HIGHLIGHTS – NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 2019 – SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Approved the minutes of the Workshop/Regular Board Meeting held on October 21, 2019.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

--Lynette Bobbert

--Raymond Fox & Bob Bowser

PRESENTATIONS

--Mr. Mark Turnley, CPA – Auditor Report

BOARD CONCERNS

Approved the conference and field trip requests, as presented.

Approved, as listed and upon receipt of all appropriate documentation, adding the following to the substitute list for the 2019-2020 school year: Dale Heeter, Custodian and Amber Sanders, Cafeteria; and Lily Port – Health & PE (K-12)

Approved the request from the A-C Valley High School Band Boosters to use the High School Cafeteria on Wednesday, January 29, 2020, from 3:15 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. for the purpose of distributing a fundraiser.

Approved the request from Megan Bashline/Stacey Fox, Co-Prom Advisors, to use the High School Cafeteria beginning at 6:00 P.M. on Friday, January 31, 2020 and up to and including Saturday, February 1, 2020 until 10:00 P.M. for the purpose of holding a Jr. High Semi Formal Snowflake Dance (Prom Fundraiser).

Approved the request from Megan Bashline/Stacey Fox, Co-Prom Advisors, to use the High School Gymnasium/Cafeteria beginning Wednesday, April 29, 2020 (for decorating) up to and including Saturday, May 2, 2020 until 11:00 P.M. for the purpose of holding Prom.

Approved the request from Megan Bashline/Stacey Fox, Co-Prom Advisors, to use the High School Auditorium, microphone system and spot light beginning Wednesday, April 29, 2020 (for decorating) and including Saturday, May 2, 2020 for the purpose of holding Grand March.

Retroactively approved the request from Kevin Kaufman/Chase A. Longo Memorial Scholarship Fund to use the High School Gymnasium, locker rooms and cafeteria, on Saturday, November 30, 2019, from 4:00 P.M. until 9:00 P.M., occurring annually, every Saturday following Thanksgiving, for the purpose of holding an Alumni Game/Meet the Teams Fundraiser.

Approved the request from Laura Jamison/Falcon Fellowship to use the High School Auditorium on Thursday, January 16, 2020, from 6:00 P.M. – 10:00 P.M. for the purpose of holding a community movie night showing the movie “Overcomer”.

Approved the request from Jessica Nimelli, to hold Art Club meetings in the Elementary Art Room every Thursday, beginning January 9, 2020 and ending on April 2, 2020, from 3:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. for students in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades.
Accepted the donation given by Andy Rapp/Youth Basketball Account in the amount of $924.24 to be given to the Elementary Boys’ Basketball program.

Approved to adopt a Resolution wherein A-C Valley School District will limit the tax increase to the state index of 3.6%.

Approved the request from Mike Weigle to maintain status as a volunteer coach with the Boys’ Varsity Baseball team for the 2019-2020 season.

Retroactively accepted the letter of resignation as Elementary Boys’ Basketball Coach from John Kaufman. John’s last day with the district was Monday, October 21, 2019.

Approved to advertise “in-house” for the vacated Elementary Boys’ Basketball Coach position.

Approved to hire John Kaufman as Assistant Jr. High Boys’ Basketball coach at a supplemental salary of $1,691.00.

Approved to move Deborah Fair into the vacated 3.75-hour per day cafeteria position.

Approved to advertise “in-house” for the vacated 3.0-hour per day cafeteria position.

Retroactively accepted the letter of resignation from Vicky Gates, Cafeteria worker, dated October 25, 2019. Vicky’s last day with the district was Friday, November 8, 2019.

Approved to advertise “in-house” for the vacated 3.5-hour per day cafeteria position.

Retroactively approved Rebecca Johnson as a Long-Term sub for Employee #62 beginning October 15, 2019.

Approved to advertise for a Long-Term (Grades 9 – 12) English substitute teacher.

Approved to hire Beth Pentz, as a Child Specific Aide (3.5- hours per day), upon receipt of all appropriate documentation, contingent upon a sixty (60) work day probationary period, at an hourly rate of $10.96. Upon completion of the sixty (60) work day probationary period, the hourly rate will be $11.96 per hour.

Approved to accept the letter of resignation as Business Manager from Emmy Foust dated November 4, 2019. Emmy has been employed with the district 23 years and her last day of employment will be June 30, 2020.

Approved to advertise for a Business Manager.

Approved to accept the letter of resignation as Volleyball Coach from Doug Knox. Doug was fortunate to take the Falcons to the playoffs for the past 13 years.

Approved to advertise for a Varsity Volleyball Coach.

Approved to accept the letter of resignation from Jameen Stump, Band Front Advisor, effective Monday, November 18, 2019.

Approved to advertise for a Band Front Advisor.

Approved the request from Caleb Penny to be a volunteer for the Boys’ Basketball program as well as a volunteer with the Elementary program.
Tabled for January 20, 2020 Meeting: Consideration to hire Anthony McGarvey as Elementary Boys' Basketball Coach upon receipt of all appropriate documentation at a supplemental salary of $500.50.

Approved to hire Deborah Jackson as a part-time 3 hr. per day cafeteria worker upon receipt of all appropriate documentation, contingent upon a sixty (60) work day probationary period, at an hourly rate of $13.86. Upon completion of the sixty (60) work day probationary period, the hourly rate will be $14.86.

Accepted the letter of intent to retire effective February 20, 2020 from Mitchell Overheim, Maintenance Technician.

Approved to advertise for the vacated Maintenance Technician position.

Approved to advertise for a School Psychologist.

Approved the Computer Science Course/Curriculum, for the 2020-2021 school year as presented.

Approved the 2019-2020 Allegheny-Clarion Valley School District Organizational Chart as presented.

Approved the second reading of Policy #121 FIELD TRIPS.

Approved John (Jay) Giglio as a driver for Lois Orton. All appropriate documentation has been received and an interview with the administration has been conducted.

Approved the request from Pam Myers Transportation, Inc., to add a 2014 Honda Odyssey to her fleet.

Approved Carolyn Wilson as a driver for Pam Myers Transportation, Inc., pending an interview with the administration. All other required documentation has been received.

Approved the 2019-2020 transportation contract between A-C Valley and Bobbert Busing, Inc., (Bus #2) due to the Emlenton bridge closure.

Approved the 2019-2020 transportation contract between A-C Valley and Bailey Busing Company (Bus #3) due to the Emlenton bridge closure.

Approved the 2019-2020 transportation contract between A-C Valley and Cindy Maihle (Bus #8) due to the Emlenton bridge closure.

Approved the 2019-2020 transportation contract between A-C Valley and Bailey Busing Company (Bus #16) due to the Emlenton bridge closure.

Approved Michele Eiler, as an independent van contractor (Chrysler 2010) with the district upon receipt of all appropriate documentation.

Approved Mike Eiler as a driver for Michelle Eiler. All required documents are currently on file with the district office.

Approved to remove the 4.5 mileage restriction for the Bus 2 (Bobbert) Contract.

Approved the "revised" Bus 2 (Bobbert) Contract.

Approved to end the van contract with Thompson Transport effective December 2, 2019.
Approved the 2019-2020 transportation contract between A-C Valley and Bobbert Busing, Inc., (Bus #2) due to reopening the Emlenton bridge.

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Approved to redact the JO Volleyball gymnasium schedule (Saturdays, beginning December 7, 2019 through April 25, 2020, from 8:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.) as approved at the October 21, 2019 meeting.