



# Fort Facts

## Fort Recovery Local Schools Board of Education Meeting Summary: April 18, 2022

### Administrative Reports

#### Mrs. Knapke:

\*Reminded the board of Five Year Forecast during the May Work Session.

#### Mrs. Thobe:

\*Gave Summer School Update.  
\*Discussed her appreciation to staff.

#### Mr. Steinbrunner:

\*Gave State Testing Update.  
\*Talked about Middle School Events.

#### Mr. Stahl:

\*Gave testing update.  
\*Discussed Prom.  
\*Informed the board of FFA Contest Updates.

### Discussion Items:

\*Culture & Commitment Guide – Action Plan Update – Transition Update for 2022-2023 presented by Jill Ranly.

### Action Agenda

1. Executive Session

### Consent Agenda

1. Approved the minutes from the March 21, 2022 regular board meeting.
2. Approved monthly financial reports for March 2022 and the payment of bills.
3. Approved the list of graduation candidates.
4. Approved continued membership in OHSAA for 2022-2023 for high school and middle school.
5. Approved Cheryl Muhlenkamp and Elena Evers as classified substitutes for the 2021-22 school year.
6. Approved the following non-teaching employee contracts:

Kimberlie Jarrett	One Year
Mindy Dues	Two Years
Melissa Homan	Two Years
Mo Johnson	Two Years
Stacy Laux	Two Years
Jill Ranly	Two Years
Lindsey Reinhard	Two Years
Courtney Westgerdes	Two Years

7. Approved the following certificated personnel teaching contracts:

Julie Billenstein	Two Years
Matt Kerns	Two Years
Patricia Lefeld	Two Years
Charles Vasey	Two Years
April Bihn	Two Years
Renee Huelsman	Two Years
Lisa Huelsman	Two Years
Chad Miller	Two Years
Brian Patch	Three Years
Brian Reichert	Two Years
Kassidy Wright	One Year
Jocelyn Meyer	Two Years
Kim Minnich	Two Years
Jessica Niekamp	Two Years
Kim Pohlman	Three Years
Tami Winner	Two Years
Abby Scheidt	Continuing
Kevin Eyink	Continuing
Mindy Luthman	Continuing

8. Approved the following summer school teachers and subs for the summer of 2022: Kim Niekamp, Abby Scheidt, Chelsea Kahlig, Jill Dues, Ashley Bowers and Kaylee Niekamp (sub).
9. Approved and thanked the following for their donations:

Blackbaud Giving Fund	\$24.00	FFA
Anonymous	\$100.00	General Fund
Academic Booster Club	\$225.00	SADD
Mercer Savings Bank	\$1,000.00	National Honor Society

### Agenda Action Items

1. Approved the following athletic supplemental contracts for the 2022-2023 school year:

HS Volleyball Head Coach	Travis Guggenbiller
HS Football Head Coach	Brent Niekamp
HS Cross Country Coach	Christine Diller
HS Golf Coach – Boys	Dean Sanders
HS Golf Coach – Girls	Joseph Bruns
HS Basketball Head Coach-Boys	Robert Leverette
HS Basketball Head Coach – Girls	Holly Gann
HS Basketball Assistant Coach – Girls	Jeff Vaughn
HS Volleyball Varsity Assistant Coach	Tiffany McEldowney
HS Volleyball Reserve Coach	Amanda Diller
HS Football Assistant Coach	Josh Muhlenkamp
HS Football Assistant Coach	Brandon Schoen



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HS Football Assistant Coach	Charlie Vasey
HS Football Assistant Coach	Andrew Stocker
HS Cross Country Assistant Coach	Matt Roessner
HS Weight Room Supervisor	Brent Niekamp
HS Swim Coach	Melinda Bubp
JH Football Head Coach	Toby Metzger
JH Football Assistant Coach	Nicholas Vogel
JH Volleyball Head Coach	Julie Krieg
JH Volleyball Assistant Coach	Jessica Niekamp
JH Basketball Head Coach – Girls	Lindsey Lamm
JH Basketball Assistant Coach – Girls	Rick Wellman
JH Head Cross Country Coach	Robert Heitkamp

