

LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Long Beach, NY

May 24, 2022

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Long Beach Board of Education is the authorized state agency responsible for setting educational policy in the district. It consists of five trustees, each serving a three-year term. Board members pay school taxes at the regular rate and receive no salary or other financial compensation.

All meetings, except executive sessions, are held before the public. Members of the public may address the Board of Education on any specific agenda item during special time reserved for that purpose prior to Board discussion and action. The public may also address the Board of Education on any matter of concern at a second public session after the Board of Education completes agenda action items. Visitors should not address the Board in public relative to questions or comments regarding specific staff members or specific students. Such concerns should be brought to the attention of appropriate staff or to board members by telephone, in writing, or by scheduling a personal meeting, as appropriate to the circumstances

Visitors' comments will be limited to three (3) minutes for each agenda item upon which comment is made. Visitors are precluded from speaking on any agenda item more than once during each meeting.

Please be reminded that current CDC guidelines recommend social distancing of six feet between members not of the same household.

Sincerely,

Your Board of Education

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
High School Auditorium
Tuesday May 24, 2022**

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING

7:00 PM

- I. Pledge of Allegiance/Call to Order/Opening Remarks – Board President
- II. Report of the Superintendent of Schools
 - *Student Showcase – Media, Visual and Performing Arts Presentation and Awards*
 - *Strategic Planning*

Presentation of Certificates:

All State Students

Kenneth Bailing - Mixed Chorus alternate
Brianna Banvard – Orchestra alternate (violin)
Shayna Barkan-Orchestra alternate (cello)
Kira Centenni-Symphonic Band alternate (flute)

Jacob LoCascio-Vocal Jazz
Cameron Moses-Symphonic Band (clarinet)
Isadora Turbek-Orchestra alternate (viola)

Scholastic Regional Art Awards

*Lauren Clune - Gold Key
for her ceramic piece, "Twig"*
David Crespo - Honorable Mention
for his ceramic piece, "End of Day"
Childhood"

*Sienna Hornberger - Gold Key
for her original fashion design "Everything
But The Fizz", and an Honorable mention
for her original fashion design "Field Trip To*

Heckscher Museum Long Island's Best Young Artists

Evelyn Evans, *Aquamarine*
Maya Malul, *Kelp*
Claire Montalbano, *You have to Scream for It*

Deina Vicente, *Springtime*
Jillian Goldbach, *Luminescence*

Art League of Long Island Go Ape

Madison Powers
Raina Greenblatt

Advanced Visions

Raina Greenblatt
Jeneille DeLeon, 17th Annual Advanced Visions High School
Artists of Excellence Exhibit at LIU Post Visions

Long Island Media Arts Festival

Elliot Schenck

Huntington Camera Club

Elliott Schenck
Olivia Trafford

Photographic Federation of Long Island

Elliott Schenck
Sebastian Muzikar

Art Supervisor's Senior Scholar Award

Claire Montalbano

Art Supervisor's Leadership Award

Rayna Greenblatt

The American Museum of Ceramic Arts (AMOCA)

Jordan Serrano

Liam Zvonik

2022 Endangered Species Coalition Youth Art Contest semi finalist

Ciarra Aloï

- III. Board of Education Comments
- IV. Student Organization Announcements
- V. Questions and Comments from the Public on Tonight's Agenda Only
- VI. Approval of Minutes for Executive Session and Public Hearing/Regular Meeting of May 10, 2022 and the Annual Meeting of May 17, 2022
- VII. Presentations of the Superintendent:
 - 1. Personnel Matters: Certificated
 - 2. Personnel Matters: Non-Certificated
 - 3. Approval of Scholarships
 - 4. Payment of Legal Bills: Legal Services
 - 5. Approval of Use of Schools Applications
- VIII. Board of Education – Additional New/Old Business if any
- IX. Questions and Comments from the Public
- X. Announcements:
 - 1. Long Beach Classroom Teachers' Association
 - 2. Administrative, Supervisory and PPS Group
 - 3. LBSEA -Long Beach Schools Employees' Association – Group C
 - 4. Parent/Teacher Association
- XI. Adjournment

RESOLUTIONS

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following personnel actions.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignations for the Purpose of Retirement

Name: Debra Tai
Assign./Loc. Reading Teacher/Lindell School
Effective Date: June 30, 2022, close of day

Name: Stephanie McAvoy
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Assistant/LBHS
Effective Date: June 30, 2022, close of day

Name: Linda McKasty
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Assistant/Lindell School
Effective Date: June 30, 2022, close of day

Name: Barbara Hamlet
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Assistant/Lindell School
Effective Date: June 30, 2022, close of day

(b) Resignation

Name: Amanda Silvers
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Assistant/LBMS
Effective Date: May 20, 2022, close of day

(c) Appointment: Probationary Technology Teacher

Name: Matthew Collins*
Assign./Loc. Probationary Technology Teacher/(.8) LBHS/(.2) LBMS
Certification: Initial Technology (pending)
Effective Date: August 31, 2022
End Date: August 30, 2026
Tenure Date: August 31, 2026
Tenure Area: Industrial Arts
Salary Classification: BA/Step 1 (\$65,066 per annum)
Reason: To meet a district need

