

# Stanley County School Board Meeting January 10, 2011

The Stanley County School District, #57-1, Board of Education met in regular session January 10, 2011, 5:30 P.M., in the cafeteria of the Elementary Building with Sonny Harrowa, Darby Nutter, Tina Titze, Nicole Prince, and John Duffy present. Others in attendance were Superintendent Don Hotalling, Business Manager Jessi Fromm, Principals Timothy Hollar and Brian Hartwig, and Special Education Director Krystal Simons. Visitors were Shirley Swanson, Jennifer Milliken, Bailey Heninger, Matt Jensen, Brian Menning, Audrey Nelson, Kathy Riedy, Linda Brown, Kim Larsen, Teri Heninger, Kim VanDenHemel, Kris Kroll, Mike McQuiston, and parents of recognized students.

President Sonny Harrowa called the meeting to order at 5:37 P.M.

President Sonny Harrowa led the pledge of allegiance.

Duffy moved, seconded by Prince, to adopt the agenda as amended. All voted aye.

Audrey Nelson reported for the Buffs Highlights. Ms. Nelson is offering a free drawing class for adults every Tuesday night at the Stanley County High School. Class begins in February and ends in March. For more information you can e-mail Ms. Nelson at [Audrey.Nelson@k12.sd.us](mailto:Audrey.Nelson@k12.sd.us), or call Stanley County High School.

Titze moved, seconded by Duffy to approve the Consent Calendar. All voted aye.

Approve the minutes of the regular meeting of December 13, 2010, and special meeting December 16, 2010.

## Approve Regular Bills

22X, Professional Fees – 3,867.80; 22X, Professional Fees – 120.00; 22X, Professional Fees – 7,461.20; 22X, Professional Fees – 6,469.45; Alltel, Cell Phones – 101.14; American Linen, Supplies – 345.08; B.J.'s Instrument Repair, Repair – 100.00; Best Business, Supplies & Repairs – 163.83; Capital City Florist, Flowers – 40.00; Capital Journal, Minutes & Advertising – 265.87; Casey Tibbs SD Rodeo Center, Entry Fee – 14.00; Child and Adult Nutrition, Food – 162.20; Christine Christopherson, Professional Fees – 67.50; City of Fort Pierre, Utilities – 9,185.20; CNI Office Supplies, Ink Cartridges – 5,071.19; Costumer, Costumes – 213.79 ; Dairy Queen, Supplies – 18.30; Dakota Supply Group, Supplies – 341.48; Dean Foods, Milk – 1,691.45; Polly Dimmit, Supply – 5.00; Discount School Supply, Supply – 182.91; Earthgrains, Food – 406.93; Eddie's Truck Sales, Inc., Repairs – 9.38; Envirotech Waste Services, Utilities – 708.75; EZ Play Music/Music Book America, Supplies – 39.44; Gabriel, Jodi, Lodging – 279.00, Golden West Telephones, Communications – 18.52; Halloweencostumes.com, Supplies – 66.97; HD Supply Waterworks, Parking Lot Project – 527.71; Hogens Hardware, Supply – 29.75; Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Supplies – 192.00; DeAnne Jensen, Mileage – 128.76, Klein's Office Plus, Supplies – 242.36; Lariat Lanes Inc., Supplies – 91.25, Larry's Plumbing, Repairs – 351.23; Lookout Books, Supplies – 547.62, May, Adam, Gerdes & Thompson, Professional Fees – 140.00; Montana Dakota Utilities, Utilities – 5,331.08; Northwest Pipe Fittings, Inc., Repairs – 409.86; Oriental Trading Co. Inc., Supplies – 98.86; Pepper & Son Inc., JW, Supplies – 183.47; Pitney Bowes,

