

# Scio School District 95-C

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SCIO SCHOOL DISTRICT 95C

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SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

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Wednesday, December 15, 2021

7:00 P.M.
In Person/Via Zoom Meeting

The Scio School District Board of Directors met in person rather than online. Members of the public were in-person and virtually online by Zoom Meeting due to social distancing guidelines in accordance with the governor's executive orders and COVID-19.

The link to view the meeting: https://zoom.us/j/94410360023?pwd=cEg1Ylk2YncyMkk0QTlrM3BFZ1V4Zz09

Opening 7:00 p.m.

**Regular Meeting** 

### **REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

# 1) CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Kerri Hyde, at 7:00 P.M.; other board members present were Edward DeWilde, and Nicole Buganski. Hank McDonald and Mike Ennis were absent. Also, present were Superintendent – Steve Martinelli, Director of Charter Schools – Gary Tempel, Payroll/Board Secretary- Chelle Mask. Business Manager – Tracy Porter. Principals Kim Roth, Greg Nolan, and Dani Blackwell were 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

Nicole Buganski made a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. Ed DeWilde seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde - Yes

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# 1.4 Adopt Agenda/Adjustments to the Agenda

Mr. Martinelli added to the agenda the following items:

# 3.6 Out of State Travel

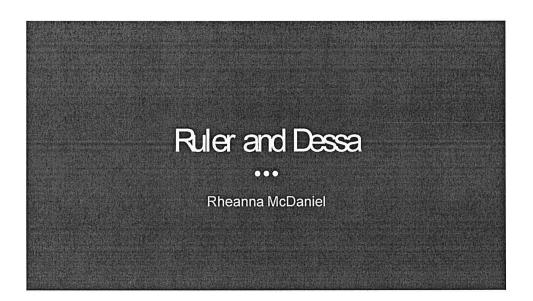
High School Girls Locker room postpone until January 2022.

Nicole Buganski made a motion to accept the agenda with adjustments. Ed DeWilde seconded the motion. Motion passed.

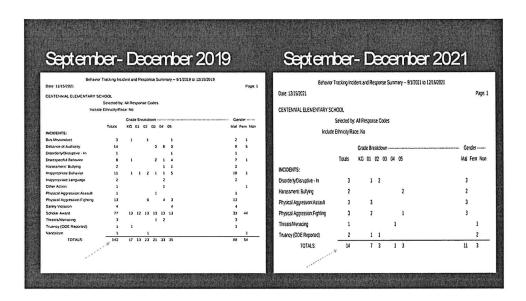
Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde – Yes

# 1.5 Spotlight on Education – Scio High School

Rheanna McDaniel, Centennial Elementary School Behavioral Specialist



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# Why are we seeing such drastic changes?

- Additional support staff in classrooms
- · Abbreviated School day
- Alternate lunch and recess times
- Designated "Calm down" space in every classroom
- Sensory Room/ Calm down Room
- Offered Breaks (as requested/ necessary)
- Soft start in the mornings
- Continued Action Research (part of our school improvement plan)

# Ruler: What is it?

- RULER is an acronym for the five skills of emotional intelligence.
  - R: Recognizing
  - U: Understanding
  - L: Labeling
  - E: Expressing
  - R: Regulating

- The development of these five RULER skills relies on four core tools:
- Charter
- Mood Meter
  - Meta-Moment
  - Blueprint.

### The Charter

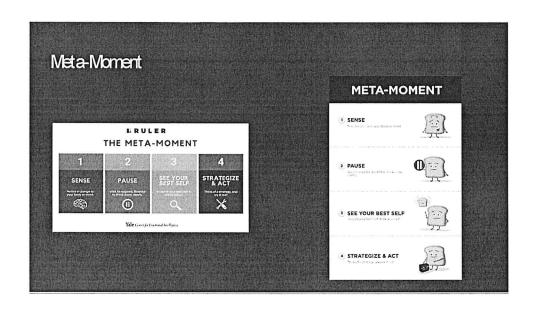
Instead of typical classroom rules that are teacher-directed, the Charter is an agreement that is based in feelings.

