent 'German Experience'.

"It was a marvelous experience in brotherhood and an educational experience that cannot be provided by textbooks.

You might also be interested in knowing that the two German boys who stayed with my family have already corresponded with 'Nutley was the best place we stayed in all of Europe and the Americas'. 'We wish we could stay forever.'

"This kind of quote should be a feather in your caps, since a quality Board of Education sets the environment that instills statements of this type.

"Again ... thanks!"

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Mr. Ramsland presented and read the following report:

"Commissioner Cocchiola has informed me that he has received official confirmation of the approval for Green Acres funding of the addition to the Margaret Avenue-DeMuro Park fieldhouse. These facilities are sorely needed in order to run a respectable girls' athletic program. We appreciate the willingness of the Town Commissioners to share with the Board of Education the cost of the matching funds.

"The high school ceiling replacement program is in the home stretch. The removal phase was completed over a week ago. Clean-up of the last section was completed last Friday. The ceiling tile installers worked Saturday and the electrician worked Sunday. It will be touch and go, but I anticipate completion on schedule. The high school offices were moved back to their own quarters on Saturday.

"Lincoln School was completely repainted this summer. With the new unit ventilators and cabinets in place, this building really looks good.

"In addition to the contract painting at Lincoln School, a considerable amount of painting was done by custodians at the other schools."

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Mr. Ramsland presented the financial report as of June 30, 1980, showing total funds available of \$11,636,358.07, contractual orders to date of \$10,749,729.88, leaving a balance of funds available of \$886,628.19.

FINANCIAL REPORT - Special Projects Account:

Mr. Ramsland presented the financial report for the Special Projects Account for the 1979-1980 school year showing a balance as of July 1, 1979 of \$1,649.42, total receipts of \$6,642.50, total disbursements of \$5,579.42, leaving a balance of \$2,712.50.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

Dr. Fadule presented and read the following report:

"Virtually the entire summer was spent interviewing candidates for various positions, in particular, the principalships and the Director of Special Services. I feel confident that all the applicants who were

recommended to the Board have been of a very high quality and that ultimately our children will be the beneficiaries.

"In addition to personnel matters we have been planning the 1980/1981 year since June and are confident that we are well prepared for the academic year. As you already know, our priorities will be the setting of standards in grades one through eight, the revising of the kindergarten curriculum, and continued analysis of our K-12 Language Arts program."

HEARING OF CITIZENS (Agenda Items Only):

None

BILLS AND MANDATORY PAYMENTS:

Mrs. Rabinowitz presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education authorizes the payment of bills and mandatory payments in the total amount of \$609,230.63 as per the attached Schedule A which have been audited by the Business Department.

REQUESTS FOR USE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS:

Mrs. Rabinowitz presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Murray, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education approves the requests for the use of school buildings and grounds (Schedule B), provided they conform to the rules and regulations set by the Board of Education.

RESCINDING APPOINTMENT - Teacher/Coach: Mr. Wayne Swarctz

Mrs. Rabinowitz presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder, and unanimously approved by the Board:

WHEREAS, the appointment of Mr. Wayne Swarctz as high school Industrial Arts teacher and as Assistant Football Coach for the 1980-1981 school year was approved by the Board of Education on June 23, 1980, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Swarctz did not accept the appointment,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the appointment of Mr. Wayne Swarctz be rescinded.

RESIGNATION - Clerk/Typist:Mrs. Dolores Porcaro

Mrs. Rabinowitz presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Wightman, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the resignation of Mrs. Dolores Porcaro, Clerk/Typist, be accepted, effective August 14, 1980.

RESIGNATION - Custodian:Mr. Thomas Pastoff

Mrs. Rabinowitz presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Murray, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the resignation of Mr. Thomas Pastoff, Head Custodian, Yantacaw School, be accepted, effective June 18, 1980.

RESIGNATION - Athletic:Mr. Joseph Affinito

Mr. Murray presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the resignation of Mr. Joseph Affinito, Assistant Baseball Coach, for the 1980-1981 school year be accepted.

TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT - Part-Time School Aides:

Mr. Murray presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder, and unanimously approved by the Board:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the employment of the following part-time school aides be terminated effective June 30, 1980:

Mrs. Margaret Amato
Mrs. Lorraine Pagiusco

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT - High School Librarian:Mrs. JoAnn Carney

Mrs. Wightman presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mrs. JoAnn Carney, high school Librarian, be authorized to work in the high school library for one week prior to the 1980-1981 school year.

APPOINTMENT - Vocal Music Coach:Mr. Raymond Kohere

Mrs. Wightman presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following assignment be approved for the 1980-1981 school year at a salary in accordance with the 1980-1981 athletic salary guide:

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Salary</u>
<u>Vocal Music</u>	Raymond Kohere	4	\$950

APPOINTMENTS - Secretarial/Clerical Substitutes:

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following secretarial/clerical substitutes be approved for the 1980-1981 school year:

Andrews, Mrs. Etta	Merrell, Mrs. Rose
Arata, Mrs. Genevieve	Morris, Mrs. Merrill
Arlotta, Mrs. Josephine	Murphy, Mrs. Jo-Ann
Basha, Mrs. Hane	Nagy, Mrs. Olga
Blank, Mrs. Jessie	Peters, Mrs. Suzanne
Brazdzionis, Mrs. Jo Anne	Petti, Mrs. Beverly
Cancellieri, Mrs. Corinne	Saporito, Mrs. Florence
Fritta, Mrs. Mary Jean	Tortoriello, Mrs. Adeline
Hopkins, Mrs. Bettina	Ucci, Mrs. Sandi
Kneser, Mrs. Kay	Verga, Mrs. Georgia
Konopka, Mrs. Ruth Ann	Vreeland, Mrs. Nancy
Kurtzman, Mrs. Harriet	Wardell, Mrs. Grace
Mancuso, Mrs. Beatrice	

APPOINTMENTS - Teacher Substitutes:

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the teacher substitutes listed on the attached Schedule C be approved for the 1980-1981 school year.

