

**Centreville Public Schools  
Board of Education  
Regular Meeting Minutes**  
Monday, May 11, 2026 - 6:30 PM  
190 Hogan St.  
Centreville, MI 49032

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**Call to Order and Roll Call**

The May 11 meeting of the Board of Education was called to order by DETWEILER at 6:30pm with the following persons present:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jackie Bowen, Rod Detweiler, Tim Hall, Jeff Houtz, TJ Reed, Tegan Stuby-Hekter

MEMBERS ABSENT: Larry Walton

STAFF PRESENT: Chad Brady, Jane Rumsey, Barb Lester, Cathy Carpenter, Dennis Kirby, Colin Palmer

VISITORS PRESENT: Matthew Henningsen, Amelia Henningsen

**Guest & Visitor Comments - No Comments**

**Acceptance of Consent Agenda**

MOTION BY BOWEN; SECONDED BY HALL

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education approve the consent agenda as presented.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**Superintendent's Report**

- Final 13 days of school.
- Seniors finish this week and graduate on May 21.
- Food Club will wrap up next week.
- Construction of the multipurpose gym is continuing as scheduled.

**New Staff - Henningsen (SP 1, 2)**

MOTION BY REED; SECONDED BY STUBY-HEKTER

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education approve the hire of James M. Henningsen as jr/sr high school principal.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**New Staff - Harter (SP 1, 2)**

MOTION BY HOUTZ; SECONDED BY BOWEN

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education approve the hire of Heather Harter as presented.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**Resignation - Cheer Coach (SP 1, 2, 3)**

MOTION BY HALL; SECONDED BY HOUTZ

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education accept Bart Schrader's resignation as Varsity Cheer Coach.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote, and expressed its appreciation for Bart's leadership and commitment to the program.**

**Canceled Instructional Time (SP 1,2)**

MOTION BY STUBY-HEKTER; SECONDED BY HALL

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Education approve using six hours of completed state-approved professional development time on August 12, 2025, as instructional time for the 2025-26 school year.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**Chartwell's Contract Approval (SP 1)**

MOTION BY BOWEN; SECONDED BY HALL

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education approve the food service contract with Chartwells for the 2026-27 school year.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**2026-27 ISD Budget (SP 3)**

MOTION BY HALL; SECONDED BY STUBY-HEKTER

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education approve the proposed 2026-27 St. Joseph County ISD general fund budget.

**The BOE unanimously approved this motion by voice vote.**

**Guest & Visitor Comments - No Comments.**

**Closed Session (SP 1, 2, 3, 4)**

MOTION BY BOWEN; SECONDED BY STUBY-HEKTER

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Centreville Board of Education go into closed session under the Open Meetings Act, 15.268, Section 8 (h), to consider attorney-client privileged communication.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: BOWEN, DETWEILER, HALL, HOUTZ, REED, STUBY-HEKTER

NAYS: NONE

MOTION CARRIED

The BOE went into closed session at 6:44pm with these persons present: BOE members, Brady, Rumsey

The BOE returned to open session at 8:10pm with these persons present: BOE members, Brady, Rumsey

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:11pm by DETWEILER.

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Rod Detweiler  
President

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Jane Rumsey  
Recording Secretary

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TJ Reed  
Secretary