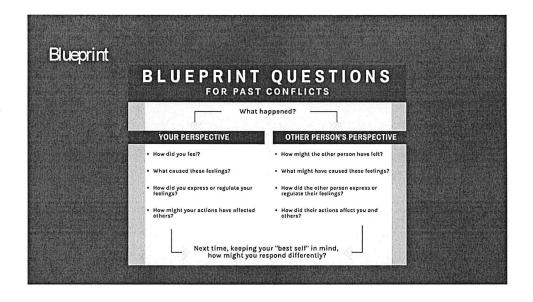
- 'How do we want to feel at school?'
- 'How will we make sure to feel these feelings?'
- 'What will we do when there is conflict or unwanted feelings?'"



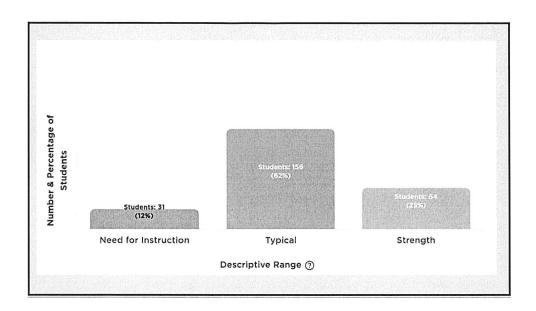
# Mood Meter

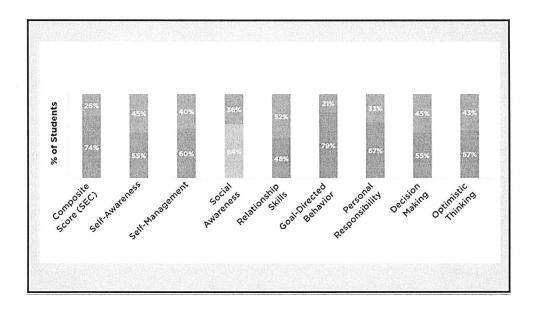


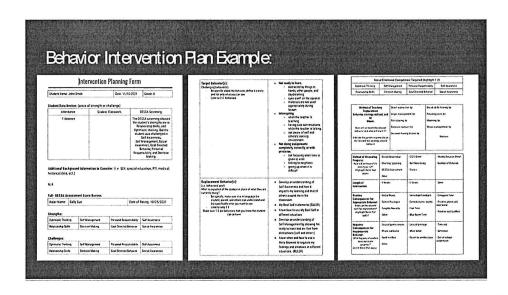




### DESSA DESSA assesses eight • The Eight Emotional Competencies are: social and emotional Self- Awareness competencies and is o Self- Management intended to help educators: Social Awareness o plan instruction o Relationship Skills Goal Directed Behavior o document students' Personal ResponsibilityDecision Making strengths and areas of need o Optimistic Thinking inform progress monitoring evaluate program outcomes







Differences in the school since implementation...

- Accountability (Blueprint)
- Expectations are clear (Charter)
- · Behaviors are down
- Relationships
- Small Group Implementation
- Track Growth/ See where improvements are needed

# 2) DELEGATION OR VISITORS

2.1 Staff Reports: N/A

2.2 High School/Middle School Leadership

Staff Members

Representative

Dani Blackwell wanted to give a shout out to Leadership for the great job they did with the food drive. The fire department said they have never seen as much food brought in as they did this year. Leadership also have dress up days planned for the basketball games. Winter Formal is scheduled for January 15, 2022.

- 2.3 Scio Youth Club: N/A
- **2.4 Visitor/Patron Comments in the Audience:** Parent in the audience has a concern about a math class at the high school. Mrs. Blackwell is aware of the situation and will be in contact with the parent.

Check back at the end of the meeting for questions from the online audience.

# 3) ITEMS REQUIRING BOARD ACTIONS

3.1 Staff Changes: Hiring's and Retirements:

Hiring:

Nicole Buganski made a motion to hire the following:

Kylie Stillman-District Nurse
Star Ziebert-Centennial-Teacher Aide
Sarah Phelan-Flores-Scio High School Art Teacher .50 FTE
Jennifer Minten-Middle School Math and Language Art Teacher .59 FTE
Jennifer Minten-Middle School Teacher Aide .38 FTE
Steve Graham-Transportation-Bus Driver

Ed DeWilde seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde – Yes

### 3.2 Superintendent Contract Renewal:

Nicole Buganski made a motion to renew 3-year contract for Steve Martinelli, Superintendent. Ed DeWilde seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde – Yes

# 3.3 Enrollment Projections:

Mr. Tempel presented to the Board enrollment projections. This is informational for the Board.

