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August 8, 2022- Heathsville, VA The Northumberland County Public Schools' School Board met in-person and virtually for a regular monthly meeting. The meeting was open to the public through Zoom audio conference calling and in person.

Closed Meeting Action Items

- The Board approved the After School Tutoring proposal
- The Board approved the following personnel:
 - Barbara Hays, NES Music Teacher
 - Jonathan Boarman, NMS Health & Physical Education Teacher
 - Becky Branem, Paraprofessional
 - Anaya Ball, Paraprofessional
 - Amy Fetter, Part-Time School Nutrition Worker
 - Janet Johnson, Part-Time School Nutrition Worker
 - Sandra Davis, Substitute Bus Driver/ trip driver
 - Wanda Childs, Substitute Driver
 - Sandra Lopez, Online Learning Coordinator for Spanish II from August 22, 2022- January 23, 2022, as needed
 - Michele Roberi, teach fourth block Creative Writing
 - Leah Fisher, teach second block English 11
- The Board approved Transportation Summer Washing & Sanitizing student list as presented
- The Board approved the following personnel for the 2022 Extended School Year Staff for Special Education and Student Services:
 - Stephaine Ricks, Paraprofessional
 - Kim Farmer, Teacher
 - Valorie Mundie, Teacher
 - Gabrielle Balderson, Teacher
 - Karima Jenkins, Substitute
 - Joan Walter, CNA
- The Board approved the recommendation from Jamie Sears for a full time Occupational Therapist
- The Board approved the following personnel as a substitute teacher:

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- Lewis Howard; Cheryl Heath, Jamer Keefer, Sheila Brooks, Rebecca Mundie, Anna Brennan, Dorolena Bowis, Regina Thompson, Ed Weinberg, Claire Given, Stacey Hammond, Wendy Morecock, Luther Wilson, Marlie Derby, Lindsay Rose, Marlies Derby, Stacey Gough, Annabel Bergergon, Alexis Wormley, Kayla Harding, Kim Bullock & Amber Taylor.
- The Board approved the following supplements:
 - Division Supplements
 - Heather Cockrell, VTSS PBIS Coordinator NMS; Kim Jett, VTSS PBIS Coordinator NMS; Cindy VanGuilder, Mentoring Program; Bonnie Swann, Extra Duties- Substitute Manager NES; Tracey Harding, Extra Duties- Substitute Manager NMS; Yvonne Woolard, Extra Duties- Substitute Manager NHS; Michelle Gordon, Sub Teacher Facilitator; Kesley Carlton, VTSS PBIS Coordinator NES; Laurie Maupin, VTSS PBIS Coordinator NES; Tammy Fulford, Mentoring Program; Leah Fisher, Mentoring Program; Jay Lightfoot, CTE Coordinator
 - ATAG
 - ARROW Grade K-3, Michelle Jackson; ARROW Grade 4-5, Becky Crowther; Art Gifted (NES), Susan Lewis; Future Problem Solvers NMS, Michelle Jennings; Future Problem Solvers NHS, Michelle Jennings; Scenario Writers, NMS Leah Fisher; Scenario Writers, NHS Leah Fisher; Robotics/Legos/Coding/Programming, Heather Smith; NMS SeaPerch, Katie Wilkins; Art Talented (6-12), Katrina Perez; NCPS Coordinator of Stem Programming, Gary Dickens; NHS Robotics Team Sponsor, Gary Dickens
 - SPED
 - Angela Ellis, Eligibility Coordinator; Tammy Wilkins, Fall Greenhouse; Jessica Rogers, Child Study Chairperson K-8; Kim Farmer, CPI Restraint/ Seclusion Trainer; Valorie Mundie, Teacher of Student with Intensive Needs; Casey Thrift, Teacher of Student with Intensive Needs; Stephaine Ricks, Parpro for Students with Intensive Needs; Becky Branam, Parpro for Students with Intensive needs
 - NES Supplements
 - Sue Swift, Summer Reading; Susan Bates, Annual Sponsor- NES Yearbook; Susan O'Bier, Extra Duties Health Service Coordinator; Many Ann Saville, Reading Partners; Sue Swift, One School One Book NES; Kelsey Carlton, Young Scholars; Sue Swift, Summer Reading NES

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- NMS Supplements
 - Stacey Lee, Summer Reading; Heather Cockrell, Co-SCA Sponsor; Ami Coyle, Co-SCA Sponsor; Krista Sisk, Junior Beta Club; Cindy Swift, Junior Beta Club; Heather Cockrell, Annual Sponsor Yearbook; Jennifer Thomas, Extra Class (French); Cindy Swift, NMS Writing Camp; April Walker, NMS Writing Camp; Stacey Lee, One School One Book; Julie White, Middle School Drama; April Walker, Middle School Asst. Drama
- NHS Supplements
 - Rachel Edwards, HOSA; Madeline Lee, Performance Band; Latasha Lee, Performance Choir; Latasha Lee, Co-Class Sponsor Junior; Shelby Brooks, Class Sponsor Senior; Jennifer Thomas, Class Sponsor Senior; Katelyn Orem, SCA Sponsor, NHS; Michelle Gordon, SCA Sponsor, NHS; Karen Baker, Senior Beta Club; Karen Baker, Yearbook; Sterling Harris, NHS Chess Club; Molly Fraizer, Flag Corps; Gary Dickens, Academic Competition; Drivers Education; Lance Reynolds, Drivers ED In Car; Keyva Parker, Drivers ED In Car; Teresa Rock, Drivers ED in Car; Nancy Burgess, Drivers ED in Car; Keyva Parker, Drivers ED Distance Learning
- Sports
- Fall volunteer coaching
 - Bridal Carter, Aric Jones, Dennis Lee & Malcolm Mothershead
- Fall Coaches
 - Victoria West- NMS Fall Cheer; Terrell Diggs- NMS Girls Basketball; Mark Harksen- NMS Golf (pending background check); Lon Patrick- NMS Soccer; Pauline Brann- Head Volleyball Coach (JV & Varsity); Rebecca Jones (NES)- Assistant Volleyball Coach (JV & Varsity); Katie Walker - Assistant Volleyball Coach (JV & Varsity)
- The Board approved Junior Cooking Club proposal

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Other Action Items

- Approval of the [2022-2023 Employee Handbook](#)
- Approval of the following donations:
 - Tavern Springs for NMS Art \$400
 - Rappahannock Concert for NMS Music Program \$500
 - Cralle Insurance for Volleyball Uniforms \$1,438.10
 - Mr. Williams Slaughter donated a treadmill with a value of \$150
 - Callao Moose Lodge donated \$ 2,827 and school supplies with an estimated value of \$1,500
- Approval of the Check Register: #75308-75514

Presentations

- [Pack the Bus- The Callao Moose Lodge Mr. Ed Rest](#)
- Back to School Updates from Principals: [NES Principal Mrs. Williams](#); [NMS Principal Mrs. Lipton](#); & [NHS Principal Dr. Travis Burns](#)
- [Transportation Overview](#)

Financial Reports

Director of Finance Jason Bellows presented the following reports:

- [August Check Register](#)
- [Director of Finance Monthly Report](#)
- [Revenue & Expenditure Reports](#)

Public Comments

There was no request for public comment.

Superintendent Reports

- [Kicking off the 2022-2023 School Year- Dr. Holly Wargo](#)
- [Instruction Report](#)
- [Preliminary Accreditation Results for NES, NMS, & NHS](#)
- [Special Education Report](#)

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Board Comments

Board member Dana O'Bier commented that the VOTECH had two teaching positions open and they were able to fill those positions which was a blessing to the TECH center.