

**MONTVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
MEETING OF THE EDUCATIONAL EVALUATION COMMITTEE  
Superintendent's Conference Room  
April 21, 2009, at 5:15 p.m.**

**Item 1. Call to order**

Superintendent of Schools David Erwin called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. in the Superintendent's Conference Room. **Board members** present were Robert Mitchell, Deborah Reed-Iler, and Todd Pomazon. Also present were Assistant Principal Tanya Patten; Department Heads Bob Lamperelli, Ted Richmond, and Laura Greenstein; Athletic Director Walt Sherwin; Teachers Doug Wheeler and Chris Zyrlis.

**Item 2. Pledge of Allegiance**

**Item 3. Action**

- **Approval – Computer Applications Textbook**
- **Second Reading/Approval – Child Development Course Curriculum**

Chris Zyrlis presented information regarding the Computer Applications Textbook. Department Head Bob Lamperelli made positive comments regarding the need for the book as did Doug Wheeler.

**Motion: To bring approval of the book (Windows 2007) to the next Board Meeting for approval.**

**Proposed by:** Todd Pomazon  
**Seconded by:** Robert Mitchell  
**Vote:** Carried Unanimously

Laura Greenstein gave a second reading of the Child Development Course Curriculum. She indicated that these recommendations are being made due to changes in the Three Rivers Community College program. She indicated changes would be minimal and that the preschool quarter of Child Development would be extended to a semester and the older child component would be eliminated.

**Motion: To bring the revised curriculum for the Child Development Course to the Board for approval at the May meeting.**

**Proposed by:** Robert Mitchell  
**Seconded by:** Deb Reed-Iler  
**Vote:** Carried Unanimously

**Item 4. Discussion/Action**

- **Athletic Teams**
- **Courses with Low Enrollment**

Discussion ensued on athletic teams and Athletic Director Walter Sherwin discussed participation in each sport as well as the requests he has had from parents and students regarding beginning Lacrosse and Hockey. He discussed that we are at about a 70 percent participation rate which is very positive. Board members informally indicated they are not in favor of pay for play.

Courses with low enrollment were discussed and Assistant Principal Tanya Patten and Department Heads Bob Lamperelli and Ted Richmond discussed some of the lower enrolled classes. The Board is in support of maintaining these classes; however, in light of a reduced budget, these may need to be reviewed again and certainly in the future.

**Item 5. Adjournment**

**Motion: That the meeting be adjourned.**

<b>Approved by:</b>	Robert Mitchell
<b>Seconded by:</b>	Todd Pomazon
<b>Vote:</b>	Carried unanimously

The meeting was adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

David B. Erwin

Superintendent of Schools