REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

Wynne, Arkansas
August 15, 2022

Roll Call	**The regular meeting of the school board was held on Monday, August 15, 2022, at 7:00 pm. The following were present: Mrs. Stacie Schlenker, Mr. Shannon Hobbs, Mr. Spencer Parker, Mrs. Teresa Dallas, and Dr. Kenneth Moore, Superintendent. Dr. Neall Jackson was unable to attend. The following individuals were also present: A host of Community Members, District Administrators and Staff.**
Minutes	**The minutes of the preceding meeting were presented to the Board for approval.**
Jacket Recognitions	**<u>PRIMARY</u>** **Thank you to:** **Para Professionals:** **Jamie Nickerson** **Vicki Whitehead** **Lynn Jackson** **Kim Collins** **Brittney Williams** **Jamie Barker** **Jeanine Brawner, Teresa Dallas, Donna Vaught, Shirley Hale, and District Admin for helping with bus, car, and lunch duties the first week of school** **Custodians** **Bus drivers being patient and calling to check on students** **Wynne First Assembly, PTA, and Sharon Tucker for welcoming us back with snacks for PD week** **Changes Behavior - supplies for teachers and students to begin the year** **Calvary Apostolic Church - prayer ribbon** **First Financial Bank - breakfast for PD** **All staff members for always jumping in to make it work!** **Teresa Cantrell was recognized as one of the top 13 educators in the state at the governor's mansion!! Way to go!** **<u>INTERMEDIATE</u>** **Thank you to:** **Para Professionals:** **Sharon Archield** **Tonya Archield** **Jeremey Bailey** **Crystal Banks** **Era Bankston** **Keianna Brown** **Charlotte Collins** **Dawn Hess** **Laquanta Hill** **Kimberly Jeffers** **Teresa Johnson** **Hannah Standridge** **Jessica Williams** **All faculty and staff working as a team to embrace E3 (energy, effort, excellence) and welcoming our students and building relationships and setting expectations**

	PTA for all their support and sponsoring our Bluetooth speakers, snack cart, and our Gaga Pit **Crossridge for our balloon display** **Community partners for donating door prizes** **Faculty, staff, and parents for embracing our new schedule** **District administration for helping with bus and car rider duty** **<u>JUNIOR HIGH</u>** **WJHS Students - They have done an amazing job the first 3 weeks. Discipline has been minimal, attitudes have been positive, and the effort in the classroom has been high.** **WJHS Teachers - flexible and positive. Changes are uncomfortable, but they have embraced them and our atmosphere has been very inviting and positive for all students, teachers, and parents.** **Custodians - Continue to do a fantastic job keeping the building looking good.** **First Assembly of God - Thank you for the wonderful snacks in our teacher's lounge. We appreciate your partnership** **Joy Shepherd - Giving our front lobby benches a facelift. She is reupholstering the cushions and we painted the benches.** **Robert Steward and Jimmy Raper - painting the Wynne Junior High. It looks amazing.** **WJHS weight room - TEAM effort. We have mats, racks, weights, and between admin, coaches, custodial, and maintenance staff, we made it happen.** **<u>HIGH SCHOOL</u>** **Thank you to Mrs. Westbrook and Mr. Griffin for the job they are doing.** **Congratulations to our students and staff on a great start and monitoring and adjusting as we dealt with some supply issues.** **Thank you to Kelly Brown for getting the student Chromebooks distributed.** **Thank you to our district Administration and staff for a great week of Professional Development prior to the beginning of the year.**
Financial Reports; Building Fund Request	**Financial reports on all funds and all invoices paid in July were presented to the board for approval. The superintendent requested to move all remaining funds over 2.5 million to the building fund.**
Enrollment	**A report was given on student enrollment as of August 15, 2022. The report indicated an enrollment of 2,520 students.**

