



GREENWOOD

SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWSLETTER | NOVEMBER 2022

REFLECTION ON THE SCHOOL YEAR

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The School District of Greenwood is off to a great start this school year. Our district has so many things to be proud of! As we have just completed the first quarter of the school year on November 3, it is important to reflect on a few of the many accomplishments. Whether it be winning a National Blue Ribbon Award, taking our 1-Act play to State, or completing a number of capital improvement projects, we continue to show pride in everything we do! This can be attributed to the highly qualified staff and extremely supportive community partnering to ensure we meet the needs of our students!

Although the extreme measures taken to protect our students, staff, and families during the Covid-19 pandemic have ended, the damage from that time is



MR. JOE GREEN

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR/
MIDDLE-HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

real. Students have fallen behind in some academic areas and the mental health needs of our students is greater than ever. Our district has partnered with a couple different entities, including Clark County and Children's of Wisconsin to better address the overall mental health of our kids. If you see a need for assistance, please reach out to one of the school offices for assistance.

FOOD SERVICE CHANGES

To help ease the financial burden on our families, the School District of Greenwood has decided to offer free breakfast to all students throughout this school year! Also, we have discounted the student lunch prices for all students. This was made possible by the funding provided through the

Covid-19 pandemic, which has created a healthy food service budget. We are unsure if this will continue into future years, but we hope it is helpful this school year.

JOINT SCHOOL BOARD COMMITTEE

The School District of Greenwood and Loyal have formed a Joint School Board Committee to meet and discuss how we can grow the opportunities for all of our students

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Holiday Programs

GREENWOOD ELEMENTARY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH | 1:30 PM
GREENWOOD HIGH SCHOOL | WEST GYM

GREENWOOD MIDDLE-HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19 | 7:00 PM
GREENWOOD HIGH SCHOOL | WEST GYM



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by sharing resources and ideas. This committee is focused on sharing, not consolidating. We want to open more opportunities for our students and ensure all of our students have access to the best resources that will help them graduate, college and career ready!

TEACHER SHORTAGES

A common hurdle that all districts are facing continues to be a shortage of teachers. This trend is continuing and staffing has become more and more difficult. The School District of Greenwood is fortunate to have such a highly skilled staff and are extremely grateful for the fantastic additions to our staff this year. All districts were not in the same situation. To date, there are still hundreds of jobs in schools across our state, and nation, unfilled. This has also had an impact on the pool of candidates that substitute. If you know of anyone interested, that has either an Associate or Bachelor degree, send them our way!

With the Holiday Season, I want to take this opportunity to express my gratitude for the wonderful community we all share. We are so lucky to live in such a kind and caring community that ensures the well-being of our kids. There are so many opportunities for giving throughout the holidays and I am always amazed at the support we have for each other.

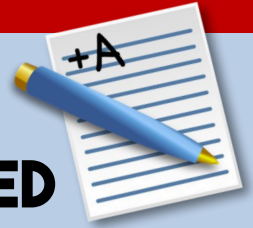
Greenwood Fitness Center

The Greenwood Community Fitness Center is open to Greenwood School District residents and recently has been approved for non-residents (with special rates that apply). Our next trainings are scheduled 6 p.m. on the following dates:

- **DECEMBER 19TH**
- **JANUARY 11TH & 23RD**
- **FEBRUARY 8TH & 27TH**

We ask that you pre-register for training by contacting Lisa Hinker at **715-267-6101 Ext. 2222**.

DISTRICT AND SCHOOL REPORTS CARDS RELEASED



The School District report cards for the 2021-22 year from the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction were released on November 15th.

Although we still have plenty of work ahead to grow, I am proud of the commitment our students and staff have shown to high levels of learning. Greenwood Elementary School's score was categorized as

Significantly Exceeds Expectations! Both the High School's and District's score fell into the Meets Expectations category. Again, there is work to be done but make no mistake, we are committed to excellence!

Learn more about the Department of Instruction Report Cards at: <https://dpi.wi.gov/accountability/report-cards>

GREENWOOD TEACHERS OF DISTINCTION ANNOUNCED

The Marshfield Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation has announced the finalists who are now in the running to receive awards next spring, as part of the 20th Annual Crystal Apple recognition program. The 2022-23 Teachers of Distinction were announced with surprise visits in their classrooms on Monday, Nov. 14, and each received a gift of appreciation sponsored by Marshfield Clinic Health System.

The list of finalists from Greenwood are:

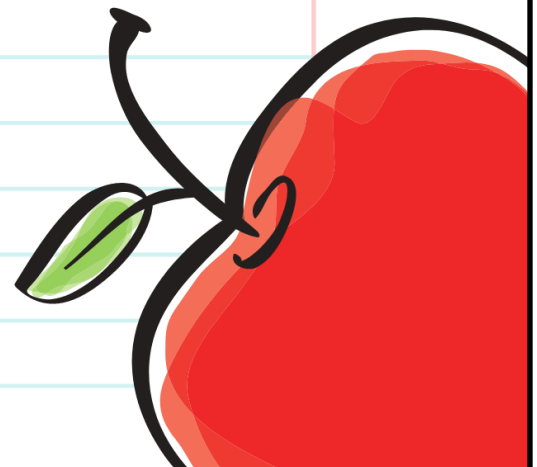
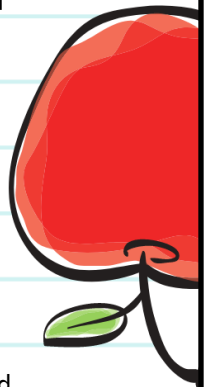
- **PENNY WEHRS**, Greenwood Middle-High School Physical and Health Education Teacher
- **STACIA JACOBY**, Greenwood Elementary School Second Grade Teacher

Partners in Educational Excellence and Workforce Development received a total of 1,512 nominations for 362 different teachers, as students, colleagues, parents and community members submitted nomination forms, based on educators who they thought were making a difference. From these names, an online ballot was created for teachers to vote on their top selections. A minimum of one teacher was selected to represent each school.

As the selection process moves forward, recommendations from school principals will be provided. The final step will occur

at the end of February when the Teachers of Distinction meet with a selection panel comprised of leaders from area businesses who place a high value on an educated workforce. The final selection will be based on expertise, innovation, and leadership. Our 2023 Crystal Apple winners will be announced in each of their schools on March 1, 2023.

All Teachers of Distinction will be honored at the Crystal Apple Awards banquet to be held May 3, 2023, at Hotel Marshfield in Marshfield.





LOCAL SCHOOL CHALLENGE DONATION RECEIVED FROM FIRST STATE BANK

First State Bank concluded their 2022 \$20 Local School Donation Challenge and presented 29 schools and districts in our communities with donation checks totaling \$4,760. With every new deposit account and loan opened from August 22—October 9, First State Bank pledged a \$20 donation to a local school district or school located in or neighboring a community where First State Bank is located, as selected by the customer. Shown above (L-R) is School District of Greenwood District Administrator, Mr. Joe Green receives a \$120 local school challenge donation from Greenwood Branch Manager, Jana Young. Funds have been earmarked for students who have financial need for dues, fees and/or other school supplies.

NHS & FCCLA HOST HALLOWEEN PARTY

On Saturday October 29th, the National Honor Society Chapter along with FCCLA, hosted a Halloween Party for elementary students. The party was filled with fun games such as Pumpkin Bowling, Pin the Nose on the Pumpkin, Halloween Golf, Ghost Darts, Halloween Plinko, and more. In addition to the games, kids had the opportunity to do arts and crafts projects or get their faces painted by Morgan Raese, our current Miss Greenwood. We also provided lunch for participants. There was a costume contest separated by age groups, with three winners per group. At this event we collected items for our local food pantry. We had a great turnout for this event and it was a lot of fun for everyone who participated.



