



Special Voting Meeting Agenda

Thursday, August 20, 2026 at 6:30 PM

**MIFFLIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
201 EIGHTH STREET, HIGHLAND PARK
LEWISTOWN, PA 17044-1197**

Mission Statement: *Educate each student to meet life's challenges.*

1. **OPENING ITEMS**

1.A. **Call To Order**

1.B. **Roll Call**

Mark R. Baker
Erin N. Barlup
Jessica E. Baumgardner
Paula R. Dickson
Brent A. Erb
R. Brian Ketchem
Rose M. Salvo
E. Terry Styers
Cody L. Wian

2. **COMMUNICATION REPORTS**

2.A. **School Board Secretary**

2.B. **School Board Members**

2.C. **Superintendent**

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Public comment at this point in the agenda should pertain only to items listed on the agenda. Please state your first and last name and the town you reside in. Comments will be limited to 5 minutes.

4. **ROLL CALL ITEMS**

4.A. **Personnel**

Approval of all personnel items listed below and on the attached personnel sheet.

4.A.1. Approval of Employee A - 08202026 for a sabbatical for restoration of health for the 26-27 school year.

5. **OTHER BUSINESS**

6. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Public comment at this point in the agenda may pertain to any district-related items. Please state your first and last name and the town you reside in. Comments will be limited to 5 minutes.

7. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

7.A. **Convene into Executive Session**

7.B. **Reconvene to Regular Session**

8. **ADJOURNMENT BY PRESIDENT**

Mifflin County School District				Meeting Date:	SVM 08/20/2026	
PERSONNEL					Updated	8/19/2026
Resignations/Retirements:						
#	NAME	POSITION	BUILDING	END DATE	REASON	
1	Pent, Allison G.	Full-Time Life Skills Support Paraprofessional	EDES	7/27/2026	Resigned - Personal Reasons	
Transfers:						
#	NAME	FROM POSITION	BUILDING	TO POSITION	BUILDING	TRANSFER DATE
Teachers						
Maintenance/Custodians						
Para Professionals/Clerical						
1	Dubler, Joseph N.	Full-Time Emotional Support Paraprofessional	MCMS	Full-Time Life Skills Support Paraprofessional	EDES	Start of the 2026-2027 School Year
2	Specht, Jessica L.	Part-Time Learning Support Paraprofessional	IVES	Full-Time Autistic Support Paraprofessional	IVES	Start of the 2026-2027 School Year
Cafeteria Staff						

New Hires:

#	NAME	POSITION	BUILDING	START DATE	SALARY	STEP
Teachers						
1	Brown, Vimarie A.	5th Grade Teacher	LIS	08/26/2026	\$51,283	Bachelors, Step 1
2	Garman, Laura M.	Traveling Computer Teacher	LIS/SMES/MCMS	08/26/2026	\$51,283	Bachelors, Step 1
3	Fisher, Autumn L.	Autistic Support Teacher	IVEC	08/26/2026	\$72,183	Masters Step 14
4	Shiring III, James W	Mathematics Teacher	MCHS	08/26/2026	\$62,083	Masters Step 9
5	Bulman, Charles D.	English Teacher	MCHS	08/26/2026	\$55,483	Masters Step 3
6	Carolus, Katelyn J.	LTS Building Substitute Teacher (No seniority will be accrued)	EDES	08/26/2026	\$51,283	Bachelors, Step 1
Maintenance/Custodians/Substitute Custodians						
Para Professionals/Clerical						
Cafeteria Staff/Cafeteria Substitutes						

All offers of employment are contingent upon candidate successfully passing the required background investigations, completion of pre-employment paperwork and obtaining the required level of education, licensure and/or endorsement prior to employment.

