

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Fall in the Board Room at the Educational Services Center with the following Trustees present: Gregg Blikre, Lisa Durgin, David Fall, Deb Hepp, Linda Jennings, and Steve Pecha. Susan Shippy was excused.

Others present: Dr. Richard M. Strahorn, Superintendent of Schools; Dr. Larry Heslep, Associate Superintendent for Instruction; Dr. Boyd Brown, Associate Superintendent for Instructional Support; Mr. Larry Reznicek, Manager of Human Resources; Mr. Frank Stevens, Board attorney; and Linda Mohr, secretary.

Meadowlark Elementary School Celebration

Principal Dr. Barry Jankord introduced GATE Teacher/Technology Facilitator Dawn Dale and her students who explained and shared a pod cast about the Wyoming Lincoln Bicentennial projects they completed. Students present were Laura Dale, Kelsee Mortensen, Nico Shober, Baylee Swenson, Baylee Mooney, Cason Pratt, Marco Quinones, William Sams, Caitlin Zollinger, Brian Study, Elisha Schafer, and Kennedy Bowles. Librarian Denise Catlin also assisted in the project.

Conestoga Elementary School Celebration

Principal Steve Anderson introduced Fourth Grade Teacher Kelly McManamen and her students who spoke about the University of Wyoming Science Posse and their experiences. Students present were Austin Branscom, Brittany Campbell, Sydney Costello, Anyssa Eldridge, Nick Erickson, Hannah Fiester, Mariah Harnish, Gabe Held, Tanner Miller, Abain Pease, Kinya Svoboda, Emily Van Meter, Brody Waters, Michaela Dyk, Josh Zuck, Lyndsee Lunberg, George Strong, Rylan Schlesselman, Zaygen Blazkowski, Trevor Rook, Caleb Durgin, Kylie Brown, Bailey Gunderson, Scott Schroyer, and Destiny Irwin.

CCHS Activities Recognition

Activities Director Cliff Hill presented the 2009 State Championship Gymnastics Team and Head Coach Teresa Michael who was named Coach of the Year. The team included Devon Fichter, Brylee Barbour, Marla Brooks, Lexi Lunberg, Naomi Morgan, and Dusti Poppleton.

Academic Reports

Principal Jankord reported on Meadowlark Elementary School's academic progress on their writing and math goals. Principal Anderson presented a PowerPoint program about Conestoga's PAWS and MAP results.

Facilitator Report - Language Arts

Secondary Facilitator Clint Matthews reviewed the 7-12 curriculum, his duties, and availability of resources on the district web page. Elementary Facilitator Barb Parry reviewed a handout with comparisons of district and state PAWS results, the Treasure's reading series, and progress on DSPS's.

Public Comment

An individual in the audience commented that the free books given to children at well-child checkups have had an impact on children's interest and success in early reading.

CONSENT AGENDA

Following removal of the bus lease resolution by Mr. Blikre, it was moved by Mr. Blikre and seconded by Mrs. Hepp to approve the following items listed on the consent agenda. The motion carried.

Minutes

Minutes of the February 10 and 24, 2009, Board of Trustees meetings were approved.

Employee Actions

The following actions taken by the Human Resources Department were approved:

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Resignations

Josefina Hill	Head Custodian/Meadowlark
Laurie Kent	Human Resource Specialist/ESC
Jae Kleinfeldt	SPEA/Wagowheel

Gina L Michael CAT Director & SPEA/Lakeview
Jerrica Patterson SPEA/Wagonwheel

New Hires - Regular

Vicky Baker Instructional TA/Cottonwood
Lee Ann Charpentier Asst Cook Floater/Food Service
Brey Edwards Bus Mechanic/Transportation⁹
Richard Foley Head Custodian/Meadowlark
Kimberly Granzer SPEA (High Needs)/Rawhide
Tracy Hanson Instructional TA/Cottonwood
Shari Henaghan SPEA (High Needs)/Rawhide
Matthew Jacobs Skilled Maintenance HVAC/Maintenance New
Jamie Mallon Human Resource Specialist/ESC
Kayleigh Mest Student Custodian/TSJH
Matthew Ott Student Custodian/WJSHS
Daniel Petty Custodian/Lakeview
Tania Szewczyk SPEA/Paintbrush
Sharmin Winder SPEA (High Needs)/Rawhide
Dale Wishard Warehouse Technician/Warehouse New