GREENWOOD PARTICIPATES IN NOW PROGRAM

The Nutrition On Weekends (NOW) program is a Marshfield United Way collaborative, community effort to target childhood hunger. The program provides healthy, ready-to-eat nutritional foods for children during the weekend.

The program was created in response to data collected from Marshfield students as part of the Youth Risk Behavior Survey. In a survey from 2015, 23% of students surveyed indicated he/she had gone to bed hungry at least once in the past thirty days because there was not enough food in the home.

Every other week during the school year, each family will receive a food package containing items for breakfast and lunch for the week.

TO HELP GUARANTEE THE NOW PROGRAM TO BE A SUCCESS, DONATIONS ARE NEEDED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR TO MEET THE NEEDS OF OUR CHILDREN.

Donations can be dropped off at either school office throughout the school year.

DONATION WISH LIST ITEMS:

- PEANUT BUTTER / JELLY
- GRANOLA BARS
- CHEERIOS (ORIGINAL, HONEY NUT, OR MULTI-GRAIN), RAISIN BRAN OR LIFE CEREAL
- PRETZELS
- FRUIT SNACKS
- DRIED FRUIT
- GOLDFISH / ANIMAL CRACKERS
- SUGAR-FREE JELLO CUPS
- FRUIT CUPS
- APPLESAUCE CUPS
- RAISINS/CRAISINS
- ZIPLOC SANDWICH BAGS

If you have any questions about the program, or want further information, please contact the Elementary Office at 715-267-7211. We look forward to you joining us in our efforts to combat hunger in our community.



2022 National Blue Ribbon Award Greenwood Elementary

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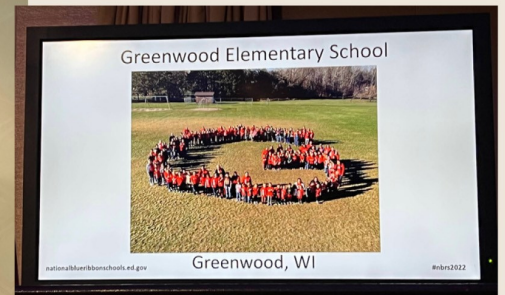
Exemplary Achievement Gap Closing Schools

Exemplary Achievement Gap Closing Schools are among their state's highest performing schools in closing achievement gaps between a school's student groups and all students.

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Statistics

Schools in the USA, public and private: 128,961
Schools nominated for the Blue Ribbon Award: up to 420
National Award recipients in 2022: 297
Wisconsin Award recipients in 2022: 8
WI Exemplary Achievement Gap Closing Schools: 2



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All School Celebration

Greenwood Elementary School will be celebrating this grand achievement on **Tuesday, November 22nd**. Students, staff, and community members will partake in an assembly, flag raising, and activities to honor their hard work.

Congratulations!

<https://nationalblueribbonschools.ed.gov/>

Thank You For
Your Service!



DAVID BOE



MARK LINDNER



HARRY JOHNSON



DENNIS BOGDONOVICH



FRANK ARCH



ROGER SCHWARZE



PETE DEJNO



CARL ROSSOW



ABOVE: Greenwood Wallis-Hinker-Bruce American Legion Post #238 members arrive.



AT LEFT: Rogan Travis, Student Council President, MC's the Veteran's Day Program. Special guest speaker was Mr. David Boe, 7th District, 1st Vice-Commander and Post Commander of the Greenwood Wallis-Hinker-Bruce American Legion Post #238. **ABOVE:** Greenwood High School Choir as they perform during the program.

LEGACY STONE AWARDED



Family members of the late Charles Suda, shown with the Legacy stone.

This year's Legacy Stone was awarded to the late Charles J. Suda. Mr. Suda was a corporal in the US Army, having served in Korea. Family members were on hand to receive the award. The stone will be placed at the Highground in Neillsville next summer.



Mr. Moseley presents family with Legacy Stone.

Elementary News & Highlights

4K NEWS

MRS. BAEHR

The boys and girls have done a great job so far in the 4-K program. We have been adjusting to our classroom and the long school day. We are working on our daily routine and learning where everything important is in our classroom and school (our cubbies, the bathroom, the lunchroom, etc.). We have also been having a lot of fun getting to know all of our friends by sharing things from home in our "Me Stew" bucket. During the month of September we talked about apples and made applesauce in our classroom. During October we learned about fire safety, how pumpkins grow, and carved pumpkins. We also enjoyed spending time with our families on Halloween. We sang songs, made a project, and made a snack with our families. We are very excited about being in school and learning new things every day!!

KINDERGARTEN NEWS

MRS. COOPER & MS. HAND

In ARC, we have been reading lots of yellow-leveled books. The stories are short and repetitive but that is the beginning building block of reading! Along with learning to read, we are working on comprehension like retelling and order of events, naming the characters, setting, and main ideas. We have also been working on rhyming words and identifying the beginning sounds in words.

In math, we have focused our attention on numbers 1-5. We have looked at their quantities and all the different arrangements for each number. We have also practiced writing the numbers. We are now studying numbers 6-10. We are comparing the numbers, which are fewer and which are greater. We are looking at what partners go together in numbers (ex. 4 is 2 and 2) and if there is a 5 group in the number (ex. 8 is 5 and 3).



The first grade class learned about fire safety from the Greenwood Fire Dept. They brought in the smoke house to help us learn.

1ST GRADE NEWS

MRS. KNOECK & MRS. PLAUTZ

The first graders are wild! We have been researching wild and endangered animals; bears, birds, big cats, elephants, snakes, crocodiles, frogs, and wolves. Our goal is to publish a book about the animal we have chosen over the next 7 weeks. We are becoming experts on our animals!

In math, we have been focusing on partners and totals and learning to solve story problems for either the unknown partner or unknown total. We are learning how subtraction and addition equations are related.

We have read several chapter books together. We LOVE Junie B. Jones and Magic Tree House.

We have just started the November reading challenge. For every 10 steps we read we get a fruit to add to the school wide cornucopia. Mr. Lilly will be dressing up as a turkey on November 22nd if the school reaches 10,000 steps before Nov. 21st. Mr. Lilly will pick one fruit from each class to receive a special prize. We are

starting to practice Christmas songs. We hope you will join us for the concert this year.

2ND GRADE NEWS

MRS. DORWALDT & MS. JACOBY

The second graders are going BUGGY! The second graders began a new unit of study: Bugs in Their Ecosystems! Second grade has been infested with books about bugs. The students are reading, writing, and learning all kinds of interesting facts about the lives of these interesting creatures. Over the next nine weeks, students will study a variety of bugs; learning about their physical characteristics, eating habits, adaptive behaviors, and much more!

In math, the students have been learning all about place value and using this knowledge to add 2- and 3-digit numbers. The second grade students have become adequate problem solvers in learning the "big mystery" in addition to making a new ten or a new hundred! Students have learned various methods to solve two and three digit addition problems to find the solutions!

3RD GRADE NEWS

MS. HODOWANIC & MRS. HORVATH

The 3rd graders just wrapped up their first Literacy Unit focused on books in a series (*The Magic Tree House*) and narrative writing, where they wrote their own "Jack and Annie" story! They are now starting their Research Unit on weather, where they will research a weather phenomenon. In math, they have been learning multiplication and division concepts and strategies to solve word problems and find the area of rectangles. They will continue to practice the facts throughout the year to build fluency.

4TH GRADE NEWS

MRS. KOLANO

What a great start to the 2022-2023 school year! We are all glad to be back reading and learning about our world. Our math so far has been learning place value for larger numbers and multiplying numbers including one-digit by three-digit, one-digit by four-digit, and two-digit by two-digit. Our reading program is helping us learn new strategies to improve our comprehension skills. Content areas that we have already studied are story structure, author's purpose, and theme. We were able to begin writing our own narrative realistic fiction story with our new knowledge. Our social studies curriculum for 4th grade is all about Wisconsin, and we began by looking at our geography, learning to read maps, and how the last Ice Age shaped our state. In science, we are starting our unit on living organisms. Stay tuned for more next time.

