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## Altoona-Midway USD 387

- Three of our student athletes received honors from the Three-River League. They were the following: Mikayla Kinzel-2<sup>nd</sup> team volleyball, Jimmy Willard- Honorable Mention Running Back and Dayton Marsh- Honorable Mention Running and Line Back. Congratulations!
- Forensics will be starting the week of November 26th
- The first MS Basketball game is November 26<sup>th</sup> at home and the first HS Basketball game on November 30<sup>th</sup> at home
- The ELA Curriculum Committee consists of Darrin Ashmore, Crystal Sizmore, Cynthia Dvorachek, Paige Reinhardt and Terry Smedley. They are reviewing state test scores, AIMSWEB and other state assessments.
- A new mentoring group at the high school has been formed. It is going very well.

### **Kim Reazin**

- Kindergarten had a Teddy Bear Picnic in October- The reason they did this was Mrs. Stierwalt talked about the seasons and the changes in the fall. So she made up a story about bears having one last picnic before they go into hibernation. She also talked about hibernation. She invited the PM prek for the picnic. Mainly this did it for fun.
- Wild in October- the students learned how to set up tents and made emergency safety bags
- Fredonia Arts Council- Sponsored two groups in November-The first one was Prince Caspian-a two man show, and Jay and Leslie-Sum of Our Favorite Numbers-fun way to teach students about math
- Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> Cathy Musick from Kansas Foundation for AG in the classroom, K-state, came down and presented on Agriculture and STEM in-service for all the teachers. They made cottage cheese, pollination experiment, extracted DNA from wheat germ. Also gave access to a KSU website so teachers are able to download information on STEM lesson plans. Pam Walker from Wilson County Conservation District was who contacted me and asked if we were interested in having Mrs. Musick come.
- Monday, November 19<sup>th</sup> – Science Olympiad-Teachers did experiments in their room.  
Building Towers-Presented by Dana Stierwalt  
Google Expedition-Presented by Jessica Wilson/Kate Walker  
Elephant Toothpaste-Presented by Sara Sample  
Magnets-Presented by Paige Reinhardt  
Lava Lamps-Presented by Helen Phillips/Ron Rice  
Gave away a year subscription to Ranger Rick

\*Christmas Program is Tuesday, December 4<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 p.m.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **EPA Bus Grant**

The grant has been submitted. The decision will be made in February.

#### **Strategic Plan Projects Updated Information**

Packets were distributed to the board members to take home and review.

#### **Information on the National Afterschool Conference**

Mr. Kaempfe attended the conference on Nov 12-14<sup>th</sup> in KC, MO.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **Budget Update and information from Craig Neuenswander meeting @ KSDE**

Gave update on the budget and where we are in relationship to the rest of the budget year. This will help in preparing for future projects.

#### **Preschool Survey**

Mrs. Reazin handed out a survey at Parent-Teacher conferences in order to understand the need for a daycare in our district. More to follow in upcoming months.

### **Personnel**

Tonia Raymond moved, Sharon Frankenbery seconded the motion to **approve Ron Rice as the Head HS girls basketball coach and Lea Chickadonz as the Assistant HS girls basketball coach.** Carried 5-0.

### **Superintendent Evaluation Tool Handout**

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Mr. Kaempfe handed the board paperwork for the Superintendent evaluation for the December Board meeting.

Recess

Resume at 7:24 p.m.

**Executive Session**

David Hutchison moved, Sharon Frankenbery seconded the motion to **go into executive session for the purpose of student confidentiality.** (Included Superintendent and both principals). Carried 5-0.

Meeting Resumed at 7:27 p.m. David Hutchison moved, Sharon Frankenbery seconded the motion to **go into executive session for the purpose of non-elected personnel.** (Including Superintendent and both principals). Carried 5-0 Meeting Resumed @ 7:33 p.m.

Adjourned at 7:34 p.m.

**Announcements**

Regular Meeting: Monday, December 10th, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

USD Holiday Party: Dec 8<sup>th</sup>. We will start between 5:30p.m. and 6:00 p.m. at Kim and Richard Reazin's home

\_\_\_\_\_ President

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