

Kearsley Community Schools
Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

Kearsley Administration Building
4396 Underhill Drive
Flint, MI 48506

September 12, 2016

Minutes

Present: Board of Education: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Administration: P. Yorks, K. Walworth
Absent: T. Sorensen

President, R. Hill called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

16-041 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by D. Joubran to approve the August 8, 2016 Board of Education Regular meeting minutes.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

16-042 Motion by C. Boggs, supported by J. Natzke to approve the agenda.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

Presentations:

- D. Joubran presented certificates to the Varsity Softball team for achieving Academic All-State.
- J. Natzke presented certificates to the Varsity Girls' Tennis team for achieving Academic All-State.
- K. Walworth introduced the district's new teachers.

Manifest of Bills:

16-043 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by C. Boggs to approve the Manifest of Bills.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

Communications:

- None

Citizens' Comments:

- Daniel Peake expressed concerns regarding cars parking on both sides of Delaney Street and blocking traffic during bus pick up and drop off times.

For Action:

Personnel & Labor Relations:

16-044 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by C. Boggs to approve the Personnel Report.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

Buildings & Grounds:

- None

Finance:

- None

Athletics, Activities, & Transportation:

- None

Policy & Community Relations:

16-045 Motion by D. Alburtus, supported by C. Boggs to accept the donation of \$1,355.00 to the athletic department from the Sandy White family, donated in her memory.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

16-046 Motion by D. Alburtus, supported by J. Natzke to accept the donation of four Epson Brightlink 450 projectors from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

Programs, Materials & Curriculum:

16-047 Motion by D. Joubran, supported by C. Boggs to approve Armstrong Middle School's extended trip to Washington, D.C., May 9-13, 2017.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

Items from the Student Representative, Karinna Glandon:

- First 4 days of school went well.
- The Freshman Mentoring program is working well.
- There are 25 days until homecoming. This year's theme is "Around the World". Seniors have Paris, Juniors have Cairo, Sophomores have Rio de Janeiro, and Freshmen have Mexico City.
- The football team played Holly on Friday and it was Red/White/Blue night.
- Freshmen and JV football teams are undefeated at this point.
- Mr. Smith is filling in for Mr. Bregand in band.
- Student Council received an award from the Genesee County Parks for working 1,800 hours during the 2015-2016 school year.
- ABC12 Spirit Day was a success.

Items from Administration:

- K. Walworth congratulated the softball and tennis teams. He noted that the community has lost two very special people recently, Sandy White and Sally Smith.
- K. Walworth thanked the board members, administrators, and teachers who participated in the Richfield Industries golf outing which raises money for their Christmas Toy assistance program.
- P. Yorks noted that it has been a good start to the year. She was able to attend the viewing for Sally Smith and noted that there was a very nice tribute to her.
- P. Yorks informed the Board that there would be a Public Hearing in late September or early October to inform the public of the new Human Growth & Development curriculum. She also indicated that at the October meeting there would be a Schools of Choice Update.
- P. Yorks informed the Board that Homecoming is October 7th vs. Brandon. The Grand Marshal will be Russ Beagle. She also reminded the Board of the upcoming Professional Development at the GISD on September 26th.

Items from the Board of Education:

- J. Natzke welcomed the new teachers and congratulated the athletes who achieved Academic All-State.
- D. Joubran congratulated the athletes for achieving Academic All-State.
- C. Boggs noted that he went to the Fenton swimming relays. He noted that it was a great experience for the students and that there is some great competition in the county. He also informed the Board of how impressive the blind student swimmer from Holly is.
- M. Skidmore noted that the football team is doing well and he urged the community to attend the games. He welcomed the new teachers and noted that it is great to have Russ Beagle as the Grand Marshal.
- D. Alburtus congratulated the athletes for achieving Academic All-State and noted how nice it was to see the football bleachers full for the game. She welcomed the new teachers.
- R. Hill noted that at the next work session he would like to go over the notes he handed out from his Board President's meeting.

16-048 Motion by J. Natzke, supported by C. Boggs to adjourn at 7:40 p.m.

Ayes: R. Hill, C. Boggs, D. Joubran, J. Natzke, M. Skidmore, D. Alburtus
Nays: None
Absent: T. Sorensen
Motion carried.

D. Joubran, Board of Education Secretary

October 10, 2016
Date