

Regular Meeting
Board of Education
March 9, 2020
7:00 PM

This regular meeting was opened with roll call. Troy Bauder, Jennifer Jenson, Derek Knobloch, and Scott Lee were present. Justin Metzger was absent. Supt. Kreman and Principal Jiskoot were also in attendance.

Motion # 2791

Moved by Knobloch and seconded by Jenson to approve the agenda. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

The Board moved their meeting to the Pre-school classrooms where Paige Parr and Jenny McKenny spoke about their classrooms and students they teach.

Metzger present at 7:15pm. The meeting returned to the Board room.

Motion #2792

Moved by Bauder and seconded by Knobloch to approve the following consent items

- February Board Minutes
- Bills
- Financial Statements

Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

The Board formally recognized the following Students of the Month: Academics: Megan Van Wyhe, Arts: Gabe Carolan, Service: Ashton Van Wyhe, Elliot Van Veldhuizen, Claire Roemen, Taryn Besonen, JoDee Steen, and Ashley Peterson, Sportsmanship: Brooklyn Meyer, Vocational: Adam Knobloch. The Board also recognized Alliance Communications for their Alliance Way donation and the donation of an AED from the Lyon County Health.

Some of the challenges for preparing next year's budget were discussed.

The administrators reported on the ISASP schedules coming up.

Superintendent Kreman reported on the following:

- Staffing updates
- Current information on the COVID-19 virus and how it might affect schools. Information from the Lyon County Health Department and the Iowa Department of Public Health was discussed.
- Updates on school related legislative actions, both passed and pending.
- Proposed increases in time for nursing services from Lyon County Health.

Motion #2793

Moved by Jenson and seconded by Bauder to approve the retirement of Bob Tracy as SBO, and the resignations of Chelsea Tilstra as softball coach and Wes Meyer as basketball coach. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

Motion # 2794

Moved by Metzger and seconded by Jenson to set a work session for review of the proposed budget for FY21 on March 19th at 7:00 PM. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

Motion # 2795

Moved by Bauder and seconded by Metzger to approve the hire of Lindsay Landaman as an art instructor, Nate Sievers as an Industrial Tech instructor, Katherine Newhouse as Voc Ag instructor, Jessica Metzger as an office secretary, and Jen Kramer as cheerleading advisor for football. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

Superintendent Kreman and Principal Jiskoot reviewed their recommendations for changes to the Good Conduct Policy to include language to address concerns with student use of social media to harass individuals, organizations, schools, or opposing teams. Action will be taken at a future meeting.

Superintendent Kreman reviewed April agenda items.

Motion #2796

Moved by Bauder and seconded by Metzger to adjourn this regular meeting at 8:40 PM. Motion carried, all members voting "yes". The next regular meeting will be April 13th at 7:00 PM.

Work Session
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March 9, 2020
8:45 PM

This work session was opened with roll call. Bauder, Jenson, Knobloch, Metzger and Lee were present. Superintendent Jiskoot was also in attendance.

Motion #2797

Moved by Bauder and seconded by Jenson to approve the agenda for the work session. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".

The Board reviewed applications and discussed timelines for interviews for the position of School Business Official. Supt. Kreman will make contacts with all the candidates.

Supt. Kreman recommended a work session to discuss contacting architects to look at future building and facilities. The Board agreed. Kreman will arrange a time for the session.

Motion # 2798

Moved by Jenson and seconded by Metzger to adjourn this work session at 10:05 pm. Motion carried, all members voting "yes".