New Hires - Substitutes/Temporaries

Bruce Holzwarth Bus Driver in Training/Transportation

Transfers

Stacy Aloisio FROM: Custodian/AC
TO: Head Custodian/AC
Vermae Danielson FROM: Asst Cook Floater/Food Service
TO: Asst Cook/Food Service 02/23/2009
James Slattery FROM: Bus Driver in Training/Transportation
TO: Substitute Bus Driver/Transportation

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Recommendations for ReHire for 2009-2010 School Year

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS

Alex Ayers Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Assessment
Lyla Downey Assistant Superintendent for Technology Education

DIRECTORS

Kip Farnum Director of Student Support Services
Carryl Goens Director of Staff Development
Cliff Hill Director of Activities
Pat Kirk Director of Aquatic Center/Associate Director of Activities
Doug Rose Director of Special Programs

ADMINISTRATORS

Steve Anderson Conestoga Principal
Mike Beck SVJH Associate Principal
Mitch Burgess CCHS Associate Principal
Alan Burke Cottonwood Principal
Ron Butler Westwood High School Principal
Tana Dally CCHS Associate Principal
Laurie Davis Little Powder/Recluse Principal
Mike Delancey Lakeview Principal
Kirby Eisenhauer WJSHS Principal
Steve Fenton Pronghorn Principal
Dave Foreman TSJH Principal
Dave Freeland Rozet Principal
Dr. Barry Jankord Meadowlark Principal
Tana Larsen Rawhide/4-J Principal
Roger Larsen Wyoming Virtual School Principal/Title I Coordinator
Sheryl Levi SVJH Associate Principal
Dana Lyman TSJH Associate Principal

Kelly Morehead CCHS Associate Principal
Dave Olsen Paintbrush Principal
Kathy Quinn Stocktrail Principal
Terry Quinn SVJH Principal
Kevin Sinclair Sunflower Principal
Larry Steiger CCHS Principal
Eric Stremcha Wagonwheel Principal
Jeff Wasserburger TSJH Associate Principal
Brad Winter Hillcrest Principal

CERTIFIED COORDINATORS

Jodi Crago-Beck Coordinator of Science Center
Kay Daly Coordinator of Library/Media
Brian Knox Dean of Students
Mike Miller Coordinator of Healthy Schools

New Hires - Substitutes/Temporaries

Melody L. Carter Substitute Teacher
William K Gibbs Substitute Teacher
Jedidiah D. Johnson Substitute Teacher
Tracey L. Maffei Substitute Teacher
Cynthia J. Rogers Substitute Teacher

Warrants	Payroll Warrants	170923 - 171534
	Combined Funds Warrants	289720 - 290237
	Major Maintenance Warrants	4965 - 4973
	Lunch Fund Warrants	5169 - 5217
	Insurance Fund Warrants	2608 - 2609
	Student Activities/Bldg.Sp. Rev.	32715 - 32757
	Activity Officials Warrants	3785 - 3804

Bids

The following bids were awarded:

1. Paintbrush Elementary School Fire Alarm to Tucker Electric in the amount of \$52,897.00.
2. CCHS North Campus Switchgear Replacement to Tucker Electric in the amount of \$47,215.00.
3. Paintbrush Elementary School Switchgear Replacement to Tucker Electric in the amount of \$99,900.00.

Policies

Policy 4665, *Jury Duty, Subpoenas, Military Reserve, and National Guard Duty*, was approved on first and final reading with changes to align with state statute.

CONSENT AGENDA ENDS

Bus Lease Resolution

Mr. Pecha moved to approve the bus lease resolution, Mrs. Hepp seconded, and the motion carried. A copy of the resolution will be attached to the official copy of these minutes.

Attendance Area Change

Dr. Heslep presented an attendance area recommendation to more accurately balance attendance between Twin Spruce Junior High and Sage Valley Junior High by moving Wagonwheel Elementary School and the Desert Run area to the Twin Spruce Junior High attendance area, the former configuration which was changed approximately five years ago. Students currently attending Sage Valley would be allowed to continue attendance at that school. Mrs. Durgin made a motion to approve the return to the previous configuration, Mrs. Hepp seconded, and the motion carried.

Enrollment Increase Impact

Dr. Brown reviewed enrollment increases and the impact upon current facilities. He noted the rapid increase at the early elementary level and the need to pursue the construction of a new elementary school. He requested

approval to bring a proposal to the board in the next month or so to construct a building in the southern area of Gillette, near South Campus. He noted several concerns and issues interacting with the preparation to reconstruct Stocktrail or a new junior high because of the aggressive growth Campbell County is experiencing. By consensus, the trustees agreed to hear at a later date the issues and resolutions that might be offered.

Adjournment

With no other business before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Chairman

Clerk