SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 5775 Main Street Center Valley, PA 18034

TO: Board of School Directors

- RE: Professional Conference Attendance
- DATE: October 24, 2011

Name	Conference	Location	Date	Days	Substitute Cost	Fund Source	Total Cost (including cost for substitute)
Nicole McCloskey	IU Wide In-Service for Paras: Identifying and Responding to Emotional Behaviors (This multi-county in-service day is designed specifically for paraeducators. This professional development in service is designed to provide these paras. An opportunity to share effective practices with colleagues outside their districts.)	Northampton, PA	10/10/11	1	0.00	L	11.25
Carl Crouse	Fall Counselor Workshop (Counselors are made aware of changes, updates and future plans regarding the SAT I & II tests as well as PSAT & AP tests.)	Wilkes-Barre, PA	10/14/11	1	0.00	L	76.00
Mary Hostetter	Reading Writing and the Common Cores with Lucy Calkins	Secaucus, NJ	10/18/11	1	100.00	L (Curri.)	324.00
Pamela Kuntzman	(In this day-long workshop, Lucy Calkins, Founding Director of the Teachers College Reading and Writing Project, and Mary Ehrenworth, Deputy Director of the Teachers College Reading and Writing Project, will work together to help you understand the implications of the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) for instruction and to help you devise a plan for aligning your reading, writing, and content-area instruction to the CCSS.)				100.00	L (Curri.)	434.00

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Joseph Helinski Jesse Mead Patricia Smiley	MCSTA Mini-Convention (The MCSTA mini-convention is an annual event and is a local version of PSTA and NSTA conventions. It features vendor displays and workshops that address many different aspects of science teaching. This year's program features a presentation by Jill Yeakel, the program director of the Center for Forensic Science Research & Education at Arcadia University. She will review the center's activities, discuss a forensic DNA analysis that can be conducted in a high school setting and talk about a free summer science program for high school students interested in forensic science. Additionally there will be workshops on macroinvertibrates, video- based project, nanotechnology, practical technology applications in the physics classroom, the inquiry classroom, and more. Participants can choose two workshops to attend.)	Abington, PA	10/20/11	1	0.00 0.00 0.00	L L L	62.50 20.50 20.50
Kristen McGuire	Practical Strategies for Teaching Social Skills and Addressing the challenging Behavior of Students with High Functioning Autism Asperger's Syndrome (This is a seminar that will help us to make a positive difference in the lives of children with autism spectrum disorders. We will learn to increase on task behavior and organizational skills also ways to teach social skills.)	Allentown, PA	10/26/11	1	100.00	L	337.79
Ken Jordan	Journey to the Common Core (Conference topics include "How to Design Schooling to Make It More Coherent, Engaging, and Effective" and Utilizing PVAAS to Reach 2013 Common Core.)	Harrisburg, PA	10/27/11	1	0.00	L	242.00

John McDonald	59th Annual TEEAP Conference (<i>The 59th Annual TEEAP Conference offers</i> <i>educators the chance to learn various ideas</i> <i>and concepts that can be used toward</i> <i>enhancing their technology and engineering</i> <i>programs. This conference includes</i> <i>general and special interest sessions</i> <i>regarding STEM education, Engineering by</i> <i>Design labs, robotics, engineering, and</i> <i>engineering through product design.</i>)	Camp Hill, PA	11/4/11	1	100.00	L	200.00
Michael Pauling	21st Century Teaching and learning Network (<i>This series of meetings will provide</i> <i>training and networking opportunities for</i> <i>instructional coaches in our region. Two of</i> <i>the meetings will take place outside of the</i> <i>IU area e.g. Harrisburg, PA</i>)	Schnecksville, PA	11/8/11, 1/5/12, 2/10/12, 4/13/12 & 5/17/12	5	500.00	L	630.00
Maureen Elliott	Transition Conference 2011 (Forum of transition services to	Fogelsville, PA	11/19/11	1	0.00	L (Sp. Ed)	116.00
Theresa Ware	prepare/empower young adults, educate parents and connect teachers & professionals, in formation sessions, guest speakers, social activities & resource fair.)				0.00	L (Sp. Ed)	103.00
Nicole McClosky Muhleisen	Book Study: How Full is your Bucket (<i>The conference will be discussion of the book "How Full is your Bucket". This book will show how to greatly increase the positive moments in your work and life while reducing the negative.</i>)	Schnecksville, PA	11/29/11 & 12/14/11	2	0.00	L	36.60
Pamela Phillippe	Pennsylvania Educational Technology Expo and Conference (Annual education technology conference.)	Hershey, PA	2/12-15/12	4	300.00	L (Gifted)	573.00

Corry Robbins	2012 Pennsylvania School Library Conference (<i>This conference will equip me with new</i> <i>concepts and information in media center</i> <i>curriculum, administration, literature and</i> <i>technology</i>)	Hershey, PA	4/12-14/12	3	200.00	L	500.00
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