Consent Agenda Approval	**A motion was made by Mr. Hobbs, seconded by Mr. Parker, and passed unanimously to approve all items as presented by the superintendent under the consent agenda.**
<u>Regular Agenda</u>	
Reimbursement Account Discussion	**The board was asked to approve transferring forfeited funds from the employee Cafeteria Plan account to a district activity account until review by an auditor can be made on how to properly distribute these funds.** **A motion was made by Dr. Jackson, seconded by Mr. Hobbs, and passed unanimously to approve transferring the forfeited funds from the employee Cafeteria Plan account to a district activity account.**
McKinney Vento Update	**Updates made to the McKinney Vento Guidelines and Procedures Handbook were presented by Dr. Smith.** **A motion was made by Mr. Hobbs, seconded by Mrs. Dallas, and passed unanimously to approve updates to the McKinney Vento Guidelines and Procedures handbook.**
Additional SRO Request; Safety Audit and Procedures	**A discussion was held on increasing the School Resource Officer presence on school campuses by adding a female SRO.** **A motion was made by Mr. Hobbs, seconded by Mr. Parker, and passed unanimously to approve moving forward with trying to work with the city and hire a female SRO.**
ACT Aspire Update	**Mr. Eric Foister, Assistant Superintendent, gave a brief update on the District ACT Aspire Data and how thrilled we are to announce that in only one school year we were able to help our students increase in their literacy scores and succeed in the district being removed from school improvement in literacy!!!!**
ARP/ESSER Update	**The superintendent gave an update on the district ARP-ESSER budget plan and how the remaining funds would be spent. This plan was approved by the Legislative PEER Review Committee and Wynne's plan was praised by the committee. It was noted that the district has given more than $4,000 out already in bonuses the past year and plans to give another bonus this year.**
Updated Pepsi Contract	**The updated Pepsi Contract for 2022-2027 was presented to the board for approval.** **A motion was made by Mr. Hobbs, seconded by Mrs. Dallas, and passed unanimously to approve the updated contract.**
Door Project; Fieldhouse LED Lights Update	**Ms. Stephanie Lyons, Assistant Superintendent, gave an update on the door project from this summer and that the last phase of the project included reconnecting all maglocks. The board was also asked to approve replacing the deteriorating Home of the Yellowjackets letters on the field house.**

	A motion was made by Mr. Hobbs, seconded by Mrs. Dallas, and passed unanimously to approve replacing the deteriorating Home of the Yellowjackets letters on the field house.
Parking Lot Project Update	**The board was asked to approve adding a new paved parking lot across from the southwest corner of the football stadium in the old Junior High practice field. Once this project is complete, Jackson Street will be closed during home Friday football events from the entrance into the parking lot to the end of the street past the Ambulance entrance. The tailgating will be moved from the field to this area South of the stadium.** **A motion was made by Mrs. Dallas, seconded by Mr. Parker, and passed unanimously to approve adding a new paved parking lot across from the southwest corner of the football stadium.**
Employment/Additional Duties; Resignations	**The following individuals were recommended to the board for employment, transfer, change of responsibility or additional responsibility:** **<u>CLASSIFIED</u>** **Joshua Spann - Computer Technician** **Eden Posey - Interventionist/Intermediate** **<u>LICENSED/CLASSIFIED ADDITIONAL/CHANGE DUTIES</u>:** **Wren Scott Add: Yearbook Sponsor (22/23 only)** **Joni Steiber From: Classroom SPED Aide/JH** **To: Interventionist/JH** **Monica Van Zyl From: Interventionist/JH** **To: Clerk/JH/185 days contract** **The above individuals are recommended for employment pending receipt of the results of the nationwide criminal records and Child Maltreatment Central registry checks as required by state law. Upon receipt of clear results from both checks, employment becomes effective.** **<u>RESIGNATIONS</u>** **The following individuals submitted letters of resignation effective end of current contract or as noted:** **Alberta McMahon - Aide/Interm.** **Effective 7/27/22** **Kayleigh Clark - Clerk/JH** **Effective 7/27/22**

	Valarie Roebuck - Secretary/HS **Effective 8/9/22** **A motion was made by Mrs. Dallas, seconded by Mr. Hobbs, and passed unanimously to approve all recommendations for employment, transfer, change of responsibility or additional responsibility and resignations as presented by the superintendent.**
Meeting Date	**The date of the next regular board meeting will be Monday, September 19, 2022, at 6:00 p.m.**
Adj.	**The meeting was then adjourned.**

President **Secretary**