# 3.4 Board Policies: Second Reading

AC-AR – Discrimination Complaint Procedure

Ed DeWilde made a motion to accept a second and final reading on AC-AR – Discrimination Complaint Procedure Policy. Nicole Buganski seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde – Yes

# 3.5 Board Policies – First Reading:

The following policies got moved to a second reading.

ACB – All Students Belong ACB-AR – Bias Incident Complaint Procedure

### 3.6 Out of State Travel:

High School Girls Basketball team would like to attend a 3-day tournament in Vancouver Washington on December 27, 28, and 29, 2021.

Nicole Buganski made a motion to approve the out of state travel for the High School Girls Basketball team to attend a 3-day tournament in Vancouver Washington on December 27, 28, and 29, 2021. Kerri Hyde seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Hyde – Yes McDonald – Absent Ennis – Absent Buganski – Yes DeWilde – Yes

# 4) ITEMS FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE BOARD

**4.1 Superintendent's Report:** Superintendent, Steve Martinelli's packet included:

### **CURRENT**

### Long Range Facilities Planning Committee:

The committee came together for the second meeting of three on November 30, 2021. Committee members looked at recommendations for improvements at each building location and engaged in discussions around potential priorities. Soderstrom will go back with our recommendations and put together a draft of a plan. The committee will review the draft on January 5, 2021 and make a recommendation to the school board once a final document is produced.

### OHA and ODE Updates

- Two substantive updates for schools to the K12 face covering temporary rules
   OAR 333-019-1023 and OAR 333-019-1015
  - OAR 333-019-1025 maintains a statewide requirement for mask use in indoor settings and removes the requirement for everyone age five (5) or older to wear a face covering where people from separate households gather.
  - OAR 333-019-1015 will remove the outdoor face covering requirement for K-12 settings.
- What does this all mean? It makes outdoor face coverings now a local decision, similar to other COVID-19 mitigation protocols such as physical distancing and airflow/ventilation.
- OHA reviews data regularly to determine the need for face coverings. As
   COVID-19 rates increase or decrease in Oregon, decisions to relax or tighten statewide face covering requirements may be made.

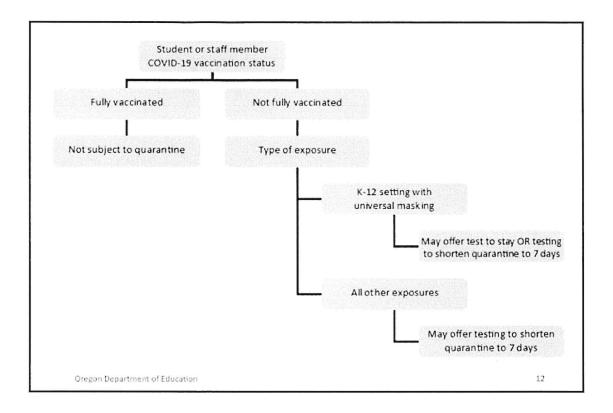
### Keeping Students Learning In-Person

 OHA and ODE have developed a new test to stay protocol that will allow unvaccinated students and staff to participate in in-person learning as safely as possible while lessening the burden of quarantine on students, families, and staff. We know the critical importance that attendance has on student success and the CDC considers test to stay a promising practice for minimizing quarantine and maximizing school days in school.

# Highlights of the Test to Stay Protocol

- OHA's test to stay protocol allows unvaccinated students and staff to continue to participate in in-person instruction in Oregon's K-12 schools during their quarantine period. The risk of transmission is minimized in school settings because the required testing is combined with several layers of mitigation including universal masking, physical distancing, cohorting, and ventilation.
  - Test to stay is available only for unvaccinated asymptomatic individuals who were exposed in indoor and outdoor school settings where universal masking is fully in place. Indoor and outdoor exposures are reviewed for proximity and duration of exposure.
  - Test to stay requires unvaccinated individuals to be tested twice during the 7 days following exposure. First, as soon as the exposure has been identified, with a second test occurring between days 5-7 following the exposure.
  - Test to stay is a form of modified quarantine, which allows individuals to attend school during their 7-day quarantine period. However, individuals participating in test to stay are expected to maintain quarantine outside of classroom settings.
  - Students and staff participating in test to stay may participate in school-related extracurricular activities during their 7-day quarantine period but must wear a face covering at all times during these activities.
  - The CDC considers test to stay a <u>promising practice</u> for minimizing quarantine and maximizing school days in school.