5TH GRADE NEWS

MRS. JOHNSON & MS. KLEIN

What a busy beginning to our 5th-grade year! In Reading/Writing Workshop, we have been working hard to build a community of readers and writers. We began the year learning to find our best fit books...books that are fun fast, and easy for us to read with no adult

support. We learned that research says the best way to become a better reader is to spend at least 60 minutes every day doing the work of independent reading!

In our first literacy unit, we reviewed reading a text closely to determine what a text explicitly says, to make logical inferences about our text, and to use text evidence to support our conclusions about a book's theme and the author's purpose. We have worked on building our reading vocabulary by noticing academic and technical words in our reading and using context clues to help us figure out the meanings of unfamiliar words. We are noticing the 8 types of figurative language in our reading and learning to add them to our own writing. We have practiced writing routinely over short periods and longer periods for many different purposes (narrative, informational, and argumentative writing). We also finished our first extended writing - a narrative short story.

In math, we hit the year running, working on fluently comparing, adding, and subtracting fractions. We learned how to quickly find equivalent fractions and how to simplify fractions to the lowest terms. In Unit 2, we worked on comparing, ordering, adding, and subtracting whole numbers and decimals through the

thousandths place. Having a good understanding of fractions has been a huge help in understanding decimals!

Overall, we are settling into the routines and the higher level of expectations of 5th grade. We look forward to continuing to grow and blossom as readers, writers, researchers, and mathematicians.

6TH GRADE NEWS

MR. MOSELEY

In Language Arts the sixth graders are reading about the Revolutionary War to learn about the many events that led the colonists to revolt against British Rule. The students will be researching one event or topic and will create a display of their research. In social studies, the class is learning about ancient civilizations such as Egypt. They are investigating the religion, economy, and how Africa's geography impacted the people who lived there. The sixth graders are learning about numerical and algebraic expressions in math class. They are using these expressions to solve everyday problems. During science class the students have been studying different groups of invertebrates. They even had the opportunity to dissect squid. They thought the dissection lab was pretty cool.



Capture *the* Moment

is the 2023 GHS Yearbook theme.

**Don't miss out and
order your book today!**

**Contact Mrs. Lambrecht at
welambrecht@greenwood.k12.wi.us
or order at www.jostens.com**

MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY NEWS

Our Middle/High School Library is home to not only a physical collection of books but also an online collection of databases and resources for our students. Seventh and eighth grade students have been busy learning how to use databases for their research and how to access Sora, our online eBook and audiobook platform. How wonderful it is to have all of this information and resources available to us!

Mrs. Green and Mrs. Lambrecht worked together to teach a robotics unit to eighth graders in October. Students were able to learn about coding and how it works on three different types of robots: BeeBot, Ozobot, and Sphero. Students were very invested in learning how these things work!



LIBRARY BUZZ

NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL LIBRARIES

K-12 LIBRARY MEDIA TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST | MRS. MICHELE GREEN
MIDDLE-HIGH SCHOOL LMC ASSISTANT | MRS. TINA PRINDLE
ELEMENTARY LMC ASSISTANT | MRS. LORI TRAVIS

ELEMENTARY NEWS

We are so happy to be back at school checking out books from the library! All students visit the library each week and find new books to read. We also use technology, MakerSpace, and building materials in the library for a wide variety of activities. In September, our younger grades created dots for International Dot Day and sent their artwork to one other school in one of the 50 states. In October, fourth grade students received their first letters from our pen pal class in Alaska!

In October, the annual Book Character Pumpkin contest was held and we had 51 pumpkin entries. The submissions this year were astounding! Thank you to all who participated in this fun tradition. This year's winners were:

- 5K - Nick Susa—*Underwear! pumpkin*
- 1st - McKenna Behrens—*Itty-Biity Kitty-Corn pumpkin*
- 2nd - Cruz Niemann - *Great White Shark*
- 3rd - Kyler Wynn—*Snorlax pumpkin*
- 4th - Bennett Jaenke—*Packer pumpkin*
- 5th - Hannah Kolano—*Creepy Carrots! pumpkins*
- 6th - Tierra Ebidon—*Scare Me pumpkin*
- Staff - Ms. Stacia Jacoby—*Smart Cookie pumpkin*



ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY CLASSES PREPARE FOR SURGERY

The Anatomy and Physiology Class has been busy this fall reviewing some basic biology principles and is starting the study of the human body. We also brought back this year some advanced biology topics such as dissections. Classes performed surgery and dissected a spiny dogfish or a species of small sharks. As marine creatures these animals are fairly harmless to human divers, but are ocean predators nonetheless. The students will examine such features as the lateral line system and nose sensors that allow the fish to detect and interpret hydrodynamic distortions that could signal prey or enemies in their environment. The class is also including some molecular genetics topics including review of basic gel electrophoresis, gel separation techniques of DNA analysis, and doing some forensic analysis of blood samples such as in crime solving techniques. The class is preparing for a field trip to UW-Stout to experience the cadaver lab and the electrophysiology/psychology lab where brain waves are analyzed through minute changes in temperature of subcutaneous receptors.

**MR. DAVID
POST
SCIENCE
INSTRUCTOR**



FOOD TRUCK PREPARES MEALS

Greenwood High School Food Truck class has their first meal under their belts. Food truck also catered the Taco stuffed shells meal for the joint leadership committee lunch recently. It was a great opportunity for them that they really enjoyed and took pride in. Food Truck students shown above are (L-R): Luke Plechacek, Derek Dietrich, Johnathan Grambsch, Angel Anderson, Braelynn Johnson, Marissa Hernandez and Marikate Davidson. Missing from photo is: Olivia Cullen and Ethan Shaw.

FFA Fruit & Nut Sale NOVEMBER 7TH-28TH

Please contact a
current FFA
member to place
your order.
or contact
Mrs. Amborn
at 715-267-6101.

Expected
delivery date is
**DEC. 19,
2022**



Dissection of a spiny dogfish a species of a small shark.

GREENWOOD ATTENDS NATIONAL FFA CONVENTION



Greenwood FFA traveled to Indianapolis, IN for the National FFA Convention October 25-28. The students traveled to the National FFA Center to learn about FFA history, explored college, career, and technological opportunities at the FFA Expo, listened to expert keynote speakers and leaders, and had some fun as well! We are so grateful to the Greenwood School Board for allowing us to attend this trip, our administration and teachers for helping the students be successful throughout their absence, and especially the Greenwood FFA Alumni for financially supporting the students on this journey.



Days were busy for students attending the National Convention in Indianapolis. Students began their day with shopping at the expo, attending workshops. Sessions such as Leadership Building Skills, Entrepreneurship and Communication workshops were just a few that students attended. The group photo above shows student posing for a quick picture before attending the Mickey Guyton and Russell Dickerson concerts at the end of the day.

AT LEFT: During opening ceremony Wisconsin was highlighted with presentation of flag of the state. Over 30,000 attendees were at the FFA National Convention.



