



Scio School District 95-C

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SCIO SCHOOL DISTRICT 95C SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Middle School Library
38875 NW FIRST AVE., SCIO, OREGON 97374-9502
Wednesday, November 14, 2018
7:00 P.M.

REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

1) CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair, Kerri Hyde at 7:00 P.M.; other board members present were Hank McDonald and Nicole Buganski were present. Doug Parazoo and Mike Ennis were absent. Also, present were Superintendent - Gary Tempel, Payroll/Board Secretary- Chelle Mask. Principal Luke Zedwick, Greg Nolan and Dani Blackwell was present. Also present were members of the audience (See list attached).

1.1 The flag salute was led by Kerri Hyde.

1.2 Audience Introduction/Request (See List attached)

1.3 Approval of Consent Agenda

Hank McDonald made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Nicole Buganski seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Parazoo –Absent Hyde – Yes McDonald –Yes Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes

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1.4 Adopt Agenda/Adjustments to the Agenda

Adjustments to the agenda: remove 3.6 until next month and move 3.2 to 2.1 Staff Reports. Hank McDonald made a motion to accept the agenda as amended. Nicole Buganski seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Parazoo –Absent Hyde – Yes McDonald – Yes Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes

1.5 Spot Light On Education

Spot Light on Education presented by Scio Middle School: Mr. Dilts and Marissa, one of his students presented to the Board information about their project of raising salmon eggs in the classroom this year. They received around 150 salmon eggs from the Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife. They monitor the water on a daily basis. They will be releasing the eggs in a few weeks into Thomas Creek. They have only lost around 8-10% of the eggs. Question was asked by board member on how they keep the water cold. Marissa said that they have a machine that regulates the temperature of the water. The board also asked if there are plans to go check up on them after they are released. Do the fish hang out for a while and do they come back to where they were release? They do come back at some point.

Middle School Student Body Council, Quinn Miller 8th grade President and Easton Geraths, Vice President. At the beginning of the school year Student Body Council did team building at a rope course to start the school year out. The Student Body Council reported to the Board a list of events that are happening over the school year. ie, assemblies, ghost walk, dances.

2) DELEGATION OR VISITORS

- 2.1 Staff Reports:** Krysta Sprague, FFA Advisor and AG Teacher at the High School, historically is a student took all 4 year of AG they would get their speech credit. Since the student throughout all 4 years of AG do several speeches. Now with the combination of speech and computer lit as communications. About 2 years ago the high school made a decision to combine speech and computer lit and they are now calling this class communications. Mrs. Sprague would like to recommend that her 4-year AG students get the credit for communications for computer lit as well as speech. If you complete all 4 years of AG program at the high school level, you get an AG 111 credit at the college level. Mrs. Sprague has a plan to make sure all students meet all requirements to receive the credit. The students that are seniors this year that need computer lit credit still, Mrs. Sprague would like to meet that qualification as well because they are getting that college credit computer

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credit. Mr. Tempel suggested doing this like a proficiency credit and have a list of things the student has to do and mark them off as they do them.

Nicole Buganski made a motion was made to grant proficiency credit in the area of communications, for the future students for the transitioning year where the students can continue classes as either communication or speech or computer lit. Hank McDonald seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Parazoo –Absent Hyde – Yes McDonald –Yes Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes

- 2.2 Scio Youth Club:** Mr. Tempel asked the Scio Youth Club president if they would still like to be on the agenda on a monthly basis. They decided that an email to Mr. Tempel with information on the Youth Club to share with the Board would work and that Scio Youth Club would send a representative a several times a year if not monthly.

- 2.3 High School/Middle School Leadership: N/A**

- 2.4 Visitor/Patron Comments:** Linda Duman, Lourdes Charter School would like to extend the contract negotiations. Our Board choices would be to review your proposal, or to have a negotiations meeting with Board members from Scio School District and Lourdes Charter school. Lourdes Charter school would like to do the negotiations meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m. to go back into Executive Sessions

Regular meeting called back to order at 7:39 p.m.

Nicole Buganski made a motion extend the contract negotiations period to the end of February to allow for the January meeting between Scio School District Board and Lourdes Charter School Board. The team will be Nicole Buganski and Hank McDonald from Scio School Board and Lourdes Charter School Board members. Hank McDonald seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Parazoo –Absent Hyde – Yes McDonald –Yes Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes

3) ITEMS REQUIRING BOARD ACTIONS

- 3.1 Staff Changes: Hiring, Resignations and Retirements:**

Hank McDonald made a motion to accept the hiring of the following:

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Margot Cooper-Elementary Temporary SPED Teacher Aide
Whitney Wiens-MS Asst. Girls Basketball Coach
Jesse Gerig-Heyerly-HS Head Boys Basketball Coach
Anthony Steele-HS Asst. Boys basketball Coach
Logan Ferguson-HS JV2 Boys Basketball Coach
Matt Parazoo-HS Head Wrestling Coach
Rex Lowther-HS Asst. Wrestling Coach
JaAnna Mendez-Winter Cheerleading Coach

Nicole Buganski seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Parazoo –Absent Hyde – Yes McDonald –Yes Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes

3.2 AG, Speech, Computers: Moved to 2.1 to present

3.3 Pedestrian Lights

Mr. Tempel suggested to the Board that they could also put in Pedestrian lights (crosswalk light) for the same price of \$6000.00. Mr. Tempel talked to the City of Scio and they said that in their long range plan had home to school safety as part of the plan and that they are currently working on it. City of Scio had proposed a light down 1st street between the Middle school and Centennial. Over time Mr. Tempel would like to put in 3 pedestrian lights, one at the foot bridge, one down at the stop sign at 1st street and main, and one down at the high school. Mr. Tempel is not suggesting we do all now but do them over time. City of Scio are going to try to get some grants. Mr. Tempel said that the Board does not have to make a decision today. The Board could add it to next year budget and talk about it at the retreat. Hank McDonald suggested that a senior should do this as a senior project. This has been passed onto Mrs. Blackwell to work through to have a senior bring to the School Board and City Council.