**Note:** Test to stay may **not** be used following extracurricular exposures because masking in these settings is optional and the risk of transmission within the cohort is greater. Similarly, test to stay may **not** be used following community or in-home exposures.



# **4.2 GT Report:** Director of Charter Schools, Gary Tempel packet included:

### Current Enrollment:

# Current Enrollment (11-30-21)

Centennial – 262 Middle School – 150 High School – 229 In District Total = 641

Lourdes – 36 Willamette Connections – 1347

### **Projects**

- MS Softball Batting Cage Completed
- 2. MS Baseball Batting Cage They have started, they think they will be done by winter break.
- 3. ES Playground covering We have the permit at the county being reviewed.
- 4. MS Softball Outfield Fencing We are on the Schedule for early February.
- 5. MS Baseball Backstop and Outfield Fencing We are on the schedule for early February.
- 6. Youth Club Back Stop We are waiting to be scheduled by the contractor.
- 7. HS Fobs We are waiting for the equipment to arrive for installation.
- 8. HS Security Is operational, Waiting on some extras.
- 9. MS Fobs The hallway doors are done and in construction mode, we are waiting for the rest of the equipment to arrive.
- 10. ES Fobs ES will be switched over as soon as the middle school is done.

- 11. Kitchen addition We are working on getting the final plumping and final inspection on the bathrooms.
- 12. Middle School bathrooms We are waiting on updated plans for you to review.
- 13. Middle School Hallway We cut out the sound panel on the sides and we are looking for another lighting alternative.
- 14. Middle School Entry Ramp Proposal is signed.
- 15. Middle School Bells and Intercom The wiring is done; we are waiting on the Equipment.
- 16. Middle School Seismic We are meeting next week.
- 17. High School Stage We are waiting on the sound and lighting proposal; we have signed the proposal for the catwalk planning.
- 18. High School Student Support Office We have signed the planning proposal.
- 19. High School Bathroom We have signed the planning proposal.
- 20. HS Shower Stall Doors Waiting on the contractor to schedule.
- 21. HS Boys Locker room Shower Stalls We are waiting for an updated bid.
- 22. MS Storage Shed Softball Batting Cage Ordered and should be here by January.
- 23. ES Cafeteria Stalls are ordered for the Bathrooms.

### On the Horizon

- 24. Bus Barn Moving North side of the fence
- 25. Bus Barn Building addition
- 26. MS Storage Shed for Baseball Batting Cage
- 27. HS Roof over the Sophomore and Senior Hall
- 28. HS Football LED Lights

# 4.3 School Reports

# 4.3.1 Centennial Elementary School

Principal, Kim Roth

School Enrollment: 267

### **EDUCATION HIGHLIGHTS / PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

 The Social Emotional Learning team has continued to lead teachers in the implementation of RULER instruction and DESSA assessment. The data from the DESSA assessments has helped us to identify the SEL skill strengths and needs of our students. Small and large group instruction, along with specialized behavior intervention plans are created using the data.

### **C**OMMUNITY

- In collaboration with the High School Leadership team and Scio Rural Fire District Volunteers, Centennial Families were able to donate thousands of food items to those in need.
- Scio Parent Club, with help from the Middle School and High School Leadership teams were able to put on a Gift Giving Fair for the elementary students. Our students were incredibly excited to be able to shop for their families, with the help of a bigger buddy. Thank you to all of the businesses and families that donated funds or items so that all students could participate.

- We have really enjoyed having high school cadet teachers in our classrooms. They
  have been assisting in the lunchroom, classroom, during PE, and during recess times.
- Students at the high school are supporting our students through creative senior projects. They have helped with the canned food drive and a special gift giving event for our kindergarten students. It has been wonderful to see these students giving back to our community.
- Scio Parent Club has helped us plan holiday parties for each classroom. We appreciate the continued involvement of our parent volunteers and room parents in the festivities.
- Ms. Brockamp and the elementary students have been working hard on a virtual winter program. The performance will be available for families to view through Google Classroom this week.