*This individual must receive three (3) annual APPR composite ratings of Effective or Highly Effective, in at least three (3) of the preceding four (4) years and cannot have an APPR composite rating of Ineffective in the last year of his or her probationary appointment to be granted or considered for tenure.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(d) Appointment: Probationary Elementary Teacher

Name: Alisa Gore*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Elementary Teacher/East School
Certification: Initial Childhood Education 1-6
Initial Early Childhood Education Birth-2 (pending)
Initial English to Speakers of Other Languages (pending)
Effective Date: August 31, 2022
End Date: August 30, 2026
Tenure Date: August 31, 2026
Tenure Area: Elementary
Salary Classification: MA/Step 3 (\$76,503 per annum)
Reason: To meet a district need

*This individual must receive three (3) annual APPR composite ratings of Effective or Highly Effective, in at least three (3) of the preceding four (4) years and cannot have an APPR composite rating of Ineffective in the last year of his or her probationary appointment to be granted or considered for tenure.

(e) Appointment: Probationary ENL Teacher

Name: Michelle LaBarbera*
Assign./Loc: Probationary ENL Teacher/LBHS
Certification: English to Speakers of Other Languages-Internship
Certificate
Initial English to Speakers of Other Languages (pending)
Effective Date: August 31, 2022
End Date: August 30, 2026
Tenure Date: August 31, 2026
Tenure Area: ENL
Salary Classification: BA/Step 2 (\$67,316 per annum)
Reason: To fill a vacancy

*This individual must receive three (3) annual APPR composite ratings of Effective or Highly Effective, in at least three (3) of the preceding four (4) years and cannot have an APPR composite rating of Ineffective in the last year of his or her probationary appointment to be granted or considered for tenure.

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(f) Appointment: Probationary Mathematics Teacher

Name: Julia Kolanovic*
Assign./Loc: Probationary Mathematics Teacher/LBHS (.8)/LBMS (.2)
Certification: Initial Mathematics 7-12
Initial Mathematics 5-6 extension
Effective Date: August 31, 2022
End Date: August 30, 2026
Tenure Date: August 31, 2026
Tenure Area: Mathematics
Salary Classification: BA/Step 2 (\$67,316 per annum)
Reason: To fill a vacancy

*This individual must receive three (3) annual APPR composite ratings of Effective or Highly Effective, in at least three (3) of the preceding four (4) years and cannot have an APPR composite rating of Ineffective in the last year of his or her probationary appointment to be granted or considered for tenure.

(g) Appointment: Regular Substitute Science Teacher

Name: Caitlyn Wigand
Assign./Loc: Regular Substitute Science Teacher/LBHS
Certification: Initial Earth Science 7-12
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$72,901 per annum)
Effective Dates: September 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Tenure Area: Science
Reason: To fill a leave position

(h) Appointment: Part Time Social Studies Teacher (.7)

Name: Michael Vasikauskas
Assign./Loc: Part Time Social Studies Teacher/LBMS (.4)/LBHS (.3)
Certification: Professional Social Studies 7-12
Initial Social Studies Extension 5-6
Initial Students with Disabilities 7-12-Generalist
Salary Classification: MA/Step 2 (\$51,668.40 per annum) prorated
Effective Dates: September 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Reason: To meet a district need

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(i) Appointment: Permanent Substitute Teacher (.3)

Name: Michael Vasikauskas
Assign./Loc: Permanent Substitute Teacher (.3)/LBHS
Certification: Professional Social Studies 7-12
Initial Social Studies Extension 5-6
Initial Students with Disabilities 7-12-Generalist
Salary Classification: \$236.29 per day-prorated
Effective Dates: September 1, 2022-June 30, 2023 (or earlier at the district's discretion)
Reason: To meet a district need

(j) Appointment Part Time Teacher Assistant 17.5 hours per week start date through June 24, 2022 (or earlier at the district's discretion)

Name	Building	Step	Hourly Rate	Reason	Start Date
Yasmin Kleinberg <i>*resigns as Aide</i>	Lido School	5	21.45	Program	5/25/2022
Margaret Long	Lindell School	1	18.26	Program	5/25/2022

(k) Appointment: Teachers for ENL Afterschool Program for the 21/22 school year-rate of pay \$77.53 per hour-grant funded Title III

Christine LaMarca-substitute

(l) Appointment: Summer School July 11, 2022-August 17, 2022-compensation according to contract

Aracely Guandique-Teacher Assistant

I. CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(m) **Appointment: Extended School Year Program Summer 2022-Rate of Pay: \$63.56 per hour**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Dina Callahan	Special Education
Abigail Ross	Special Education
Christina Causi	Special Education
Alyssa Soohoo	Special Education
Stacey Durnan	Social Worker
Seraphina D'Anna	School Psychologist
Martina Beloyianis	Speech and Hearing Handicapped
Gia Cody	Speech and Hearing Handicapped
<u>Substitutes</u>	
Lauren Miller	
Andrea Hinke	
Sean Miller	
Dayna Obidienzo	
Brooke Connochie	