SPANISH CLUB MEMBERS TRAVEL TO MIAMI

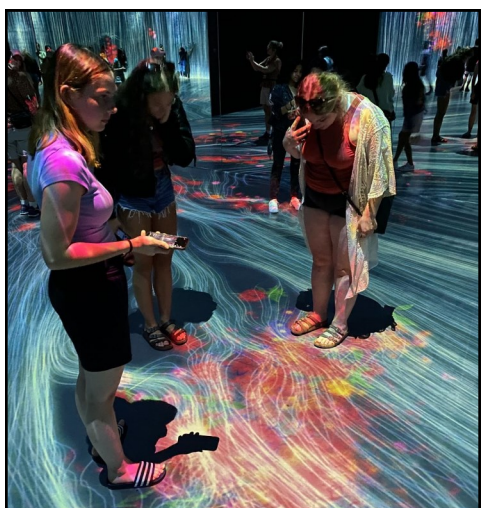
The Greenwood Spanish Club traveled to Miami, from Nov 2-6. With 70% of residents being Hispanic they had many opportunities

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to practice their Spanish. They experienced cultures in neighborhoods that were Venezuelan, Cuban, Dominican, Haitian, and Afro-American. They took tours showing the distinction being the city of Miami, the countryside of the Everglades, and the Coral Reef at the John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park. They dove into history by stopping by the Historic Hampton House. They took a piece of the gallery at the Little Haiti Cultural Center. They interacted with the digital contemporary art experience that is Super Blue. And, yes, they had time to get their feet wet in the Atlantic Ocean. All in all it was an unforgettable encounter.



Everglades Airboat Ride



Super Blue (L-R): Lenne Van Meer, Morgan Raese, Jaylinn Artac.



Little Haiti Cultural Center Gallery (BACK L-R): Morgan Raese, Jaylinn Artac, Marie, Lenne Van Meer, Bria Thomas, Brenda Thomas, Alyseah Anderson, Logan Gorton, Jaren Cullen, Olivia Cullen, Shelley Cullen. (FRONT): Nicholas Konopa, Leslie Gorton, Jeni Raese.



Student shown at Left on the John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park Glass Bottom Boat (L-R): Morgan Raese, Jaylinn Artac, Lenne Van Meer, Bria Thomas.



Miami double decker bus tour through Miami was a beautiful sunshine day. Attending were (BACK L-R): Bria Thomas, Morgan Raese, Alyseah Anderson, Lenne Van Meer, Jaylinn Artac. (MIDDLE) Brenda Thomas, Jeni Raese, Leslie Gorton, Logan Gorton. (FRONT): Jaren Cullen, Shelley Cullen, Olivia Cullen.

DRAMA DEPARTMENT MAKES IT TO THE WHSFA STATE THEATER FESTIVAL

The 1-act drama returns to STATE competition for the 3rd year in a row. The 1-act play "Dirt" by Mandy Conner, has made it through District and Sectional competition to advance to the State competition at UW-Whitewater November 18-19. Greenwood placed 2nd in total points at the Sectional competition out of seven plays. Performing at the state level provides the students the opportunity to win individual and ensemble awards.

**BY DIRECTOR
JO ELMER**

"Dirt" takes place in 1935 Texas, during the Dust Bowl. It follows the Loftin family through the trials and tribulations of surviving the harsh conditions while dealing with difficult family dynamics. A moment in American history sets the stage for this personal drama about finding purpose amid overwhelming disaster.

Seven Seniors will compete for the last time including Katlund Etlicher, Rogan

Travis, Christian Thomas, Destiny Durrstein, Braelynn Johnson, Marissa Hernandez, and Christian Kuester. Junior Mason Stieglitz. Sophomores Emily Hebert, Jennifer Rodriguez, Bria Thomas and Tyson Lindner(stage managers), Kynton Lamont and James Durrstein(sound and lights) freshman-

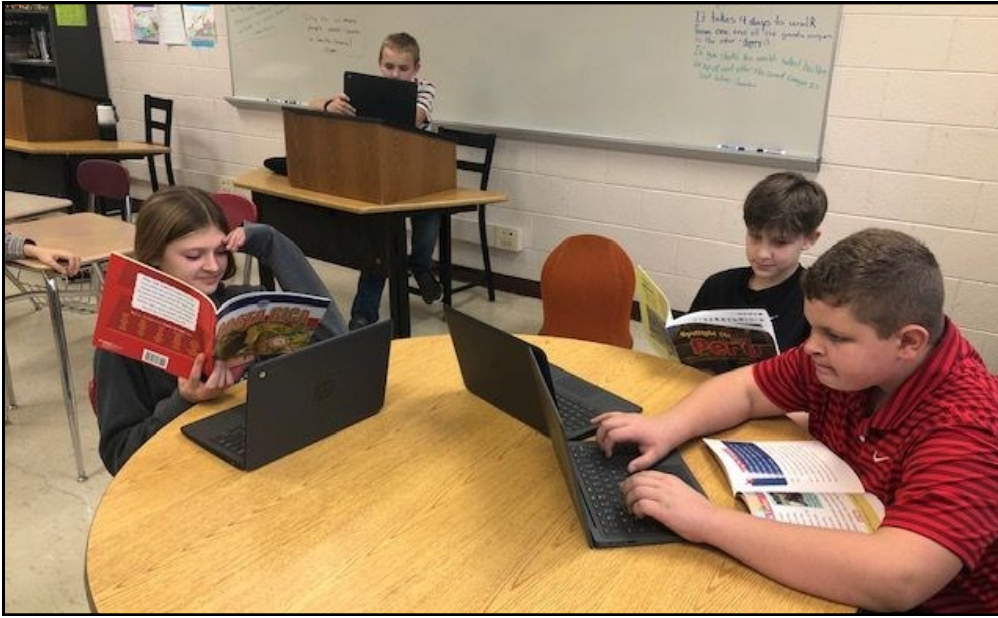
Madison Stieglitz, Tatum Travis, Canon Madison, and Victoria Prindle round out the cast and crew for this production. Directed by Jo Elmer. Make up by Brenda Thomas. Set design by Ralph Krultz. Good Luck at State!



CAST AND CREW

EDITHDestiny Durrstein
LLOYD.....Christian Thomas
ALVIS Rogan Travis
DEBBIE.....Braelynn Johnson
UNEX (TIMOTHY)..... Mason Stieglitz
MIKE.....Tatym Travis
GARY RAYCanon Madison
FRANKMadison Stieglitz
CUFFYChristian Kuester
WINNIEEmily Hebert
PREACHER.....Jaren Cullen
DOOCHIE.....Marissa Hernandez
BREAD LINE WOMAN..... Katlund Etlicher
ENSEMBLEHannah Brehm &
..... Victoria Prindle
..... Jennifer Rodriguez
TECHNICAL CREW.....James Durrstein &
.....Kynton La Mont
STAGE MANAGERSTysen Lindner &
.....Bria Thomas





Avery Travis, Mason Kohnert, Alex Fischer, Parker Williams researching their Latin American country.

STUDENTS RESEARCHING GEOLOGY AND LATIN AMERICA

Both seventh and eighth-grade students recently began a new research unit in our English and Language Arts program. Seventh-grade students are becoming experts on Latin America, while our eighth-graders are studying Geology. Fun facts we've discovered so far:

- Parts of the Amazon River are so vast, you can't see across to the other side
- Central America has a population of over 50 million people
- Baseball is the national sport of Puerto Rico
- Volcanoes are largely responsible for the geographical makeup of Nicaragua
- Weather plays a large role in shaping Earth's surfaces.

KINDNESS RECOGNIZED

Starting November 21, our middle school students will begin to be recognized for their acts of kindness toward others. Students are being challenged with the expectation of using respectful language toward peers, treating others with kindness, limiting negative or hurtful comments, and following directions appropriately. If you're visiting our building, come check out our Kindness Tree in the middle school hallway to learn about the positive community our students are building.



BUTTER BRAID SALE



Keep your freezer stocked with mouthwatering, easy to prepare, fun-to-serve Butterbraids! Arriving before Christmas!

Support Greenwood Middle School as they raise funds for their school dances, field trips, and community building projects by ordering delicious Butterbraids.

STUDENTS ARE SELLING BUTTER BRAID PASTRIES FROM NOVEMBER 14-28

Product will be delivered December 15th.