Postage – 500.00; Pizza Ranch, Supplies – 33.71; Pro-Build, Supplies – 6.19; Qwest, Communications – 146.37; Ramkota Inn of Aberdeen, Lodging – 461.94; Reinhart, Food – 4,956.87; Renaissance Learning, Inc., Supplies – 616.87; Right Turn, Professional Services – 150.00; Robin’s Water Cond’ing, Supplies – 6.55; Runnings, Supplies – 104.90, SD Dept. of Health, Prof. Services – 680.00; School Specialty, Supplies – 734.53; Software Services, Inc., Repair – 100.00; Sportwide, Supplies – 698.45; Stanley Co. Booster Club, Professional Fees – 271.91; Servall Uniform & Linen, Supply – 113.39; Titze Electric, Repairs – 684.68; Town & Ranch Market, Food & Supplies – 442.47; Universal Athletic Service, Uniforms – 85.00; US Food Service, Food – 693.36; VISA, Supplies – 142.28; Walker Refuse, Utilities – 89.25; Walmart, Supplies – 412.94; West Central Electric, Utilities – 177.18; West Music, Supply – 110.95, WR/LJ Rural Water, Rural Water – 97.50; WW Tire Service, Vehicle Servicing – 178.40, Zander Auto Parts, Supplies – 192.17; SD Department of Labor, unemployment - 5,434.00; Sinclair Fleet, Gasoline – 681.22; Stanley County School, Imprest – 6,245.17; GRAND TOTAL BILLS APPROVED - \$70,938.58. (A more detailed listing is in the Administration Office of the Elementary Building).

### C. Note Budget

#### D. Note Imprest Expenses

DCI, Background Checks – 129.75; Kathy Riedy, Meals – 348.00; SD High School Activities Association, Dues – 40.00; Brady Bearstops, Official – 175.00; Eric Booth, Official – 95.00; Jeff Turning Heart, Official & Mileage – 323.20; FCCLA District VII, Dues – 71.00; Roberta Fossum, Official – 135.00; Kelli Hansen, Official & Mileage – 265.98; Michelle Johnson, Official – 135.00; Shavonne Mitchell, Official – 260.00; SD FCCLA, Dues – 39.00; Sinclair Fleet Services, Gasoline – 640.64; Rebecca Uhrig, Official – 260.00; Gregory School District, Entry Fee – 75.00; Just Score It, Professional Services – 50.00; Brian Dozark, Professional Services – 1,250.00; Tony Blake, Professional Services – 1,250.00; Brett Sether, Official – 95.00; Randy Kludt, Official & Mileage – 186.60; Ed Marts, Official – 120.00; Region VII Music, Entry Fees – 86.00; Greg Rislov, Official – 95.00; Louis Young, Official – 120.00. GRAND TOTAL – 6,245.17.

### E. Approve Financials for December 2010

GENERAL FUND: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 673,492.30; Receipts: Taxes – 198,476.08; Interest – 1,003.43; Central Collections – 25.00; State Aid – 87,002.00; 21st Century Fees – 1,659.00; Medicaid Reimbursement – 7,289.00; Mic Central Education – 1,500.00; Taylor Grazing – 5,434.00; State of SD, National Mineral Leasing – 17,124.00; Admission – 2,563.00; Dividends - 325.27; Yearbook – 5.00; Other Revenue – 245.12; Total Receipts – 322,650.90; Transfers into the Account – 1,025.00; Total Available – 997,168.20; Disbursements – 17,684.24; Payroll – 264,135.31; Transfer Out – 393.80; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 714,954.85; CAPITAL OUTLAY: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 406,896.02; Receipts: Taxes – 85,993.23; Interest – 866.17; Donations – 20,000.00; Total Receipts – 30,314.39; Total Available – 513,755.42; Disbursement – 64,564.70; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 449,190.72; SPECIAL EDUCATION: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 382,078.02; Receipts: Taxes – 29,922.20; Interest – 392.19; Total Receipts – 30,314.39; Total Available – 412,392.41; Disbursements – 16,361.56; Payroll – 43,199.42; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 352,831.43; PENSION FUND: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 70,586.13; Receipts: Taxes – 15,458.59; Interest – 166.24; Total Receipts – 15,624.83; Total Available – 86,210.96; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 86,210.96; IMPACT AID: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 439,871.94; Receipts: Interest – 1213.55; Impact Aid – 188,255.00; Total Receipts – 189,468.55; Total Available – 629,340.49; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 629,340.49; FOOD SERVICE: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 2,852.06; SD Meal Reimbursement – 9,297.91; Food Sales –