Mentors:						
#	TEACHER NAME	MENTOR FOR	MENTEE SCHOOL	MENTEE POSITION	STIPEND	MENTOR ONLY/FULL INDUCTION
1	Patton, Bryan C., Jr.	Matlack, Jared C.	MCJHS	Health & Phys Ed	\$1,000	Full Induction
2	Hack, Robin R.	Myers, Madison P.	LES	1st Grade	\$350	Mentor Only
3	Weaver, Crystal A.	Rowles, Anna B.	MCMS	Math/Computer	\$1,000	Full Induction
4	Specht, Shannon E. D.	Wise, Jordan S.	MCJHS/EDES	Health & Phys Ed	\$350	Mentor Only
5	Cramer, Kyle R.	Nulton, Rebecca J.	IVEC	LTS Building Sub	\$1,000	Full Induction
6	Snook, Colleen M.	Smith, Ryan F.	SMES	Health & Phys Ed	\$1,000	Full Induction
7	Kilmer, Leigha L.	Ward, Alaina M.	MCMS/SMES	Art	\$350	Mentor Only
8	Drake, Casey E.	Staley, Nicole	SMES	Building Substitute	\$350	Mentor Only
9	Reeder, Tara L.	McCall, Bailey R.	LIS	Building Substitute	\$1,000	Full Induction
10	Kauffman, Kristin N.	Brown, Vimarie A.	LIS	5th Grade	\$1,000	Full Induction
11	Devecchis, Sabrina L.	Stahl, Jennifer S.	EDES	Life Skills	\$350	Mentor Only
12	Crosson, Ashley J.	Harvey, Hannah M.	MCHS	English	\$1,000	Full Induction
13	Lancaster, Corby A.	Honstine, Kallie C.	SMES	3rd Grade Bubble	\$350	Mentor Only
14	Foose, Stephanie L.	Rice, Dylinn C.	SMES	LTS Building Sub	\$1,000	Full Induction
15	Hosterman, Bailey S.	Bricker, Kylee E.	EDES	Speech Language Path.	\$1,000	Full Induction
Paid Athletics						
#	COACH NAME	POSITION/SPORT	YEARS OF EXPERIENCE	SEASON	SALARY	START DATE
1	Rhoades, Dustin L.	Assistant Jr. High Softball Coach	0	Fall 2026 (2026-2027 School Year)	\$1,680.00	Start of the 2026-2027 School Year
Volunteer Athletics						
#	COACH NAME	POSITION/SPORT	SEASON		START DATE	
1	Weston, Craig A.	Jr. High Softball	Fall 2026 (2026-2027 School Year)		Start of the 2026-2027 School Year	

2	Morgan, Heather A.	Cross Country	Fall 2026 (2026-2027 School Year)	Start of the 2026-2027 School Year
3	Yorks, Neal A.	Jr. High Softball	Fall 2026 (2026-2027 School Year)	Start of the 2026-2027 School Year

Building Leaders for 2026-2027

#	NAME	POSITION	BUILDING	STIPEND	NOTES
1	Grimes, Joshua D.	Building Leader	MCMS	\$1,600	2026-2027 School Year
2	Stuftt, Carrie K.	Building Leader	EDES	\$1,300	2026-2027 School Year
3	Yoder, Julie A.	Building Leader	SMES	\$1,300	2026-2027 School Year
4	Holland, Jacqueline M.	Building Leader	IVEC	\$1,600	2026-2027 School Year
5	Erb, Brandy L.	Building Leader	LIS	\$1,600	2026-2027 School Year

Coordinators/Assistants for 2026-2027

#	NAME	POSITION	BUILDING	STIPEND		
1	King, Nathan A.	Science Coordinator	MCHS	\$2,000		
2	Himler, Samantha M.	ESL Coordinator	MCMS	\$2,000		
3	Smith, Brittany J.	Suicide Prevention Coordinator	District Wide	\$2,000		
4	Riden, Dustin M.	Co-Op Coordinator	MCHS	\$2,000		

Title I Parent Engagement Coordinators and Homeless Liaison for 2026-2027

These stipends will be fully funded by Title I funds. One percent of Title I funds must be spent on parental engagement activities. Half of the Title I stipend will be paid in December and the other half in May.

#	NAME	POSITION	BUILDING	STIPEND		
1	Hartzler, Mandy L.	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	SMES	\$1,000		
2	Goss, Cassandra R. (Co-Coordinator)	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	LES	\$500		
3	Winey, Jason M. (Co-Coordinator)	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	LES	\$500		
4	Breon, Angela D. (Co-Coordinator)	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	IVEC	\$500		

5	Shafranich, Jo E. (Co-Coordinator)	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	IVEC	\$500		
6	Hartsock, Jill N.	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	EDES	\$1,000		
7	Allison, Ruth A.	Title I Parent Engagement Coord.	Non-Public Schools	\$1,000		
8	Frazier, Nicole R. (Co-Liaison)	Co-Homeless Liaison	MCHS	\$750		
9	Marshall, Kaitlin J. (Co-Liaison)	Co-Homeless Liaison	MCMS	\$750		