(n) **Approval of Applications for Participation in Group A Study Programs-Summer 2022-The following staff members have applied for funding for coursework as indicated under the appropriate provision of their contract. Recommend approval of the tuition/fees.**

Name	Allocation	Name	Allocation
Erin Cain	\$538	Nicolette Samardich	\$538
Scott Scheinson	\$525	Kelly McNamara	\$538
Chelsea Way	\$538	Ashley Castanio	\$538
Kurt Allen	\$538	Daniel Cook	\$449
Maggie Todaro	\$538	Jessica Hemmerdinger	\$449

(o) **Approval of Applications for Participation in Group B Study Programs-Summer 2022-The following staff members have applied for funding for coursework as indicated under the appropriate provision of their contract. Recommend approval of the tuition/fees.**

Name	Allocation
Rachel Lonergan	\$323
Connor Manning	\$2,200
Christopher Kozak	\$477

II. NON CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(a) Resignation

Name: John Whelan
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Aide/LBHS
Effective Date: May 20, 2022, close of day

Name: Kelly Gavares
Assign./Loc. Part Time Teacher Aide/Lindell School
Effective Date: June 30, 2022, close of day

(b) Appointment: Provisional Account Clerk

Name: Nicholas Falciano
Assign./Loc.: Provisional Account Clerk/Business Office
Effective Date: May 31, 2022
Salary Classification: \$41,626 per annum
Grade/Step: Grade III/Step 5
Reason: To fill a vacancy

(c) Appointment: Summer School July 11, 2022-August 17, 2022 (additional hours prior to summer) maximum 120 per program-Subject to enrollment: compensation according to contract

Tara Roesch-Clerical
Melissa Hartman-Clerical

(d) Appointment: Summer School July 11, 2022-August 17, 2022-Subject to enrollment-compensation according to contract

Kathy Buckley-Building Aide
Sylvia Gray-Building Aide

(e) The following Per Diem Substitutes are recommended for approval for the 2021-2022 school year.

Name	Position
Rachel Braunhut	Teacher Aide
Daniel Barto	Teacher Aide

II. NON CERTIFICATED PERSONNEL

(f) Appointment: Extended School Year Program Summer 2022-Rate of Pay: \$63.56 per hour

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Kristen Hurley	Occupational Therapist
Maria Arroyave	Substitute
Laura Ragona	Substitute

(g) Appointment: Extended School Year Program Summer 2022-Rate of Pay: \$63.56 per hour

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Katie Moore	Behavior Specialist

(h) Appointment: Extended School Year Program Summer 2022-Rate of Pay: \$45.86 per hour

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Mary Sabedra	Nurse

(i) Completion of Probationary Appointments

The staff member listed below has completed their probationary appointment and have received a satisfactory evaluation and is hereby recommended for permanent appointment.

Name: Donald Kramer
Assign./Loc.: Director of School Facilities/Districtwide
Effective Date: June 13, 2022

Name: Ellen Stewart
Assign./Loc.: Purchasing Agent/Business Office
Effective Date: June 12, 2022

Name: Dina Muratori
Assign./Loc.: Payroll Clerk/Business Office
Effective Date: June 12, 2022

Name: Guillermo Martinez
Assign./Loc.: Groundskeeper/Buildings and Grounds
Effective Date: June 30, 2022

(j) MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT: LONG BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND THE LONG BEACH SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION

BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education approves the Memorandum of Agreement between the negotiating representatives of the Long Beach Public Schools and the Long Beach School Employees' Association, dated May 20, 2022.

3. APPROVAL OF SCHOLARSHIPS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the distribution of funds for the announced Long Beach High School scholarships in the amount of \$118,125.00.

4. PAYMENT OF LEGAL BILLS: LEGAL SERVICES

A) VOLZ & VIGLIOTTA

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditures in the amount of \$2,726.00 to Volz & Vigliotta for general counsel legal services for the period of April 1, 2022 through April 30, 2022; and \$70.50 for labor counsel legal services for the period April 5, 2022 through May 16, 2022.

B) FRAZER & FELDMAN

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education authorizes expenditures in the amount of \$1,503.76 to Frazer & Feldman, LLP for professional legal services for the period of January 4, 2022 through March 31, 2022; and \$1521.85 for professional legal services for the period of March 1, 2022 through March 31, 2022.

5) APPROVAL OF USE OF SCHOOLS APPLICATIONS

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the use of schools as attached, not to conflict with District events. However, please note that events may have to be modified and/or rescheduled based on building schedule.

APPLICATIONS FOR USE OF SCHOOLS

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Facility Requested</u>	<u>Date Requested</u>
City of Long Beach	Civil Service Exams	High School Classrooms (3)	Saturday June 11, 2022 8:00am – 4:00pm