If you would like to order, but are not contacted by a middle school student, you may email Mrs. Bolf for an online order form at abbolf@greenwood.k12.wi.us

ON BEHALF OF
GREENWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL

Thank you
FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

FOOTBALL SEASON HIGHLIGHTS & AWARDS

We started off the season with a good

**BY HEAD COACH
CHRIS SCHMITZ**

performance in our scrimmage, the boys played well and gave us some things to improve on for our inexperienced team. Week one brought an eye-opener to our team and really showed the inexperience we had. Of the starting squad, only 3 have major varsity experience. Week 2 showed some promise as we played very well. Then week 3 hit and our injury parade began. Fast forward to our final game Alma-Center Lincoln, our best game of the season. The boys played with a different level of energy and intensity that game and made for a fun game to be a part of. Looking back at this season you can ask yourself, was this a successful season? By the wins and losses category no, but when you look at how this group of boys kept showing up, still wanting to learn and get better, that goes in the win column. It helps define character, develop who you are going to become. Yes that's success. That's how you have to look at a season like this. I give these boys a lot of credit for sticking with it and playing hard every game.

ALL CONFERENCE AWARDS

- **Rogan Travis** — 2nd Team - Offensive Line
- **Rogan Travis** — 2nd Team - Defensive Line
- **Ryver Glynn** — 2nd team — Defensive Back
- **Christian Thomas** — Honorable Mention Linebacker

TEAM AWARDS:

- MVP — Ryver Glynn
- Offensive MVP — Christian Thomas
- Defensive MVP — Rogan Travis
- Practice Player of the Year — Tony Morales
- Utility Player of the Year — Gage Ludovic
- Hatchet Award — Wyatt Thomas
- Best Lineman — Ethan Shaw

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- **Rogan Travis** - #1 all time sack leader for Greenwood football with 6 this year and 20 career sacks.



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VOLLEYBALL RECAP 2022

BY JENNI MAYENSCHIEIN
HEAD COACH

Greenwood varsity volleyball team ended the season with the following Team Awards. Congratulations on your season girls!

TEAM AWARDS:

Top Server: Braelyn Johnson

Kill Leader: Morgan Raese

Dig Leader: Jaylinn Artac

Assist Leader: Avry Wuethrich

Block Leader: Sarah Beth Reiff

Offensive Player: Delaney Kirchner

Defensive Player: Delaney Kirchner

Most Improved: Tatym Travis



2022 GREENWOOD VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM MEMBERS

Shown above (FRONT L-R): Marikate Davidson, Bria Thomas, Sarah Beth Reiff, Jaylinn Artac, (Back): Head Coach Jenni Mayenschein, Morgan Raese, Braelynn Johnson, Tatym Travis, Britney Walde, Coach Kelsey Hoverson, Lainy Trampush, Delaney Kirchner, Abry Wuethrich, Destiny Durrstein and Coach Jenny Hinker.

Cloverbelt All Conference Team Members Announced

Greenwood High School is proud to announce our 2022 season All-Conference Team members that were recently announced. They include (L-R):

VOLLEYBALL

- **Avry Wuethrich** - setter, honorable mention

FOOTBALL

- **Rogan Travis** - defensive lineman and offensive lineman, second team
- **Ryver Glynn** - defensive back, 2nd team
- **Christian Thomas** - linebacker, honorable mention





Greenwood Middle-High School 2022-23 TERM 1 HONOR ROLL

HONOR ROLL IS BASED ON GRADES EARNED FROM **SEPT. 1, 2022 — NOV. 3, 2022**
(HONOR ROLL IS SHOWN IN ALPHABETIC ORDER.)

HONOR ROLL A (3.5-4.0 GPA)

SENIORS

JAYLINN ARTAC
CADEN ARTEMAN
OLIVIA CULLEN
MARIKATE DAVIDSON
DESTINY DURRSTEIN
MANDEE FELT
ASHLEE HAMM
BRAELYNN JOHNSON
DELANEY KIRCHNER
CHRISTIAN KUESTER
LUKE PLECHACEK***
MORGAN RAESE***
KAYLEE RINEHART

BREANNA SCHUCK
CHRISTIAN THOMAS
WYATT THOMAS
ROGAN TRAVIS
LENNE VAN MEER

JUNIORS

JULAINÉ MANAHAN
SARAH REIFF
BREANNA ROWE
LAINY TRAMPUSH
AVRY WUETHRICH

SOPHOMORES

KAYLA GRAMBSCH
TYSEN LINDNER

FRESHMAN

ADDY BIENECK
ZACHARY DEEVERS
BAILEY ECKES
DESIRAH JACOBS
LIV LUCAS***
CANON MADISON
ANTONIO MORALES
TATYM TRAVIS

8TH GRADE

NEELA BAEHR***
RILEY ENGLEBRETSON
KORDELIA GEIGER
KEAGAN GIPE
ASHLYN GREEN
FAITH KOLANO***
ANDREW LINDNER***
MARISSA PLAUTZ
NICOLE SAZAMA

7TH GRADE

MASON KOHNERT
BROOKLYN SLADICH
PARKER WILLIAMS

*** = PERFECT 4.0 GPA

HONOR ROLL B (3.0-3.499 GPA)

SENIORS

DEREK DIETRICH
HUNTER ELLIS
KATLUND ETLICHER
RYVER GLYNN
JOHNATHAN GRAMBSCH
MARISSA HERNANDEZ
GAGE LUDOVIC
TATUM PALMS

JUNIORS

CODY ECKES
RYLIE LOFQUIST
TIFFANY MITTE

DANICA REVIER
MICHAEL THOMAS
BRITNEY WALDE

SOPHOMORES

PAIGE BEYERL
JAREN CULLEN
ADDISON DAVIDSON
JAMES DURRSTEIN
EMILY HEBERT
KARSYN PENK
ELLA RIEMER
BRIA THOMAS

FRESHMAN

HANNAH DORWALDT
RENAYA HORVATH
ETHAN LETVINUCK
CARSON LUDWIG
LUCAS NIELSEN
VICTORIA PRINDLE
HAYDEN RAKOVEC
KAHLI SCHWINGLE
MADISON STIEGLITZ

8TH GRADE

ANAIS EBIDON
ELIZABETH GRAMBSCH
ALLISON STIEGLITZ
RHIANNAN SWANSON

7TH GRADE

ALEXZANDER FISCHER
RIGGIN GARDNER
ASA GLADE
ALLISON MOLINE
BRADY RAKOVEC
AVERY TRAVIS

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Thank you 2022-23 members!

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- DANNY & TONI BRAVENER
- ELMER'S HILLTOP DAIRY
- DURRSTEIN FAMILY
- FIRST WEBER REALTY—JULIE SIMEK
- JENNIE GREEN
- JOE & MICHELE GREEN
- AARON & REBECCA GREISEN
- KADE & JENNY HINKER
- LISA HINKER
- KENT, WENDY, LEXI, JONAH & XANDER HINKER
- RANDY & GINA HINKER FAMILY
- TONY & TERA HORVATH
- ANDREW JOHNSON & FAMILY
- SHAWN & KIM KOLANO
- SID LEWIS
- BLAKE & KATIE LIEBZEIT & FAMILY
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- SHANE & CINDY RASMUSSEN FAMILY
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- BRAD & DEBRA ROWE FAMILY
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- DEREK & CHERYL SCHEUERMAN
- EVAN, AMANDA, KALEB & KYLIE SCHLOUGH
- CHRIS & JANA SCHMITZ FAMILY
- AMY SLADICH
- TROY & BRENDA THOMAS
- CAROLE TOBUREN
- TOBUREN TAX SERVICE—LAURA TOBUREN
- STEVE & LORI TRAVIS
- TRICOR INSURANCE—GINA HINKER, CIC
- GREG & CAROLYN VOLOVSEK
- DALE & MICHELLE WALDE & FAMILY
- PENNY WEHRS
- WILLARD WELL / DON'S GENERAL REPAIR
- DAN & JESSICA WOLF & FAMILY
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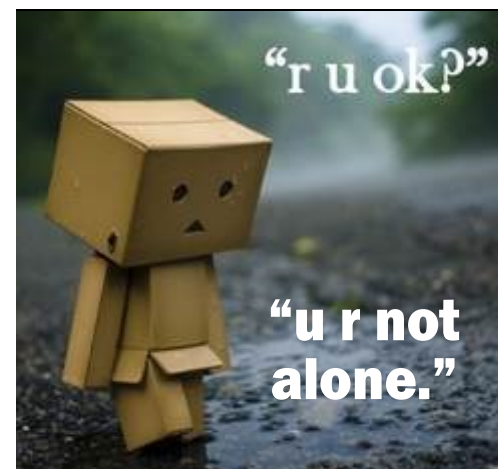
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School Board Meeting Minutes