8,072.49; Milk Sales – 27.25; A la Carte – 77.75; Total Receipts – 17,475.40; Total Available – 20,327.46; Disbursements – 13,633.12; Payroll – 13,405.80; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – (6,711.46); FIDUCIARY ACCOUNTS: Cash Balance, December 1, 2010 – 344,645.13; Receipts: Interest – 122.73; Triple S – 540.62; Class of 2017 – 320.00; Class of 2015 – 36.00; Class of 2014 – 126.97; Class of 2013 – 301.71; Class of 2012 – 500.00; Student Council – 164.00; Band – 4,158.77; History Club – 1,196.10; Letterwinners – 350.00; Football Fundraising – 100.00; Cheerleading – 208.00; FCCLA – 407.00; Gymnastics – 561.00; Girls Basketball – 1,079.00; Wrestling Invitational – 2,579.00; Gymnastics Invitational – 120.00; Total Receipts – 12,870.90; Transfer In – 1,931.85; Total Available 359,447.88; Disbursements – 14,709.60; Transfer Out 22.50; Cash Balance, December 31, 2010 – 344,715.78.

### Student Recognition

The Board recognized the following students in grades three through eight who have received all “A’s” or at least a 3.10 grade-point average for the second nine-weeks of the school year. Board Member Sonny Harrowa and Superintendent Don Hotalling presented the certificates.

#### All “A” Honor Roll – 4.0 GPA

|               |               |               |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Joshua Rogers | LaMour Gregg  | Lisa Sherwood |
| Thomas Tolton | Dylan White   | Adam Wyly     |
| Lukas Chase   | Martee Larson | Tori Gaer     |
| Shay Hand     | Carson Wyly   | Logan Chase   |
| Micah Hallock | Paige Gloe    |               |

#### “A” Honor Roll - 3.6-3.99 GPA

|                   |                  |                    |
|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Rafe Boren        | Shae Carter      | Hailey Hand        |
| Bailey Heninger   | Robby Jeffries   | Jacob Miller       |
| Clayton Reinhard  | Tara Russell     | Jessica Sedlmajer  |
| Kenna Wieczorek   | Shelby Gienger   | Shantel Norman     |
| James Wolf        | Tesa Carda       | Chance Haka        |
| Kathleen Lehrkamp | Lexi Lopour      | Breeze Olson       |
| Nicole Smith      | Grady Tibbs      | Madison Hand       |
| Jennifer Hulm     | Cade Larson      | Hailey Norman      |
| Bailey Tibbs      | Seth VanDenHemel | Austin Brown       |
| Cooper Carter     | Carley Harrowa   | Joshua Hauck       |
| Ali Scott         | Tawnee Whitley   | Kaycee Cronin      |
| Kimberlee Geuther | Shale Kramme     | Kady Nielsen       |
| Jacob Olson       | Daniel Slama     | Kelsey VanDenHemel |
| Andrea Drageset   | Damon Hoftiezer  | Tori Jones         |
| Morgan Masteller  | Chad Whitley     | Elizabeth Duffy    |
| Dylan Gaberial    | Brooke Gloe      | Ladd Kramme        |
| Lane Kramme       | Cade Stover      | Reid Wieczorek     |
| Courtney Brown    | JD Carter        | Brady Hoftiezer    |
| Mattie Jones      | Adam Brown       | Ryan Habeck        |
| Cale Meiners      |                  |                    |

#### “A and B” Honor Roll – 3.1 – 3.59 GPA

|                 |                   |               |
|-----------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Paige Bramblee  | Staci Harvey      | Amber Hogin   |
| Ashley Jeffries | Thomas Maupin     | Colin O’Dea   |
| Allison Reiman  | Danielle Schaefer | Cori Carroll  |
| Tate Cowan      | Robin Davis       | Tory Deal     |
| Jacob Extkorn   | Robert Eulberg    | Julia Fiddler |