TUITION STUDENTS:

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Wightman. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following students be permitted to attend the Nutley Public Schools on a tuition basis for the 1980-1981 school year at a rate to be established by the Board of Education:

[REDACTED] Grade 7
Franklin School
Belleville, New Jersey

[REDACTED] Kindergarten
Washington School
Clifton, New Jersey

[REDACTED] Grade 9
High School
Passaic, New Jersey

APPLICATION FOR USE OF TEMPORARY CLASSROOMS

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Murray, and unanimously approved by the Board:

WHEREAS, it will be necessary to utilize certain facilities which are considered sub-standard as areas for Comp Ed, Title I, and classroom instruction,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Education requests the County Superintendent to grant permission to use the following areas as emergency facilities for the 1980-1981 school year:

Nutley High School
Room A-237 (SCE Room)

Franklin School
3rd floor stairwell room
Old Guidance Suite Room 1
Old Guidance Suite Room 2
Old Guidance Suite Room 3

Spring Garden School
Comp Ed Room - Basement level
Room B-1
Room B-2

PRICE INCREASE - School Lunch Program:

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, for the 1979-1980 school year food service expenditures exceeded revenues by more than \$16,000, and

WHEREAS, labor, utilities, and food costs are expected to continue to rise,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the charges for Type A lunches be increased as follows, effective September 1, 1980:

	<u>Students</u>	<u>Teachers</u>
K-6	From 50¢ to 60¢	From 90¢ to \$1.00
7-12	From 55¢ to 65¢	From 95¢ to \$1.05

NOTE: The last Type A lunch price increase was September 1, 1975.

APPOINTMENT - Director of Special Services:

Miss Barbara Hirsch

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. Upon being put to a roll call vote the resolution was adopted with Mr. Williams, Mr. Eisenfelder, Mr. Murray, Mrs. Rabinowitz and Mrs. Wightman voting aye and Mr. Restaino abstaining:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Miss Barbara Hirsch be appointed as Director of Special Services on Step 5 of the 1980/1981 Administrators' Salary Guide.

APPOINTMENT - Teacher:

Miss Antoinette Mattone

Mr. Eisenfelder presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Murray. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Miss Antoinette Mattone be appointed Special Education T.M.R. teacher for the 1980/1981 school year, effective September 1, 1980, at the annual salary of \$11,586.00 (B.A.-1), which is in accordance with the 1980/1981 teachers' salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Teacher:

Mrs. Mary Vopal

Mr. Murray presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mrs. Mary Vopal be appointed half-time high school mathematics teacher for the 1980/1981 school year, effective September 1, 1980, at the annual salary of \$6,525.00 (B.A.-3½), which is in accordance with the 1980/1981 teachers' salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Teacher:

Mrs. Bonnie Boyer

Mr. Murray presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mrs. Bonnie Boyer be appointed Franklin School teacher for the 1980/1981 school year, effective September 1, 1980, at the annual salary of \$12,165.00 (B.A.-2), which is in accordance with the 1980/1981 teachers' salary guide.

APPOINTMENT - Teacher:

Miss Aileen Rush

Mr. Murray presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Miss Aileen Rush be appointed elementary teacher for the 1980/1981 school year, effective September 1, 1980, at the annual salary of \$11,887.00 (B.A.+15-1), which is in accordance with the 1980/1981 teachers' salary guide.

AMENDING SALARY - Athletic:

Mrs. Christina Hanisko

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Rabinowitz. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the salary of Mrs. Christina Hanisko, Head Girls Soccer Coach for the 1980/1981 school year be changed from \$1,025.00 on Step 2 to \$1,550.00, Step 2.

APPOINTMENT - Franklin School Head Custodian:

Mr. George Giresi

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Murray. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That Mr. George Giresi currently Franklin School night foreman be appointed Franklin School Head Custodian, effective July 1, 1980, at the annual salary of \$13,955.00 (4-7½).

APPOINTMENTS - Custodians:

Mr. Restaino presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Eisenfelder. On a roll call vote the resolution was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the following be appointed night custodians for the 1980/1981 school year at annual salaries as shown below which are in accordance with the 1980/1981 custodians' salary guides.

Mr. Michael Robinson	\$10,231.00 (2-2), effective July 14, 1980
Mr. Robert Winkowski	\$10,231.00 (2-2), effective July 7, 1980

HEARING OF CITIZENS:

Mr. Donald Heerwig, 148 Lakeside Drive, asked various questions with regard to the guidance department at the high school, to which Mr. Williams replied.

OLD BUSINESS: None

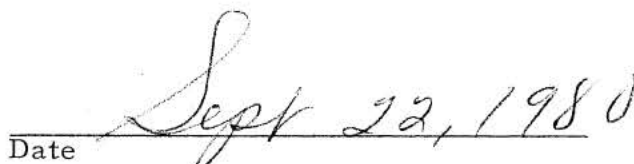
NEW BUSINESS: None

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Board, on motion made by Mrs. Rabinowitz, seconded by Mr. Murray, the meeting was adjourned at 9:40 p.m.


 President


 Secretary


 Date