

Bryan County Schools

Board of Education

Regular Board Meeting

Location: BOE
8810 Highway 280 East
Black Creek, GA

Date: April 18, 2019
Time: 6:30 PM

I. Call to Order

- All members present.

II. Moment of Quiet Reflection – Karen Krupp

III. Pledge of Allegiance – David Schwartz

- Mr. Dennis Seger made a motion to amend the agenda by moving 8e to 8f and adding 8e to read as Authorize the Purchase and the installation of a projector and audio enhancement system from Rody's Audio Warehouse to Lanier Primary School's gymnasium for the bid price of \$28,649.86

Second: Pamela Gunter Action: Unanimous

IV. Adoption of Agenda as amended

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

V. Superintendent Updates – Dr. Brooksher

- Ms. Julie Howard, Curriculum Coordinator, recognized our Young Georgia Author award recipients:
 - Opeyemi Adeniji – Kindergarten, Richmond Hill Primary School
 - Cole Teague – 1st Grade, McAllister Elementary School

- Asher Sippel – 2nd Grade, Richmond Hill Elementary School
- Tyler Boyce – 3rd Grade, McAllister Elementary School
- Eliana Sippel – 4th Grade, GW Carver Elementary School
- Adelaide Longino – 5th Grade, Bryan County Elementary School
- Arie Howell – 6th Grade, Richmond Hill Middle School
- Joanna Xiao – 7th Grade, Richmond Hill Middle School
- Persephone Ocampo – 8th Grade, Richmond Hill Middle School
- Savannah Legg – 9th Grade, Richmond Hill High School
- Krista DuBose – 10th Grade, Bryan County High School
- Desiree Jefferson – 11th Grade, Richmond Hill High School
- Maria Hagy – 12th Grade, Richmond Hill High School
- Our Young Georgia Author Regional winners were Savannah Legg, Desiree Jefferson, and Tyler Boyce
- Ms. Debi McNeal, Principal at Richmond Hill High School presented the following awards:
 - National Merit Finalists: Beth Belfield, Patricia Gonzalez and Joshua Gregory
 - AAAAAA Wrestling State Champion and Coach of the Year: Jakeem Littles and Coach Evans
 - JROTC Raider Team State Champions: Nadya McCall, Sarah Robertson, Brandi Wright, Haley Fusaro, Abigail Irby, Zoey Coker, Julia Pickering, Brittany Hult, Trinity Morgan, Alaina Joiner, MacKenzie Gleason, Katie Merced, Kalia Whyte, Aaliyah Acosta, Alixys Garcia, Greg Sengsy, Nick Jones, Deon Sumpter, Michael Barry, Alex Rodriguez, Aidan McDonald, Rickeldo Box, Josh Gutierrez, Tommy DiMarzio, Dylan Tsui, Malcolm Roberts, and Kaden Dalal

- Literary Essay Awards: Beth Belfield, 1st place Literary and Region -argumentative essay and Ali Suhr, 1st place Literary, Region and State – rhetorical essay
- 6th Brigade and Cadet Command Annual Army JROTC Essay Contest: Battalion Commander Jillian Jackson
- USSYP Scholarship Recipient: Noah Maxwell
- Governor Honors Program Finalists: Izzy Dodge, Kaylee Kim, Kyle Fang, and Joe Belfield
- Star Student and Teacher: Zachary Sewell (student) and Erin Turner (teacher)
- Ms. Mary Beth Blankenship, Principal at Bryan County High School presented the following awards:
 - Star Student and Teacher: Zach Lanier (student) and Alison Holcombe (teacher)
 - JROTC Military Enlistment: Jessica Hammonds
 - SADD Students who attended the CADCA conference in Washington, D.C.: Dorian Stokes, Adrienne Kennedy, and Meghan Vaughn
- Dr. Brooksher updated the board on a Georgia High School Association appeal for our RHHS Wrestling Team.

VI. Listen to Public Comment

- None.

VII. Approval of Minutes

- a. March 21, 2019 – Called Work Session (Attachment #1)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- b. March 28, 2019 – Called Work Session (Attachment #2)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

- c. March 28, 2019: Regular Board Meeting (Attachment #3)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

VIII. Administration

- a. Approval of March 2019 Financial Report

Motion: David Schwartz Second: Pamela Gunter Action: Unanimous

- b. Approve Workers' Compensation Insurance for \$276,204 through the GSBA

Workers' Compensation Fund for the period July 1, 2019 through July 1, 2020

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- c. Approve surplus items as presented (Attachment #4)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- d. Approve Policy JQK – Exchange Students as presented

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- e. Authorize the Purchase and the installation of a projector and audio

enhancement system from Rody's Audio Warehouse to Lanier Primary School's

gymnasium for the bid price of \$28,649.86

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- f. Approve the following donations:

- i. To the Richmond Hill Middle School Music Department from David

Masteller with the Junior Jazz Foundation – 11 violins valued between

\$2,000.00-\$3,000.00

- ii. To McAllister Elementary School from MES PTSO - \$25,318.82 for technology and signage
- iii. To the Bryan County High School's JROTC program from South Bryan Christian Ministerial Association - \$200.00
- iv. To the Bryan County High School's JROTC program from Laura Lindemann - \$100.00
- v. To Bryan County High School from the Bryan County Redskins Booster Club - \$200.00
- vi. To Richmond Hill Primary School from Shoreline Landscaping Solutions – plants and landscaping for front door flower bed valued at \$650.00
- vii. To Richmond Hill High School's Boys Soccer Team from Rhonda D. Hinton Robinson - \$650.00 in memory of Steven Dale Robinson
- viii. To Richmond Hill Elementary School's Media Center from RHES PTSO - \$6,607.66

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

IX. Field Trip Requests

- a. Approve the RHHS 10-12 Upper Level Spanish 3 & 4 Classes to travel to St. Augustine, FL on 4/30/19 to study the Spanish Colonial experience (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- b. Approve the Community Education Center's 2019 Summer Program to travel to Hilton Head, SC on 6/12/19 to the Coastal Discovery Museum (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- c. Approve the RHHS FBLA 10th Grade Students to travel to San Antonio, TX on 6/28/19–7/3/19 to compete at the National FBLA Level (airplane)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- d. Approve the RHHS Yearbook Student Editors to travel to Atlanta, GA on 7/13/19 to participate in developmental design and leadership skills activities for yearbook production (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

- e. Approve the RHHS Varsity & Jr. Varsity Volleyball Teams to travel to the University of Florida in Gainesville, FL on 7/19/19-7/21/19 for camp (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- f. Approve the RHHS Varsity & Jr. Varsity Volleyball Teams to travel to the Southern Volleyball Center in Alpharetta, GA on 8/9/19-8/10/19 for competition (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

X. Personnel Agenda

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

XI. Personnel Agenda – 2019-20 Certified Personnel Recommendations

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

XII. Board Member Comments

- Thank you to the following:
 - Congratulations on a successful AdvancED visit and for everyone that worked hard to prepare.
 - Dr. Brooksher for hosting and for dinner.
 - To all of our teachers.

XIII. Executive Session – Real Estate and Personnel

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

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XIV. Adjourn

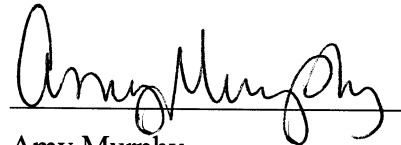
Motion: David Schwartz Second: Dennis Seger Action: Unanimous

Signed:

Approved:



Paul T. Brooksher, Ph.D.
Superintendent



Amy Murphy
Board Chairman