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|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Tyler Harrowa      | Austin Lopour      | Cody Heckenliable |
| McKayla Lind       | Marli Masteller    | Chantry Norman    |
| Billie Olson       | Monte Scott        | Riley Ackley      |
| Nathan Cronin      | Meranda Boe        | Austin Johnson    |
| Daulton Mercer     | Kevin Boring       | Dawson Jones      |
| Slater Pauly       | Cody Ryckman       | Michael Scott     |
| Jalen Cater        | Cody Clarambeau    | Kallie Deal       |
| Derek Defender     | Matiah Hicks       | Kayla Hughes      |
| Zackary McQuiston  | Trey Montana       | Tyrel Olson       |
| Brandon Ryckman    | Sharon Young       | Wyatt Deal        |
| Chantelle Defender | Brooke Eckert      | Jacob Fratzke     |
| Tucker Gaer        | Ella Hand          | Kylie Heezen      |
| Kaitlyn Huebner    | Karely Leafgreen   | Jadon Pauly       |
| Taylor Robbennolt  | Alex Singleton     | Kennedy Sommars   |
| Trey Stroup        | Slater Tople       | Emma Cowan        |
| Brenna Dimmitt     | Austin Hand        | Riley Hannum      |
| Chase Hansen       | Samantha Longbrake | Allyson McQuiston |
| Jaden O'Daniel     | Tayn Saylor        | Patricia Spears   |
| Layna Tibbs        | Madysen Titze      | Shaelyn Utter     |
| Brody Wilson       | Grayson York       | Jorge Araujo-Cota |
| Abigail Arhart     | Teri Drageset      | Samantha Jensen   |
| Logan Kennedy      | Conner Kroll       | Carlee Olson      |
| Shelby Seale       | Kyle Stover        |                   |

Ms. Milliken reported the One- act Play will be performing for the community on January 24, 2011, at 6:30 P.M., in the Stanley County High School Gym. Wednesday, January 26, 2011, will be the Region Competition at Riggs Theatre in Pierre.

Duffy moved, seconded by Nutter, to adopt the following resolution:

RESOLUTION #3-2011 – BE IT RESOLVED, The School Board of the Stanley County School District #57-1, in accordance with SDCL 13-7-10, hereby approves the next school board election date as June 21, 2011. Voter registration, absentee voting, and procedures used in counting ballots shall be in accordance with Title 12 except as specifically provided in SDCL 13-7. The Stanley County School Board in accordance with SDCL 13-7-11, hereby approves the following voting precincts and polling places for the 2011 school board election:

Precinct #1 – Orton School  
Precinct #3 – Kirley Hall  
Precinct #14 – Hayes School  
Precincts #2, 4, 5, 6 & 9 – Stanley County High School

All voted aye.

Dr. Hotalling presented a school calendar for 2011-2012 school year. The calendar is to accommodate the standard schedule and offers opportunity for professional teacher in-service training within the 161- day contract previously held by the teachers. Dr. Hotalling asked the Board to review the calendar and make recommendations to the Administrative teams it approved at the February Board Meeting. Titze asked the Administrative Team to calculate the cost to add more Enrichment Fridays.

Dr. Hotalling presented a proposal to consider moving from a block schedule to a standard

schedule. The standard schedule increases instructional time with highly-qualified teachers by nearly 30% over the block schedule, and allows students to meet with highly qualified teachers for each class every day rather than every other day. The standard schedule provides strong learning structure whereby students are able to learn and digest smaller chunks of the information on a daily basis.

Dr. Hotalling asked if a decision on the standard verses block schedule, could be made at the February Board meeting.

Duffy moved, seconded by Titze to approve open enrollment 957, 958, 959, and 960. All voted aye.

Titze moved, seconded by Nutter to approve Public school exemption 11-01. All voted aye.

