

LANESVILLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

April 19, 2022

The regular monthly meeting of the Lanesville Community School Board of Trustees was held on April 19, 2022 at the high school cafeteria, 2725 Crestview Avenue, NE, Lanesville Indiana. The meeting was called to order at 5:34 p.m. by board president, Sharon Rothrock. Board members who were present at the meeting were as follows:

Sharon Rothrock, President
Margaret Meyer, Vice President
Ron Wolfe, member
Robert Schickel, member
Steve Morris, Superintendent

Margaret Meyer made a motion to approve the minutes from the March 15, 2022 board meetings and the claims for the month of April. Ron Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Jeff Smitley, Elementary Principal, presented the elementary school report.

Mr. Smitley stated that the Academic bowl was completed on April 12th. He said that they had 20 out of 32 questions answered correctly and finished 45 out of 104 teams in the green class.

Mr. Smitley wanted to recognize Bethany Moore for being selected to work with Armstrong Teacher Educators through IU in Bloomington. She will work with a select group of teachers across the state of Indiana in training and preparing teacher candidates in the IU School of Education.

Mr. Smitley said that testing will be complete this week for high ability. Parents will be contacted next week and there will be a parent meeting on May 4th at 6 pm in the cafeteria. Bethany Miller will discuss testing procedures, qualifying, services in school, out of school opportunities and parent resources. Bethany Moore will be presenting a sample lesson. A board-based committee will be set up before the end of the school year. This committee will be made up of school administration, teachers and parents. Currently, we are piloting an after school program on Mondays with the 1st and 3rd grades. We have 17 total students involved at this time.

Mr. Smitley said that ILEARN testing would be taking place over the next few weeks.

This concluded his report.

Dr. Apple, High School Principal, presented the high school report.

Dr. Apple recognized the following students for completion of the Youth Leadership of Harrison County program:

Natalie Crawford, Linzie Wernert, Ceirwen Abell, Emma Campbell, Marcus Hadley, Rachel Leffler and Kailin Scarberry.

Dr. Apple wanted to recognize the following student athletes for their success this year in the sport of girls' basketball. The girls finished the varsity season as conference champions and sectional champions and finished the year with a record of 26-2.

Jane Davis, Ava Kerr, Ellie Schneider, Emma Davis, Kennedy Gordon, Emma Campbell, Linzie Wernert, Kaylie Blankenbaker, Morgan Sonner, Hadley Crosier, Isabella Wise, Hylton Brumley, Margeaux Stewart and Shelby Allen.

Dr. Apple stated that ILEARN, NWEA and AP testing will be starting in the next few weeks.

This concluded his report.

Mr. Morris proceeded with the Superintendent report.

Mr. Morris stated that he is part of a committee that is interviewing for the position of Director at the Wilson Center. He said that the interviews are winding up the week of May 3rd and the candidates will be hired by May 18th.

Mr. Morris stated that Bruce Kulwicki is retiring as Director of Exceptional Learners through the South Harrison CO-OP and will be moving to Terre Haute and Indiana State University.

Mr. Morris stated that he was attending a meeting today with our health insurance trust. He discussed the benefits of signing up with Surgery Plus and how it will help with out of pocket costs per surgery.

Mr. Morris stated that he and Sharon Rothrock would be attending a meeting this Friday in Clarksville. This meeting will include Superintendents, board members and legislators. He stated that the board would be attending a meeting next Tuesday in Seymour.

Mr. Morris stated that we will be testing next week. He said that he will be taking part in mock interviews at IUS next week.

Mr. Morris stated that we are taking the steps to have wireless access in the high school gym. This should be done in the next few weeks.

This concluded his report

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to approve the retirement of Barbara Parrish as Speech Language Pathologist. Robert Schickel made the motion to accept and Margaret Meyer seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to approve the hiring of Abby Hickerson as the new Speech Language Pathologist. Margaret Meyer made the motion to accept and Ron Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to approve the retirement of Debbie Gerth and the resignation of Maria Kramer and Teresa Davis as Cafeteria staff at the end of this school year. Robert Schickel made the motion to accept and Ron Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to approve the hiring of Robert White as evening maintenance custodian. Ron Wolfe made the motion to accept and Robert Schickel seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to adopt the public comment policy and the public complaints policy. Robert Schickel made the motion to accept and Ron Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

Mr. Morris made a recommendation to approve Matthew Toole as the boys' assistant golf coach. Margaret Meyer made motion to approve and Robert Schickel seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

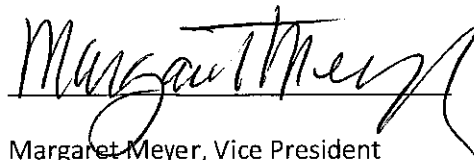
Mr. Morris made the recommendation to approve the following fundraisers. Bob Schickel made the motion to approve the fundraisers and Ron Wolfe seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0.

- HS cheer to sell boxed brunches
- HS cheer t-shirt sales
- Soccer selling gourmet flavored popcorn
- JR class car wash
- Jr class family picnic
- Jr class bingo board
- Jr class raffles

With no further business, Sharon Rothrock motioned to adjourn the meeting. Margaret Meyer seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0 The meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.



Sharon Rothrock, President



Margaret Meyer, Vice President