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Shawano School District

# Hawk School Board Memo

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## Board of Education Meeting Notes, May 15, 2023

**Superintendent Kurt Krizan's Shout Outs:** Superintendent Kurt Krizan along with Associate Principal Deanna Arrowood honored staff at Shawano Community High School including student Alexander Kohn, staff member Liz Alexander and the English PLC members including Sarah Wilkinson, Caroline Bedroske, Marena Erickson, Ellen Kahn, Alex Konan, Megan Pyatskowitz, and Desiree Arneson. Congratulations to all!

**School Board Vacant Seat Appointment:** The Board appointed Dave Cullen to fill the vacant seat.

**Information Items: French Trip Report** Megan Pyatskowitz, English Teacher/French Club Co-Advisor, along with Rosella Wegner and Vivian Duong presented a slide show to the board recapping their class trip to Belgium, France, Monaco, Italy and Switzerland.

**School Board Student Representative Presentation:** Riley Dreier and Maddie Schroth talked about the recent Track conference, Petting Zoo at Hillcrest, interviewing candidates for the new high school Principal and the up-coming NWTC trip to cadaver labs for Anatomy and Physiology class.

**School Board Student Representative Recognition** – Senior students Ania Hoffman and Riley Dreier were recognized for their board participation as they graduate in May 2023.

**First Draft 2023-2024 Budget** - Kurt Krizan presented 2023-2024 preliminary budget information. We will know more once the State approves their biennial budget.

**Hoffman Facilities Update** – Kurt Krizan shared that Hoffman has now completed all Staff and Community Listening Sessions. Hoffman will next lead an educational advocacy audit with the Board. The next meeting will be with the CORE Planning Committee.

**NEOLA Policy Update** - Kurt Krizan presented the policy technical changes.

**Purchase of Classroom Displays** – Ben Brazeau, Instructional Technology Coordinator, discussed a quote for replacing outdated projectors with classroom displays in a variety of sizes based on individual classroom need.

**Action Items: Support Staff Pay Schedule,** Nicole Hartlaben, HR Director, presented the draft Support Staff Pay Schedule for Board approval. The Board approved the schedule as presented.

**Open Enrollment Applications In/Out** – Cory Kaisler, presented current Open Enrollment application information for students requesting to enter or exit the district. Board accepted the Open Enrollment applications as presented.

**EBIS - Smart Lab,** Will Traber, SCMS Principal presented the SmartLab classroom proposal to the Board in April. A site visit was completed this month to Minocqua, WI to tour classrooms by Mr. Traber, School Board member John Arens, and our Technical Education and Science staff members for their feedback. Board approved the project as presented.

**Policy Update** - Kurt Krizan presented the NEOLA policy updates along with the Wellness and Grievance Policy Updates previously presented for Board review. Board approved the policies presented.

**Resignations/Retirements/Appointments:** The Board approved the appointment of Matt Raduechel for Shawano Community High School Principal.

**Work Session:** The Board held a work session to discuss a new meeting schedule for the 2023-24 school year. This will be finalized at the next meeting.

For more information about this meeting, including agendas, approved minutes and policy changes, [click here](#).



## SUPER COOL MIDDLE SCHOOL FAIR

Tuesday, May 23rd  
4:15 pm-7:15 pm

Art show & Performances by:  
Band, Orchestra, & Choir

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Next Board Meeting Dates:  
June 5, 2023  
June 19, 2023  
5:00 pm