

Bryan County Schools

Board of Education

Regular Board Meeting

Location: Community Education Center – Media Center
120 Constitution Way
Richmond Hill, GA

Date: November 21, 2019
Time: 6:30 PM

I. Call to Order

- All members present.

II. Moment of Quiet Reflection – Pam Gunter

III. Pledge of Allegiance – A.D. Smith

IV. Adoption of Agenda

Mr. Dennis Seger made a motion to add item #14 as Executive Session for Student Education Records

Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

V. Superintendent Updates – Dr. Brooksher

a. Division 1, 2, 3, and 4 Georgia School Bus Safety Poster Contest Winners

- Dr. Allen Cox, Director of Transportation, recognized the following students:
 - Division 4 – Beckett Sevigny from McAllister Elementary School.
 - Division 3 – Jessica Mitchell from Richmond Hill Middle School.
 - Division 2 – Shala Pham from McAllister Elementary School.
 - Division 1 – Emily Michaelson from Richmond Hill Elementary School.

- Emily Michaelson also received recognition for placing 3rd at the state level.

b. REACH Awards

- Dr. Denise Scott, Director of Student Services presented names to the board of our REACH recipients:
 - Adam Hurdle-Aguilera from Richmond Hill Middle School.
 - Christine Mock from Richmond Hill Middle School.
 - Jayla Harris from Richmond Hill Middle School.
 - Austin Clemons from Bryan County Middle School.
 - Victoria Lord from Bryan County Middle School.
- Dr. Brooksher shared a Letter of Commendation to the Bryan County School System from Governor Kemp for supporting the REACH program.
- Held the first community forum for redistricting on November 14th at Richmond Hill Middle School. Feedback from this meeting will be shared to the board tomorrow.
- The second community forum for redistricting will be held on December 12th at Richmond Hill Middle School.
- Dr. Brooksher shared the legislative priorities with the board and asked for any feedback to be sent prior to the Grits and Government meeting on December 11th.
- Mr. Jason Rogers updated the board on the aquatic feasibility study for Richmond Hill.

VI. Listen to Public Comment

- None

VII. Approval of Minutes

- a. October 17, 2019 – Called Work Session (Attachment #1)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: A.D. Smith Action: Unanimous

- b. October 24, 2019 – Regular Board Meeting (Attachment #2)

Motion: Karen Krupp Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

VIII. Administration

- a. Approval of October 2019 Financial Report

Motion: David Schwartz Second: A.D. Smith Action: Unanimous

- b. Approve Policy IHF – Graduation Requirements

Motion: Karen Krupp Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- c. Approve Pope Construction to complete Bryan County Elementary School’s wing addition for an amount not to exceed \$1,789,306.00

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- d. Approve the following donations

- i. To Ms. Windi Holmes and Carver Elementary School from Donor’s

Choose - \$1,522.09

- ii. To Ms. Dawn Houck and Carver Elementary School from Bright Ideas -

\$1,947.41

- iii. To Ms. Shelby Grizzard and Carver Elementary School from Donor’s

Choose - \$212.46

- iv. To Ms. Rebecca Doty and Richmond Hill High School from Bright

Ideas - \$1,941.98

- v. To Mr. Levi Sybert and Richmond Hill High School from Bright Ideas - \$1,931.94
- vi. To Ms. Emma Fettes and Richmond Hill High School from Bright Ideas - \$1,993.25
- vii. To Mr. James Flanagan and Richmond Hill High School from Bright Ideas - \$1,455.96
- viii. To the Richmond Hill High School football coaches from The Michaels Group – rain jackets valued at \$1,390.00
- ix. To Ms. Melissa McPhillips and McAllister Elementary School from Coastal Electric - \$1,263.94
- x. To Ms. Vivian Huntoon and McAllister Elementary School from Coastal Electric - \$1,831.00
- xi. To Ms. Sarah Taylor and McAllister Elementary School from Coastal Electric - \$1,649.19
- xii. To Ms. Morgan Purvis and McAllister Elementary School from Donor's Choose - \$452.20
- xiii. To Bryan County High School's Cheerleading Team from MG's Self Storage, LLC. - \$500.00
- xiv. To Bryan County High School from Georgia Power - \$1,000.00
- xv. To Bryan County Middle School from Georgia Power - \$750.00

Motion: Dennis Seger

Second: Pamela Gunter

Action: Unanimous

IX. Field Trip Requests

- a. Approve the RHHS Animal Awareness Club for an out of state trip to the Jacksonville Zoo & a tour of Catty Shack Ranch Wildlife Sanctuary in Jacksonville, FL on 1/24/20 (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- b. Approve the RHHS 9-12 Model United Nations Club to attend an overnight trip for the Model UN Conference at GSU in Statesboro, GA from 1/30/20-2/1/20 (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- c. Approve the RHHS Student Astronaut Challenge Club to travel overnight/out of state to participate in a final competition at Kennedy Space Center in Titusville, FL from 2/6/20-2/8/20 (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

- d. Approve the RHHS Girls Lacrosse to travel overnight/out of state for Varsity & JV games (school bus)

- 2/14/20-2/15/20 – Evans High School and Greenbrier High School, both in Augusta, GA for 1 JV game and 2 Varsity games
- 3/9/20 – May River High School in Bluffton, SC
- 4/1/20 – Hilton Head High School in Hilton Head, SC

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- e. Approve the RHHS Boys Lacrosse to travel out of state for Varsity & JV games (school bus)

- 2/25/20 – Hilton Head High School in Hilton Head, SC
- 2/28/20-2/29/20 – Episcopal School of Jacksonville & Providence School of Jacksonville in Jacksonville, FL, for 2 games
- 3/21/20 – Beaufort High School in Beaufort, SC

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- f. Approve the RHHS FBLA members for an overnight trip for the FBLA State Leadership Conference (Competition) at The Hyatt Regency in Atlanta, GA, 3/19/20-3/22/20 (school bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

- g. Approve the RHHS Marching Band to travel overnight/out of state to Universal Studios in Orlando, FL to perform in the Universal Studios Florida Star/Mardi Gras Parade from 4/24/20-4/26/20 (charter bus)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

X. Fundraising Requests

- a. Approve the Richmond Hill High School National Art Honor Society to sell World's Finest Chocolate bars (off campus) from 11/22/19-12/18/19 – proceeds to help fund activities and chapter fees

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

XI. Approve the 2020 Board Meeting Calendar (Attachment #3)

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: David Schwartz Action: Unanimous

XII. Personnel Agenda

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Marianne Smith Action: Unanimous

XIII. Board Member Comments

- Thank you to the following:
 - Dr. Brooksher for hosting
 - For everyone who prepared and facilitated the redistricting forums
 - Staff for all of the hard work with regards to our great CCRPI scores

XIV. Executive Session – Student Education Records

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: A.D. Smith Action: Unanimous

Motion: Dennis Seger Second: Karen Krupp Action: Unanimous

XV. Adjourn

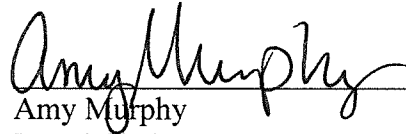
Motion: Karen Krupp Second: Dennis Seger Action: Unanimous

Signed:

Approved:



Paul T. Brooksher, Ph.D.
Superintendent



Amy Murphy
Board Chairman