National Honor Society Advisor	Patty Lefeld
Newspaper Advisor	Melinda Luthman
SADD Advisor	Julie Billenstein
Scholastic Bowl Advisor	Marcia Weigel
Show Choir Director	Tracy Evers Westgerdes
Spanish Club Advisor	Julie Schlater
Student Council Advisor	Victoria Horstman
Yearbook Advisor	Victoria Horstman
Freshman Class Advisor	Kathy Schwieterman
Sophomore Class Advisor	Julie Billenstein
Junior Class Advisor	Chelsea Kahlig
Senior Class Advisor	Charlie Vasey
Ag-Business FFA (40 ext. days)	Joseph Hawk
Guidance (20 ext. days)	Amy Kaiser
Summer Band (27. ext. days)	Reid Knuth
Vo-Ag FFA (35 ext. days)	Michael Gower
District	
LPDC Core Committee	Kathy Schwieterman
RTI Core Team	Kim Minnich
RTI Core Team	Karen Klosterman
RTI Core Team	Jill Dues

2. Approved the following supplemental contracts for the 2022-2023 school year:

Elementary	
Vocal Music Programs	Tracy Evers-Westgerdes
Vocal Music Programs	Reid Knuth
Student Council Advisor	Michelle Stammen & Kim Niekamp (50/50 split)
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Book Club	Chelsea Kahlig
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Book Club	Abby Scheidt
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Book Club	Jocelyn Meyer
Grade Level Chair - Kgdn	Cathy Wendel
Grade Level Chair – 1 <sup>st</sup>	Kari Eilerman
Grade Level Chair – 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Julie Winner
Grade Level Chair – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kim Pohlman
Grade Level Chair – 4 <sup>th</sup>	Bob Heitkamp
Grade Level Chair - 5 <sup>th</sup>	Kim Niekamp
Middle School	
Book Club Advisor	Renee Huelsman & Brian Reichert (50/50 split)
Cheerleader Advisor - Football	Jennifer Steinke
Cheerleader Advisor -Basketball	Jennifer Steinke
Drama Advisor	Tracy Evers-Westgerdes
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Class Advisor	Brian Patch
Scholastic Bowl	Marcia Weigel
Show Choir Director	Tracy Evers-Westgerdes
Student Council Advisor	Jessica Jutte
Yearbook Advisor	Marcia Weigel
Guidance (9 ext. days)	Miranda Gerlach
High School	
Art Club Advisor	Victoria Horstman
Cheerleader Advisor – Football	Courtney Rohrer
Cheerleader Advisor –Basketball	Courtney Rohrer
Color Guard Instructor	Reid Knuth
Drama Advisor	Reid Knuth
FBLA Advisor	Matt Kerns
Future Teachers Association	Amy Kaiser
Instrumental Music Programs	Reid Knuth
Math-Science Club Advisor	Robyn Armstrong

3. Accepted the following volunteer coaches for the 2021-22 school year:

HS Assistant Baseball Coach	Reese Rogers
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4. Accepted the following volunteer coaches for the 2022-2023 school year:

HS Assistant Cheer Coach	Julie Hart
HS Assistant Girls Basketball Coach	Miranda Gerlach
HS Assistant Volleyball Coach	Rachel Klosterman
JH Assistant Girls Basketball Coach	Danielle Pottkotter

- Approved policy additions, revisions, and replacements as recommended by the Superintendent with assistance from NEOLA as a final reading.
- Approved an overnight trip for the FFA Ag Mechanics Team to Ohio State ATI in Wooster, OH.
- Approved an overnight trip for the FFA Outdoor Power Team to Ohio State ATI in Wooster, OH.
- Executive Session.
- Meeting adjourned.

**Next Meeting:** Work Session and Regular Meeting May 16, 2022 @ 6:00 PM.