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES AUGUST 8, 2022

Jerome Krempasky, President called the regular meeting of the Greenwood Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m.

Verification of Compliance with open meeting law. The Regular School Board Meeting notice was published in the August 3, 2022, issue of the Tribune-Record Gleaner and posted on the school web-site.

Roll Call with board members present: Krempasky, Gardner, Lindner, Shain, and Wolf. Quorum established.

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Lindner, to approve the Regular Board meeting minutes from July 11, 2022, as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Gardner, to approve the Treasurer report as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Gardner and seconded by Wolf, to approve Vouchers #86252-86319 for \$451,324.87 for payment. Motion carried.

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Lindner to accept the donation of \$260 towards the tennis court net replacements. Accept donations from Forward Bank for \$1,000, Dallman Insurance for \$400, Lions Club for \$800, and Trevor and Tonia Wuethrich for \$800 towards the pitching mound. Accept donation of file cabinets and copy paper from Grassland Dairy Products. Motion carried.

A motion by Lindner and seconded by Wolf to approve the hiring of the following:

- Debbie Englebreton, Art Teacher (5k-12)
- Sherry Lesczykowski, 6th Grade Teacher
- Chris Ghess, Assistant Football Coach

A motion by Shain and seconded by Gardner to approve the resignation of:

- Thomas Reetz, Custodian

FIELD TRIPS: None.

PRESENTATIONS:

Mrs. Michele Green and 5th grade students, Brady Susa and Jaci Olson, shared information on the Camp Invention Explore with 64 campers and 8 student leaders.

Mr. Noah Werner and Mrs. Loghan Amborn presented information on Career Technical Incentive Grant since 2017

COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC: None.

REPORTS:

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL REPORT: Mr. Lilly

shared updates on the summer building projects and elementary staffing. Camp Invention and Hunter Safety classes updates. Continuing to look for Kids Club staffing members.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR / DEAN OF STUDENTS REPORT: Ms. Mayenschein reported on the beginning of the fall sports season and included the number of student participants.

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT: Mr. Green reported on middle/high school scheduling, early graduation and college credits. There was a broken window and building safety and security should be discussed. Reports given on the following: Threat Assessment training, Joint Board Committee, In-Service schedule, Poverty Simulation and New Superintendent Academy.

BOARD MEMBERS' REPORTS-CESA 10: Mr. Green gave an update on the CeSA #10 Annual Meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: Tentative board committee meeting dates and times were

shared.

DISCUSSION AND/OR POSSIBLE ACTION:

DISTRICT OPERATIONS

The district operation plans for 2022-2023 were discussed.

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

Staffing updates were shared. At this time fully staffed with the exception of the floating substitute teacher position.

FINANCE:

A motion made by Wolf and seconded by Shain to approve the 2021-22 budget transfers as presented. Motion carried.

Ms. Zimmer updated on the latest released numbers for equalized aid for the 2022-23 budget.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Krempasky to approve the Federal School Breakfast/Lunch Ala Carte pricing for 2022-23. Motion carried.

Ala-Carte pricing review was tabled for the upcoming board meeting.

Mr. Green and Ms. Zimmer updated the board on ESSER funds planning for the future 2 years.

A motion was made by Gardner and seconded by Shain to approve continuing the same services with ADS as 2021-22 at the same rate for 2022-23. Motion carried.

An update on the 2022-23 Business Insurance Policy was shared with property insurance costs going up about \$12,630 for 2022-23.

Motion made by Shain and seconded by Gardner to add 3 additional options for 2022-23 Business Insurance coverage as noted. Motion carried.

CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Wolf to approve the MOU with Clark County Community Services for Mental Health Counseling services. Motion carried.

Mr. Green presented the 2021-22 report on Seclusion and Restraint.

The update on 2021-22 State Assessment results were tabled until the September Regular Board meeting.

POLICY

A motion made by Krempasky and seconded by Lindner to approve the second reading of the NEOLA Policy update 31-1. Motion carried.

BUILDING & GROUNDS:

Mr. Green shared updates on completed summer projects which included bleacher install and basketball lifts in west gym.

Upcoming BOARD MEETINGS

- DECEMBER 21— 7:00 P.M.
- JANUARY 25 — 7:00 P.M.
- FEBRUARY 22 — 7:00 P.M.

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Joe Green

District Administrator /
Middle-High School Principal

Ms. Jenni Mayenschein

Dean of Students (7-12) / Athletic Director

Mr. Shane Lilly

Elementary Principal

GREENWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION

Jerome Krempasky President
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Mark Shain Treasurer
Jessica Wolf Clerk
Jamie Gardner Trustee

Mr. Green presented the 10-year capital Improvement Plan (CIP).

ADJOURN

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Shain to recess into executive session at 9:16 p.m. Roll call vote, all ayes.

A motion made by Gardner and seconded by Lindner to reconvene in open session at 9:41 p.m. Motion carried.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Lindner and seconded by Shain. Roll call-all in favor. All ayes. Motion carried to adjourned meeting at 9:42 p.m.

*/s/ Jessica Wolf, Board Clerk
Board Approved September 12, 2022*

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 12, 2022

Jerome Krempasky, President called the regular meeting of the Greenwood Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. Members present were Krempasky, Gardner, Lindner, Shain, and Wolf. Quorum established.

Verification of Compliance with open meeting law. The Regular School Board Meeting notice was published in the September 7, 2022, issue of the Tribune-Record Gleaner and posted on the school web-site.

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Wolf, to approve the Regular Board meeting minutes from August 8, 2022, as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Gardner, to approve the Treasurer report as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Wolf and seconded by Lindner, to approve Vouchers #86320-86444 for \$392113.57 for payment. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Shain to accept \$1,500 from Forward Bank for the meals for threat assessment training participants and school supplies from LeRoy & Linda Fravert. Motion carried.

A motion by Shain and seconded by Gardner to accept Tom Reetz's rescinded resignation and rehire. Motion carried.

A motion by Krempasky and seconded by Shain to approve the following listed below as volunteers. Motion carried.

- Elizabeth Bier
- Nathan Bier
- Heidi Venet
- Jessica Wolf
- Tayt Wuethrich

A motion by Shain and seconded by Lindner to approve the hiring of the following listed below. Motion carried.

- Kaitlyn Keech and Shawn Kolano as middle school girls basketball coaches.

- Diane Lindner as middle/high school special education aide
- Valrie Behrens as elementary aide and Kids Club coordinator

A motion by Gardner and seconded by Wolf to approve the resignations of the following listed below. Motion carried.

- Lisa Theisen, Middle School Teacher
- Michelle North, Middle/High School Special Education Aide
- Chris Ghes, Assistant Football Coach

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Lindner to approve the Spanish Club trip to the International Festival in Milwaukee on Nov 20th. Motion carried.

