

Greater Johnstown Career and Technology Center

Highlights

March 28, 2023 Regular Meeting

1. Minutes approved from the February 28, 2023 Regular Meeting.
2. Treasurer's Report and Payment of Bills approved.
3. Correspondence – None
4. Items for Information Only – None
5. Approved the Committee of the Whole Agenda, as follows:
 - A. ITEMS RELATING TO EDUCATION AND PERSONNEL
 - a. Approved the 2023 – 2024 School Calendar, as presented.
 - b. Policy Updates – Approved the first reading of the following policies:
 1. Policy 011. Principles for Governance and Leadership
 2. Policy 201. Admission of Students
 3. Policy 202. Eligibility of Nonresident Students
 4. Policy 404. Attendance
 5. Policy 212 Reporting Student Progress
 - c. Approved the additions/deletions to GJCTC's Occupational Advisory Committee as presented.
 - d. Approved Mr. John Farior as a Substitute Culinary Arts Instructor and a Culinary Aide.
 - e. Retroactively approved the hiring of Mr. Jacob Hartnett for the position of part-time Welcome Team Member, effective March 10, 2023.
 - f. Approved the change in employment status for the following employees from active employees to inactive employees:
 1. Christina Bailey
 2. Izick Powell
 3. John Sokach
 - g. Approved the director's acceptance of the resignation of Mrs. Nanette Anslinger, Workforce Placement Coordinator.
 - h. Approved the minutes resulting from the February 28, 2023 Curriculum and Enrollment Committee Meeting.
 - B. ITEMS RELATING TO BUDGET AND FINANCE
 - a. Approved three (3) students, from non-participating school districts, to attend GJCTC as tuition students for the 2022 – 2023 school year at the established tuition student rate of \$10,487.72 per student per year.

C. ITEMS RELATING TO BUILDING AND GROUNDS

- a. Approved the following Use of Facility Request:
 - 1. 1st Summit Bank, Employee Training, Room E205, May 4, 5, and 12, 2023.
- b. Reviewed the ESCO Project one-year update.

D. ITEMS RELATING TO STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- a. Approved the following Conference/Student Field Trip Requests:
 - 1. Approved five (5) students to attend the 2023 SkillsUSA Pennsylvania State Championships, April 12-14, 2023. (Updated from the February JOC Meeting Agenda)
 - 2. Approved thirty (30) students to attend the 2023 ProStart Nationals, May 3, 2023, in Washington, D.C.
- b. Approved the 2022-2023 Clay Target Club Plan of Activities.

E. OTHER BUSINESS – None

- 6. **Mr. Randy Roxby, Supervisor of Building and Grounds**, had nothing additional to report.
- 7. **Dr. Jason Hicks, Assistant Administrator of Secondary Education**, presented the attached High School Report.
- 8. **Mrs. Tricia Rummel, Supervisor of Adult Education**, presented the attached Adult Education Report.
- 9. **Mr. John S. Augustine II, Administrative Director**, presented the attached Director's Report.
- 10. **Mr. Arnold Nadonley, Chief School Administrator**, reported that the PAC met on March 16th. Crime Stoppers gave a presentation to the PAC and provided signage for the schools. Mr. Nadonley also reported that the Aviation CIP Codes were approved.
- 11. **Mr. Ronald Repak, Solicitor**, reported that the solar project is moving forward and should be approved.
- 12. **Mr. Galen George, J.O.C. Chairperson**, had nothing additional to report.
- 13. **The April Regular Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 25, 2023, immediately following the Committee of the Whole Meeting at 6:30 p.m. No sub-committee meeting is scheduled for April.**



High School Report

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Every month GJCTC teachers are tasked with selecting a student of the month. The criteria for student of the month is a good work ethic, good attendance, and demonstrate qualities as a valuable team member to their classroom. The following students have met these requirements.

Congratulations Students!

- Auto Technology** – Ryan Krassnoski (C Township)
- Collision Repair** – Andrew Madden (Westmont)
- Construction Technology** – Tucker Lindrose (Richland)
- Cosmetology** – Rosalina Rivera (Windber)
- Culinary Arts** – Lillian Gearty (Forest Hills)
- Diesel Mechanics** – Jorge Cavazos (Westmont)
- Early Childhood** – Helena Fisher (Forest Hills)
- Graphic Design** – Ashley Emeigh (Windber)
- Health Assistant** – Trayronda Freeman (G Johnstown)
- Lab Technology** - Hailey Zellam (~~RIS~~)
- Machine Tool** – Noah Bafile (Windber)
- Poly-Technical** – Taleya Brydon (Richland)
- Sports Medicine** - Danera Robinson (~~EFBDQ~~)
- Welding** – Kadance Leventry (C Township)

Upcoming Important Dates:

- x National Technical Honor Society Induction
 - x April 11 @ 5:30 PM
- x 2023 Certification Ceremony
 - x May 18 @ 12:30pm
- x 2023 NOCTI Testing
 - x Written - April 18, 19 & 20
 - x Performance - April 26 & 27

GENE HAAS FOUNDATION

2023 Educational Grant

- x March 2023 - \$15,000
- x Since 2021 GJCTC has generously received: **\$42,500.**



Adult Education Report

March 28, 2023

Practical Nursing Community Outreach:

PN students participated in a health fair at the Westmont Hilltop High School. The event was designed to raise awareness to the issues of mental health, tobacco use and vaping, and distracted driving among teenagers.



State Board of Nursing Visit:

The Practical Nursing Program had a compliance visit on March 10th. The facilities and files were reviewed; no findings were noted.

Upcoming Recruitment Activities:

The Adult Education team is meeting with students from Windber High School on March 29th and Richland High School on March 31st to discuss the Career in a Year educational opportunities available to them after graduation.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT



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2022-2023 Goals

Mission

Ensure Student Success

Vision

Positively impacting an every-changing workforce.

Project updates for 2022-2023:

- PDE APE review preparation for the 23-24 school year

PDE has issued notification that we are on the list for an APE review. Mr. George's contact information has been confirmed, dates will be forthcoming.

Three secondary teachers have volunteered to be the in-house peer reviewers prior to final submission to PDE. I am very proud to announce Bethany DeLano, Paul Tresnicky, and Pat Wallet are filling this role. This team is establishing the template for all programs to follow that highlights the GJCTC formula for CTE success.

- LPN Program Review

Administration is currently conducting an in-depth look into the LPN programming at both campus locations.

No spring LPN courses are scheduled to operate in 2023.

Administration is recommending that the 23-24 budget include a site coordinator at the Monroeville location.

Additionally, due to the demand for LPN's, administration is exploring partnerships with other CTC's at the Monroeville campus.

Graduate Highlight

Jake Gillingham graduated in 2020 from Diesel Technology. He then attended the GPLA lineman school and received his CDL. The call of the woods was too much to overcome and he took his love of diesel motors, climbing, and trucking and started his own business. On January 18, 2023 Elevated Tree Works had its first contract and has been busy since. We are proud of Jake and the cross-skill training and entrepreneurship skills he is displaying.

Points of Interest:

GJCTC received notice that the PDE Future Ready Comprehensive Planning Portal is experiencing difficulties and will not allow the plan to be signed and therefore printed. The JOC approved our plan at the February 2023 meeting. As soon as we are able to sign and print we will begin our 28 day public comment period.

Upcoming events:

- 4-25-23 C N A Pinning Ceremony 5:30
- 4-25-23 JOC mtg 6:30

