Palmyra R-1 Board of Education Press Release July 14, 2021

The regular meeting of the Palmyra R-1 Board of Education was held on Tuesday, July 13, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Palmyra Board Office at 1703 South Main, Palmyra, Missouri.

The principals provided their monthly reports.

The board set the annual tax rate hearing for Tuesday, August 24, 2021, at 6:30 pm.

The board approved the 2021-2022 Free and Reduced application forms.

The board also approved an increase in meal prices of \$0.05 for student breakfast, \$0.05 for student lunch, and \$0.05 increase for adult breakfast and \$0.10 for lunch for the 2021-2022 school year. Elementary and Middle School breakfasts will be \$1.80, High School breakfasts will be \$1.95. Elementary lunches will be \$2.35, and Middle and High School lunches will be \$2.60. Adult breakfasts will be \$2.60, and adult lunches will be \$3.15.

In other new business, the board reviewed and approved the iPad Handbook, Athletic/Activities Handbook, Transportation Handbook, and the Coaches and Sponsors Handbook for the 2021-2022 school year.

The board heard a first reading of MSBA policy update 2021B.

The board revised MSBA policy GCPCA moving the application deadline for the teacher early retirement incentive from March 1 to January 5, 2022.

The board set the annual board picnic for August 17, 2021.

Under old business, the board discussed the upcoming Missouri School Boards Association (MSBA) Fall Conference.

The board hired Ann Locke as High School Secretary, and Rebecca Harrison as a Parents as Teachers Parent Educator.