PRESENTATIONS: None.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC: None.
REPORTS:

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL REPORT: Mr. Lilly reported on the following: building updated, the addition of Val Behrens as professional aide and meeting with local administrative group. The highlighted class of the month is Kim Kolano's 4th grade class. Kid's Club has had 2 successful weeks with Val Behrens and Annalise Sutton coordinating the program. The year was kicked off with the principal reading to classes.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR / DEAN OF STUDENTS REPORT: Ms. Mayenschein reported that Homecoming activities are underway for the week of September 26th. Update shared on fall sports programs and the Wisconsin Education Fair to be held on Sept 21. Changing to the SWAY concussion testing application. Cloverbelt Leadership Summit is coming up for 6 student/athletes to participate.

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT: Mr. Green reported on the Clark County Schools Threat Assessment Training and the Greenwood/Loyal Board Committee has met. The Fall Superintendents Conference is Sept 20-22. Ron Walsh has been set up as WASDA mentor, Governor's additional 475 million for K-12 education will average \$100/student. The elementary school will be notified soon of receiving the Blue Ribbon Award.

Mr. Green gave an update on the following: scheduling, senior privileges, PASS program, WIN program and shared professional development and possible football co-op.

BOARD MEMBERS' REPORTS-CESA 10: Shain reported that Mike Haynes resigned as administrator of CESA #10.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Lindner reported on the joint board committee meeting with Loyal School District.

DISCUSSION AND/OR POSSIBLE ACTION:

SCHOOL OPERATIONS

A motion was made by Krempasky and seconded by Wolf to approve applying for an early start waiver for the 2023-24 school year. Motion carried.

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

Mr. Green reported that we are fully staffed except for the full-time substitute teacher position.

A motion made by Gardner and seconded by Lindner to approve moving the March In-Service day from March 3rd to March 1st. Motion carried with permission to give flexibility for inservice planning to Mr. Green.

FINANCE:

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Krempasky to approve the following price changes for all students K-12 for the 22-23 school year: free breakfast 4K-12, Lunch 4K-6 - \$1.75, Lunch 7-12 - \$2.00. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Lindner and seconded by Gardner to approve adding contracted services of 1 day per week of virtual Speech and Language Services to the CESA #10 contract. Motion carried.

Motion made by Krempasky and seconded by Wolf to approve the purchase of library shelving from Doug Schlough. Motion carried.

CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

Mr. Green shared the 2022-23 Middle/High School class schedule and discussed senior privileges guidelines that will start at Midterm 1.

A motion was made by Shain and seconded by Krempasky to table early graduation procedures with request to gather more information for the October board meeting.

Mr. Green shared the ACT and Forward Exam testing results.

POLICY

Handout shared, no action taken.

BUILDING & GROUNDS:

Mr. Green shared update on the HVAC unit at the elementary school.

OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY LEGALLY COME BEFORE THE BOARD

Fall regional meeting to be held October 25th will have 3 board members in attendance.

ADJOURN

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Gardner and seconded by Lindner. Roll call-all in favor. All ayes. Motion carried to adjourned meeting at 9:53 p.m.

*/s/ Jessica Wolf, Board Clerk
Board Approved October 10, 2022*

ANNUAL MEETING BOARD MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 26, 2022

The Annual Meeting called to order by President Jerome Krempasky at 7:30 p.m. on September 26, 2022, in the Greenwood High School Cafetorium.

The Annual Meeting notice was published in the Tribune Record Gleaner on September 14, 2022 and the District of Greenwood newsletter that was mailed on September 21, 2022.

A motion made by Ralph Smrecek and seconded by Mark Shain to elect Jerome Krempasky as Chairperson for the meeting. Motion carried.

The 2021 Annual Meeting minutes were discussed.

Jean Zimmer presented the 2022-23 District Budget.

A motion was made by Ralph Smrecek and seconded by Dean Lindner to approve the treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried.

District Administrator's Report: Mr. Green reported on the activities of the district over the summer and into the year thus far including the Elementary Blue Ribbon Award received.

A motion made by Ralph Smrecek and seconded by Jerome Krempasky to approve the tax levy of \$2,128,019 for the General Fund-10, and tax levy of \$20,000 for the Community Service Fund - 80. Motion carried.

A motion made by Ralph Smrecek and seconded by Shain to approve the salaries of the school board members the same as follows: Board President increase by \$400 for a total of \$2,070 and all other members increase by \$300 for a total of \$1,670. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Wolf. to approve the reimbursements for a school board member on a per diem basis to be absent from his or her job duties to be paid for being absent from his or her job duties in the amount of \$125 per day, remaining the same. Motion carried.

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Gardner to table setting the time and date of regular meetings until the October meeting. Motion carried.

A motion made by Ralph Smrecek and seconded by Jean Zimmer to approve the sale of obsolete school district property. Motion carried.

A motion made by Shain and seconded by Wolf to approve the Board to acquire real estate through purchase or condemnation. Motion carried.

A motion made by Gardner and seconded by Ralph Smrecek to authorize the sale of school property. Motion carried.

A motion made by Shane Lilly and seconded by Ralph Smrecek to authorize the district to purchase student accident insurance. Motion carried.

A motion made by Krempasky and seconded by Wolf to set the date of the 2023 Annual Meeting on September 25, 2023 at 7:30 pm. Motion carried.

Other business appropriate to an Annual Meeting.

- Ralph Krultz shared concerns about test scores post Covid.

A motion made by Ralph Smrecek, Jr. and seconded by Shane Lilly to adjourn the annual meeting. Motion adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

*/s/Jessica Wolf, Board Clerk
Board Approved, November 16, 2022*

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 29, 2022

Jerome Krempasky, President called the special meeting of the Greenwood Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. Members present were Krempasky, Lindner, Shain, and Wolf. Absent: Gardner. Quorum established.

Verification of Compliance with open meeting law. The Special School Board Meeting notice was posted on the school web-site and the TRG on September 21, 2022.

COMMUNICATION FROM PUBLIC:

- The following individuals addressed the board: Dick Olson, Steve Turnquist, Nick Stieglitz, Chad Durrstein, Luke Smith, Chris Ghess, Jana Schmitz, Chris Schmitz, and Joe Green.

A motion made by Krempasky and seconded by Lindner, to approve the football co-op with the School District of Loyal. Motion carried.

ADJOURN

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Lindner and seconded by Wolf. Roll call-all in favor. All ayes. Motion carried to adjourned meeting at 7:25 p.m.

*/s/Jessica Wolf, Board Clerk
Board Approved October 10, 2022*

REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 10, 2020

Mr. Green presented information on the waiver to start the school year prior to Sept. 1 and asked for any public input. No input was given.

Jerome Krempasky, President called the regular meeting of the Greenwood Board of Education to order at 7:05 p.m. at the Elementary Outdoor Classroom located on East Miller Street. Members present were Krempasky, Gardner, Lindner, Shain, and Wolf. Quorum established.

Verification of Compliance with open meeting law. The Regular School Board Meeting notice was published in the October 7, 2022, issue of the Tribune-Record Gleaner and posted on the school web-site.

A motion made by Wolf and seconded by Shain, to approve the Regular Board meeting minutes from September 12, 2022, the Special board meeting minutes from September 29, 2022, as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by

Gardner, to approve the Treasurer report as presented. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner and seconded by Wolf, to approve Vouchers #86445-86597 for \$406,130.38 for payment. Motion carried.

GIFTS, GRANTS OR DONATIONS: None

A motion by Lindner and seconded by Shain to approve the following listed below as volunteers. Motion carried.