Mr. Jensen reported the boys' basketball team is playing in the Jones County Invitational Tournament this week. The girls' basketball team is in Gettysburg, and the wrestling team is in Mobridge and having a tournament in Philip this weekend. The gymnastic team is doing very well this year, winning the Stanley County Central meet, the Winter Wonderland in Vermillion, and the Stanley County Invitational. The gymnastic team has also had three individuals qualify for the State Gymnastic meet already.

The volleyball and basketball officials are almost all contracted for the 2011-2012 school year. If the Stanley County football team changes to 9-man next year, it has been invited to the Yellow Stone Trail Conference.

Mr. Jensen presented a report that shows the student participation in each sport and each grade level for the 2007-2008 school year to the 2010-2011 school year. He thanked Shae Carter and Brian Menning for putting the excel spreadsheet together.

John Duffy asked Mr. Jensen how it was going on scheduling activities the latter part on the week and not on Monday and Tuesday night for the next year. Mr. Jensen responded that most all sport events are on a two year contract and 2011-2012 is the last year; so when he is making the schedules for the 2012-2013 school year, he is working on getting those moved.

Mr. Hartwig reported they are working on their second revision on the School Wide Title I application. Mr. Hartwig and his staff have been reviewing different Math and Science curriculum. The elementary student count is up 10 students from last year. Mr. Hartwig reported their will be a professional development day on January 28, 2011. A representative from the reading series will be putting on the training to the elementary staff.

On December 17, 2010, Enrichment Friday there were about 33 students from the K-5 who attended.

The Board asked Mr. Hartwig to promote Enrichment Fridays, and let the parents and students know it is for all students.

Mr. Hollar reported Ms. Simons and Mrs. Cronin have worked with the staff and students in the Middle School/ High School and have created a Teacher/Student mentor program. This new program has decreased the number of failing students. Mr. Hollar thanked his staff for taking on this responsibility and helping the students.

Mr. Hollar has sent out grant applications to his staff, and encouraged the staff to look into the grants.

Mrs. Fromm reminded Mr. Hollar and his staff that before applying for any grants they must be

approved by the Business Manager and the School Board.

Mr. Hollar, Mr. Hartwig, Mr. Stotts, and Mrs. Overweg have been working on the student handbooks. Changes will be presented to the Board in February with Board adoption in March. Mr. Hollar expressed the change from block to standard scheduling and the change in the school calendar are very important. As soon the Board approves the calendar and the schedule, he can start working on the schedules for the 2011-2012 school year.

Ms. Simons and Mr. Rogers have been working together on trophy cases for the High School and Parkview Gym.

Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. Harms have been reviewing the math curriculum, while Mrs. Cronin, Mrs. Scott, and Mrs. Crawford have been reviewing the science curriculum.

The Board asked Mr. Hollar to make sure all the Student Council shirts are recalled and turned in. Mr. Hollar reported the students have been told to turn them in, and the misspelling on them was done by the printing company. The company will be reprinting new ones at no charge.

Superintendent Don Hotalling thanked the Board for all they do. Dr. Hotalling presented cards and posters made for the Board, by the students thanking them for their service. Dr. Hotalling gave each of the Board members the Governor's executive proclamation for the School Board recognition week.

Stanley County School District now has a Facebook page. Dr. Hotalling has been posting items on the Facebook page.

The City of Fort Pierre will help with snow removal. Dr. Hotalling thanked the City of Fort Pierre once again for all the help and services they provide to Stanley County School District.

Dr. Hotalling presented a list of the contacts made with the Capital Journal. The Board stressed to keep sending stories about the school and to keep detailed logs showing what has been sent.

Harrowa declared a short recess at 7:20 P.M.

Nutter moved, seconded by Titze to go into Executive Session according to SDCL 1-25-2 for personal reasons at 7:27 P.M. All voted aye.

President Sonny Harrowa declared the Board out of Executive Session at 8:30 P.M.

Duffy moved, seconded by Titze, to adjourn at 8:30 P.M. All voted aye.

Sonny Harrowa, President  
Jessi Fromm, Business Manager

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