3.4 Extend Contract Negotiations-Lourdes Charter School

This was addressed at 2.4

3.5 School Report Cards

Mr. Tempel presented the School Report Cards to the Board.

3.6 Board Policy Review

JFCJ-Weapons in the Schools

Moved to December board meeting

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4) ITEMS FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BOARD

4.1 Superintendent's Report: Superintendent, Gary Tempel's packet included current enrollment numbers for 2017-18 school year and next year planned enrollment numbers. Enrollment is at 702. Mr. Tempel gave an update on the playground.

4.2 School Reports

4.2.1. Centennial Elementary School: Enrollment is up again to 322. Luke presented to the Board plans for the new playground. The Parent Club is wanting to make changes to these plans to make them ADA assessable.

EDUCATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Our staff continue to support a culture of leadership at Centennial with focus on The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People. Since being published in 1989, the book has grown into a system of support for schools. Rather than focusing exclusively on the bad behavior and the kids who struggle, this system teaches kids to be leaders who can make a difference in the school.
- Decreasing our chronic absenteeism continues to be a high priority for us as a school. We've been more vigilant than ever with family outreach and support. Our attendance numbers are looking decent, but we have yet to find the breakthrough strategy. The next step will be to post the numbers for the school community to see.

COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHTS

- We've begun a conversation throughout the school and community about the downside of technology in the classroom and at home. The education research continues to demonstrate the impact of immersive screen time such as fast-paced videos and games. As these forms of entertainment become more common, we're seeing kids losing the ability to pay attention to complex tasks. As they're used to pacify kids who are upset, we also see kids who aren't able to calm down or follow directions they don't like. Stay tuned for more ideas and solutions in the coming months.

4.2.2. Scio Middle School:

Athletic Update

- Girls Basketball: Our first game was 11/2. We currently have 16 players participating.
- Wrestling: Our first meet is 11/14 at Santiam Christian. We currently have 13 athletes participating.

Education Update

- **Staff Development:**

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- The teachers participated in a program where teachers observed teachers in the middle school.
- Parent teacher conferences will be on 11/19 and 11/20.
- **School Activities/Fundraisers:** Our Fall school fundraiser concluded on 10/30. We earned \$1521.
- **PBIS and Student Recognition:**
 - We have our next Gold Card trip planned for December 11, 2018 to reward students for their 1st quarter grades and behavior. Students eligible for the trip had at least a 3.0 GPA and no behavior issues. 57% (88 students) of our 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students have been invited to go. We are planning on going to Oaks Park to go roller skate and eat pizza.
 - **Patriot's Pen Writing Contest:** We had several students enter this annual writing contest sponsored by the VFW. We have submitted our essays on "Why I Honor The American Flag." We are waiting to hear the results.
 - **Students of the Month:** October: 6th- Baily McDonald, 7th- Cody Roofener, 8th-Gabe Rothauge, & Bucket- Brayden Eaton

Staff Update

- **Resignations**
 - None at this time
- **Recommendations for hire**
 - None at this time

Building Update

Girls Group: This group meets once a week to promote positivity around the school and help create a safe learning environment.

4.2.3. Scio High School:

Athletic Update:

- Winter sport start Monday November 12, 2018.
- Girls basketball and four parent volunteers are doing a Midnight Madness starting at 8 pm on Sunday 11/11/18. They will do dinner, play volleyball, watch a movie, and then have basketball practice at midnight. All will sleepover at the school then get up in morning for breakfast and have basketball practice.
- Applications open for track coach. Looking to do interviews after Thanksgiving.
- Football made it to quarterfinals playing Cascade Christian in Medford Friday 11/9/18.

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- October 20th professional development will consist of Best Practices training including focused note making, philosophical chairs, Socratic seminar, and building relational capacity.
- Scio HS nominated Jayden Driver and Kevin Slusser for Linn Co. Junior First Citizens.
- October attendance challenge. 45 students had perfect attendance for the month of October and earned root beer floats. We will continue to have attendance challenges throughout the year.

Upcoming Events:

- 11/13-11/15 - Ag Expo
- 11/17 - FFA State Sales @ Redmond
- 11/28 - Basketball @ St. Paul
- 11/30- Basketball vs. Santiam Christian
- 12/3 -12/4 AdvancED Accreditation here at SHS
- 12/5 - Basketball @ Gervais
- 12/6 Basketball @ Creswell
- 12/8 Scio Holiday Wrestling Tournament
- 12/11 - Basketball @ Sweet Home

5. BOARD COMMENTS/RECOGNITION

Kerri Hyde wanted to know if the School District have posted anything about Safe Oregon throughout the district. Mr. Tempel assured that we have posters posted. Mrs. Blackwell suggested that she would put it on the high school web page.

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES OF IMPORTANCE


Regular Board Meeting, Wednesday, December 12, 2018

Adjournment:

Vice Chair, Kerri Hyde adjourned the meeting at 8:12 P.M.



Presiding Chair



Board Secretary

12-12-18
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