- Mark Abel
- Matthew Castle
- Josh Grape
- Brad Rowe
- Amber Schoepflin
- Tina Zimmer

A motion by Shain and seconded by Lindner to approve the hiring of the following listed below. Motion carried.

- Kaitlin Raine, Long Term Substitute Teacher
- Jodie Welsh, Substitute Teacher

A motion by Lindner and seconded by Gardner to approve the retirement of Jean Zimmer, Director of Business Services, and waive the contract breakage fee. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner, seconded by Shain to approve a substitute teacher contract for David Denk and a revised Kids Club contract for Valrie Behrens. Motion carried.

FIELD TRIPS: None

PRESENTATIONS:

Sixth grade teacher, Scott Mosely, gave a presentation on the Outdoor Classroom planning process and shared his vision from 1979 when he was a student in the elementary school. The following organizations have made donations towards this project: Adler Foundation, Dr. Olson Foundation, Forward Financial Bank, Listeman Foundation, Lions Club, and the Wuethrich Foundation. The school board expressed gratitude for donations received for this project.

Looking at organizing community nature nights a few times per year.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE PUBLIC: None.

REPORTS:

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL REPORT: Mr. Lilly reported on the following: receiving the National Blue Ribbon School, Leadership teams and PLC's, Outdoor Classroom, upcoming training, elementary principal training, data meetings, reading buddies, Math Expressions training and the highlighted class this month is 4K class.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR / DEAN OF STUDENTS REPORT: Ms. Mayenschein reported on this year's Homecoming activities, mid-term grades, fall sports updated and update on winter sports numbers.

STUDENT REPORT: Rogan Travis, representing Student Council, reported on Homecoming activities and participation. Rachel's Closet offers student supplies and clothing and has

been moved upstairs to be more available for students and allow more space for donations. Student council is looking to plan more student activities for the rest of the year.

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT: Mr. Green reported on Threat Assessment Training, Joint Board Committee updates, October 28th training, shared Food Service with Loyal, Senior Privileges, mid-term grades, shared professional development on November 4, parent-teacher conferences and no school on October 21st.

BOARD MEMBERS' REPORTS-CESA 10: None.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Lindner reported on the joint board committee meeting with Loyal School District which included discussion on calendars, quarter vs. trimesters and school board meeting dates.

The ESSER Committee met in September and an update will be given later in the meeting.

DISCUSSION AND/OR POSSIBLE ACTION:

SCHOOL OPERATIONS

A motion was made by Krempasky and seconded by Lindner to change regular board meetings to the 4th Wednesday of each month. Motion carried.

Mr. Green discussed the options of early release, 2-hour late starts and full day closures. A letter will be shared with families.

A motion was made by Lindner, seconded by Shain to approve applying for the School Start Date Waiver for 2023-24. Motion carried.

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

Mr. Green reported on the Employee Relations Committee duties and the need for a District Leadership Team.

A discussion was held on the support staff handbook. No action was taken.

A motion was made by Lindner, seconded by Wolf to approve a strength, conditioning and fitness coach for all 9-12 grade students from Fund 80 for a year. Motion carried.

FINANCE:

Jean Zimmer reported on the budget updates since the annual meeting. A handout was shared with the board regarding budget changes and ESSER fund changes.

Mr. Green and Ms. Zimmer met with the CESA ESSER grant people to discuss the 2022-23 budget for ESSER and what other expenses are directly allowable under ESSER III. The ESSER III budget was shared with the board.

CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

Mr. Green shared early graduation information.

A motion made by Krempasky, seconded by Shain to approve the Early Graduation Procedures as presented. Motion carried.

POLICY

Discussion to remove 2022-23 District Priorities from the agenda, no action taken.

First reading of policy 31.2 was held.
BUILDING & GROUNDS: None

OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY LEGALLY COME BEFORE THE BOARD: None

ADJOURN

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Lindner, seconded by Wolf. Roll call-all in favor. All ayes. Motion carried to adjourned meeting at 9:43 p.m.

/s/Jessica Wolf, District Clerk
Approved November 16, 2022

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES OCTOBER 26, 2021

Jerome Krempasky, President called the regular meeting of the Greenwood Board of Education to order at 6:01 p.m. at the Greenwood High School Board room. Members present were Krempasky, Gardner, Lindner, Shain, and Wolf. Quorum established.

Verification of Compliance with open meeting law. The Regular School Board Meeting notice was published in the October 19, 2022, issue of the Tribune-Record Gleaner and posted on the school web-site.

A motion made by Lindner, seconded by Shain to approve the budget as presented with General Fund Levy at \$2,101,614 and Fund 80 at \$20,000. Motion carried.

A motion by Krempasky and seconded by Lindner to approve the hiring of the following listed below. Motion carried.

- Shawn Kolano - Elementary Girls Basketball Coach
- Steve Travis - Elementary Girls Basketball Coach
- Vince Morales - Elementary Boys Basketball Coach
- Tyler Johnson - Elementary Boys Basketball Coach
- Nathan Hederer - Middle School Boys Basketball Coach
- Aaron Greisen - Middle School Football Coach

A motion by Gardner and seconded by Shain to approve the Foodservice 66.03 agreement with Loyal School District. Motion carried.

A motion made by Lindner, seconded by Gardner to recess into executive session at 6:22 pm. Motion carried.

A motion made by Shain, seconded by Lindner to reconvene to open session at 7:30 pm. Motion carried.

ADJOURN

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Shain, seconded by Lindner. Roll call-all in favor. All ayes. Motion carried to adjourned meeting at 7:30 pm.

/s/Jessica Wolf, Board Clerk
Board Approved November 16, 2022



NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION

(S. 120.06 (6) (b), Wisconsin Statutes)

Notice is hereby given to qualified electors of the School District of Greenwood that a school board election will be held on Tuesday, April 4th, 2023 to fill the following board position:

⇒ **AREA 2- MARK SHAIN - 3 YEAR TERM EXPIRES IN 2023.**

(Area 2 is All school district territory West of Highway 73 and south of a line made up of County Road G and Rock Creek Road to County Road M: not within the Greenwood city limits.)

An elector desiring to be a candidate for a position on the school board must file a "Sworn Declaration of Candidacy" at the School District of Greenwood, District Administrator's Office, 306 W. Central Avenue, Greenwood, Wisconsin between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. on Monday through Friday, mailed to the address noted above, or filed personally with the school district clerk or school district deputy clerk prior to 5:00 p.m. on the first Tuesday in January prior to the spring election, or on the next day if Tuesday is a holiday.

Dated this 10th day of October, 2022
/s/ Jessica Wolf, District Clerk



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WINTER WEATHER REMINDERS

We have enjoyed some great fall weather, but we all know that winter is just around the corner. I know that the first thought about winter many students have is: Snow Days!

How is the decision to cancel school made?

The decision-making starts prior to 5:00 AM by communications with neighboring school district administrators, bus company staff, and school board members. In addition, weather conditions, weather warnings and forecast information from the National Weather Service are reviewed. **The most important consideration in making this decision is always the safety of our students and staff.**

It is our goal to have this decision made by 6:00 AM.

If school is canceled, or dismissed early due to inclement weather, ALL afterschool and evening school activities, practices, and games



are also canceled.

Information regarding school closings will be shared with the public in following ways:

⇒ SkyAlert
Message Center-our automatic phone message system.

- ⇒ Skyward Family Access will generate email messages to households with email setup.
- ⇒ TV Stations-WEAU TV 13, WSAW TV 7, WAOW TV 9, WQOW TV 18
- ⇒ Radio Stations- WCCN AM 1370, WCCN FM 107.5, WAXX FM 104.5, I-94 FM 94.1
- ⇒ The District's webpage will also post any closings or dismissals.

The school district may transition to virtual learning days for select school closings based on the number of closings or the anticipated duration of a closing.

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