SPOTLIGHT ON EDUCATION: Rheanna McDaniel, SEL Presentation

# 4.3.2. Scio Middle School

Principal, Greg Nolan

School Enrollment: 151

### **Athletic Update**

- The girls' final basketball game is Thursday December 16 at home versus Jefferson.
- The wrestlers' final match is Thursday December 16 at Santiam.
- Boys' Basketball: Sign-ups have started for boys' basketball.

### **Education Update**

The teachers have the annual Winter Activity Day on Friday December 17<sup>th</sup>.

### PBIS and Student Recognition:

- The annual field trip to Corvallis to watch OSU's women's basketball game was December 1. Brycen Zosel participated in front of a few thousand people during the halftime entertainment, basketball musical chairs, and finished as the runner up.
- Student Support Team has met again to monitor selected students with the focus on new students. They are currently making plans to monitor their achievement and improvement.
- o The annual Canned Food Drive is in full swing.
- We are currently in Spirit Week with tomorrow being Logger Pride Day and Friday being comfy/ugly sweater day.
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade students supported Kinders and 1<sup>st</sup> graders during the gift giving fair at the elementary school. They helped them shop and spend within their budget.
- Students of the Month: November: 6<sup>th</sup>- Addison Storms, 7<sup>th</sup>- Syrus Diaz, 8<sup>th</sup>-Ellie Loffelmacher, & Bucket Award for hard work- Kayden Parazoo

### **Staff Update**

### Recommendations for hire

o ½ time position: Jenny Minten

# 4.3.3. Scio High School

### Principal, Dani Blackwell

School Enrollment: 228

### **Athletic Update:**

- Winter sport participant numbers:
  - o Girls Basketball = 11
  - Boys Basketball = 19
  - o Wrestling = 14

### **Education Update:**

- We finished Trimester 1. Students who failed courses are able to go right back into the class or take credit recovery, so they do not get too far behind.
- We had 1 senior graduate after Trimester 1.
- Currently, we are in week 2 of trimester 2. It was different to transition before winter break, but we are loving how students have more options for electives.
- The can food drive was a huge success. We collected more food than we have in previous years! Mr. Rounsavell and the leadership students did a fabulous job making it a competition with prizes along the way.
- Spirit week is going great. We have two assemblies (lip-sync & spirit) and dress-up days every day. Dec. 14 Ugly Sweaters, Dec. 15 Holiday Headgear (Santa Hat, Reindeer horn, etc.), Dec. 16 Santa's Helpers (Elf, reindeer, or snowman), & Dec. 17 Christmas Morning (wear PJ's).
- Our first Newsletter of the year will go out Friday, December 17, 2021. It is filled with amazing student work from Trimester 1.

### **Upcoming Events:**

- 12/17 18 Girls & Boys Basketball Tournament @ Regis
- 12/18 Wrestling tournament @ Nestucca
- 12/20 1/3 Winter Break
- 12/21 Girls Basketball vs. Nestucca
- 12/29 Basketball vs. Santiam
- 1/4/2022 Basketball vs. Sheridan
- 1/7/2022 Wrestling @ Central Linn
- 1/7/2022 Basketball @ Harrisburg
- 1/8/2022 Wrestling @ Willamina
- 1/11/2022 Basketball @ Amity
- 1/14/2022 1/15/2022 Oregon Wrestling Classic @ Redmond
- 1/14/2022 Basketball @ Creswell
- 1/18/2022 Basketball vs. Blanchet Catholic
- 1/20/2022 Basketball @ Yamhill-Carlton

### Questions from the On-line audience:

# 5. BOARD COMMENTS/RECOGNITION

Nicole Buganski commented on the collaboration between schools, older kids helping the younger kids and how this is amazing.

2-16-2022

Date Board

# 6. ANNOUNCEMENTS/DATES OF IMPORTANCE

Next Board Meeting, Wednesday, January 19, 2022

Adjournment:

Kerri Hyde adjourned the meeting at 8:27 P.M.

Presiding Chair

Approved

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**Board Secretary**