SHALER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

POLICY 422

SECTION: PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

TITLE: GIFTS

ADOPTED: September 16, 1998

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422. GIFTS

1. Purpose The Board considers the acceptance of gifts by professional staff members an undesirable practice.

2. Authority

It is the policy of the Board that professional staff members may accept gifts of a consumable nature or a nominal value only from students or parents.

The Board shall consider as always welcome and in most circumstances more appropriate, the writing of letters to staff members expressing gratitude or appreciation.

3. Delegation of Responsibility

The Superintendent may approve acts of generosity to individual staff members in unusual situations and shall report such instances to the Board on a timely basis.