

PRESCOTT SCHOOL DISTRICT

No. 402-37

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Kevin Chabre, Chairman
Jacob Stueckle, Vice-Chairman
Sue DeRuwe
Preston Brock



ADMINISTRATION

Justin Bradford Jr., Superintendent
Jeff Foertsch, Principal
Tom Palumbo, Business Manager
Alison Kimball, Counselor

School Board of Directors Meeting Thursday, March 23, 2023 | 6:00 PM Regular Board Session

Meeting room #202 at the school. Zoom Link to attend meetings remotely can be found at <https://www.prescottsd.org/> and click the link in the news on the home page, or on the School Board tab in School Board meetings section of the website. You can also call in 1(253)215-8782 Meeting ID: 794 0897 2274 Passcode: 2023. Click this link to access board meeting on Zoom [Board Meeting Link](#)

1. **Call to Order** was done at 6:02 pm by Kevin Chabre, Board Chairman.
2. **Establish Quorum** Yes
Board Present-
Kevin Chabre, Chairman
Preston Brock
Jacob Stueckle, Vice Chairman
Susan DeRuwe
Administrators-
Justin Bradford Jr., Superintendent
Tom Palumbo, Business Manager
Patty Mayberry, Administrative Assistant
3. **Flag Salute** was led by Kevin Chabre, Board Chairman.
4. **Changes to the Agenda** - Justin Bradford Superintendent noted the following two items:
 - Add a change to new business #1 change the word from coop to combine.
 - Add an item to the consent agenda to approve a typo correction to the Sept 22 minutes of payroll total to \$501,701.50.
5. **Consent Agenda**
 - Approve Minutes of regular Director's meeting of February 26, 2023
 - Approve Accounts Payable and Payroll, March 2023:

Payroll	\$445,798.66
Accounts Payable – General Fund	\$213,054.32
Accounts Payable-CPF	\$57,910.00
Accounts Payable-ASB	\$1,844.89

Motion to approve was made by: Jacob Stueckle

Second By: Preston Brock

Vote: Passed 4-0

7. Reports

- Guest - None
- Associated Student Body (ASB) – Justin Bradford read a report from Diego Vasquez.
- Prescott Education Association (PEA) - Justin Bradford read a report from Jennifer Hammer.
- Principal/Athletic - Justin Bradford read a report from Director Jeff Foertsch Athletic Director for the coming season.
- Counselor Report - Justin Bradford read a report from Alison Kimball on counseling projects and plans.
- Fiscal Report - Tom Palumbo provided a review of revenues, expenditures and ending fund balances.
- Superintendent/Legislative - Justin Bradford reviewed upcoming campus projects, student and staff plans. There was no legislative report.
 1. Student Count –
 - a. PS (3 and 4-year-olds) - 18 18
 - b. Elementary (K-5) - 118 119
 - c. MS (6-8) - 54 53
 - d. HS (9-12) - 72 72
 - e. Total P-12 = 262 262
 - f. Total K-12 = 244 244
 2. Week 29
 3. Committee Meetings – After Spring Break
 - a. SPED
 - b. Nutrition
 - c. Athletics
 - d. Art
 4. Sex Ed Curriculum Adoption – Samples are here
 5. Redistricting
 6. Filing dates for Director Positions
 7. Projects Updates – Ag building

8. Policy Items

Second Readings

- 4218 - Language Access
- 5001 - Hiring of Retired School Employees
- 5011 - Sexual Harassment of District Staff Prohibited
- 6112 - Rental or Lease of District Real Property
- 6700 - Nutrition, Health, and Physical Education

9. New Business

(1) The Prescott School District agrees to enter a ~~Coop~~ Combine for the 23-24 school year with the Waitsburg School District for High School Football and Soccer.

Motion to approve was made by: Jacob Stueckle

Second by: Sue Deruwe

Vote: Passed 4-0

10. Public Comment None

11. **Executive Session** Was called by Kevin Chabre, Board Chairman at 7:09 pm for 15 minutes to discuss performance of a public employee. At 7:24 pm the board announced they would stay in executive session until 7:45 pm.

12. Adjournment board Chairman asked for a motion for adjournment at 7:24 p.m.
Motion By: Jacob Stueckle
Second By: Preston Brock
Vote: Passed 4-0

Kevin Chabre, Board Chair

Superintendent/Principal & Secretary of the Board, Justin Bradford

Clerk

2022-2023 Prescott School District Board Goals

- Prescott School District will improve our average passing scores on the state SBAC assessment in all areas (ELA, Math and Science; based on spring 2022 SBAC scores) by a minimum of 20% -
 - o a. ELA – from 28.2% to at least 33.8%
 - o b. Math – from 20.5% to at least 24.6%
 - o c. Science – from 27.1% to at least 32.5%
- Prescott School District will emphasize the social-emotional growth of students and staff, in addition to academic growth, improving positive relationships between students and staff, students and each other, staff and each other, and the school district and the community; this will be achieved through the implementation of both the Character Strong SEL curriculum and RULER training for emotional intelligence.
- Prescott School District will encourage and support student voice and leadership through the Associated Student Body, improving the ability of current students to advocate for their educational and emotional needs utilizing effective and active self-governance strategies and staff guidance. This includes expanding the activities of both our HS and MS ASB programs and the addition of class advisors for all grades from 6-12, with new responsibilities (supporting class meetings, class fund-raising activities and class community service projects).
- By June of 2023, Prescott School District, to improve equitable representation of all community stakeholders and provide for more diverse leadership will have successfully revised the Director Districts using 2020 census data, Sammamish Systems assistance, and guidance from the Walla Walla County District Attorney and the Walla Walla County Assessor's Office, to include 3 Director Districts with 2 At-large Director positions.