

Approved Minutes
Warrick County School Corporation
Board of School Trustees
March 11, 2024

The Warrick County Board of School Trustees met in regular session on March 11, 2024, at 7:00 pm with the following Board Members present: Mr. Eric Franz, Mr. Jordan Aigner, Mrs. Lynda Glover, Ms. Brenda Metzger, Mr. Jeff Baker, Mrs. Jane Wilhelmus and Mr. Tim Mosbey. YouTube is the electronic means of communication used by the public to attend remotely.

President Wilhelmus called the meeting to order and asked everyone to remember Phyllis Hunt, a former Warrick County School Corporation Secretary to the Superintendent. A moment of silence was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Patron Concerns

None

School Spotlight

Elberfeld Elementary School Principal, Mr. Josh Susott introduced the Student Council members and their advisor, Mrs. Angie Myers. Some areas the Student Council chose to highlight about EES was community involvement, parental involvement, teachers, friendships, extracurricular activities participation, and of course the fun.

Some facts about Elberfeld Elementary Hornets:

- Current Enrollment - 180
- Teachers - 12
- Student Attendance Rate - 96%
- ILEARN Math Proficiency - 43% above the state average
- ILEARN ELA Proficiency - 20% above the state average
- IREAD Pass Rate - 96%

Consideration of Routine Items

A motion was made by Mr. Aigner and seconded by Mr. Mosbey to approve the following routine items:

- Minutes of the School Board meeting held on February 26, 2024.
- Claims and docket for March 11, 2024.

Motion carried.

Consideration of Items for Board Action

- A. On February 26, 2024 a Public Hearing was held for comment on the proposed Superintendent's amended contract. The proposed contract was properly posted on the school corporation's website. Tonight a motion was made by Mrs. Glover and seconded by Ms. Metzger to approve the Superintendent's amended contract.

Motion carried.

B. A motion was made by Mr. Baker and seconded by Mr. Mosbey to approve the following donation requests:

- Sharon Elementary School - \$1,000 donation from Newburgh Youth Basketball for team equipment and/or uniforms
- Chandler Elementary School - \$755.76 donation from WPEF to purchase "The Little Engine That Could" for the student activities
- Castle High School - \$3,142 donated from Huck's Market to be used for staff appreciation
- Tecumseh High School - \$500 donation on behalf of Shelby Hess through Toyota's Benevity Program to be used for THS Softball needs
- Tecumseh High School - \$500 donation on behalf of Steve Hildebrand through Toyota's Benevity Program to be used for THS Softball needs
- Castle Elementary School - \$1,000 donation from Newburgh Youth Basketball for team equipment and/or uniforms
- Castle Elementary School - \$3,500 donation from their PTO to be used for touching up and resealing existing murals in the school

Motion carried.

C. A motion was made by Mr. Baker and seconded by Mrs. Glover to approve three Nonexclusive Clinical Affiliation Agreements between Warrick County School Corporation and the following facilities: Hamilton Pointe, Transcendent Healthcare of Boonville, and Brickyard Healthcare Woodlands Care Center. This agreement states that they will provide qualified professionals and make its facilities available to Warrick County School Corporation's faculty members and students for practical learning and clinical experiences.

Motion carried.

D. A motion was made by Mr. Franz and seconded by Ms. Metzger to approve the Education Affiliation Agreement between the Western Governors University and the Warrick County School Corporation. This program is on behalf of its Leavitt School of Health and shall be effective upon execution by both parties and will continue indefinitely or until deemed terminated. The agreement outlines the specifics of the program and has been viewed by the Warrick County School Corporation attorney, Mr. Cliff Whitehead.

Motion carried

E. A motion was made by Mr. Aigner and seconded by Mr. Baker to approve the addition of the following IDOE approved high school offerings for the 2024-2025 school year:

- *Hospitality and Management*
- *Landscape and Turf Management*

Motion carried.

F. A motion was made by Ms. Metzger and seconded by Mrs. Glover to approve the 2024-2025 Elementary Agenda Books.

Motion carried.

**G. A motion was made by Mrs. Glover and seconded by Mr. Franz to approve the Castle North Middle School Assistant Principal position to Mr. Brian Kilgour.
Motion carried.**

**H. A motion was made by Mr. Mosbey and seconded by Mrs. Glover to approve the Boonville Middle School Principal position to Mrs. Jeanette Lindauer.
Motion carried.**

Consideration of Personnel Recommendations

Human Resources Director, Dr. Doug Gresham presented a list of employees in the agenda items A and B that were all assigned to temporary job duties. This non-renewal is no way a reflection on their abilities to perform their jobs, and is strictly a contractual matter. These temporary positions/assignments must be reported to the board.

A. A motion was made by Mr. Franz and seconded by Mrs. Glover to approve non-renewal of contracts for teachers serving in temporary capacity for 2023-2024 school year.

- Pamela Dorman - Temporary 1st Grade Teacher at Elberfeld Elementary School
- Lori Dormeyer - Temporary Special Education Teacher at Elberfeld Elementary School
- Israel Gordon - Temporary Title I Teacher at Yankeetown Elementary School
- Brooke Hart - Temporary Special Education Teacher at Tecumseh Middle School
- Brandy Keller - Temporary Science Teacher at Castle South Middle School
- Nikki Mosby - Temporary Part Time PK Teacher at Loge Elementary School
- Jennifer Raber - Temporary Special Education Teacher at Lynnville Elementary School

Motion carried.

B. A motion was made by Mr. Franz and seconded by Mrs. Glover to approve non-renewal of temporary assignments for support staff serving in a temporary capacity for 2023-2024 school year.

- Kylie Campbell - Temporary Program Assistant at Boonville High School
- Carla Elikofer - Temporary Program Assistant at Boonville High School
- Amanda Hufnagel - Temporary Program Assistant at Boonville Middle School
- Randa Schmitt - Temporary Program Assistant at Boonville Middle School
- Keshia Cronin - Temporary Program Assistant at Chandler Elementary School
- Stephanie McNeely - Temporary Program Assistant at Chandler Elementary School
- Evan Chaney - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle High School
- Beth Vandensen - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle High School
- Cherish Slifer - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle North Middle School
- David Cotton - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle South Middle School
- Alexandra Enright - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle South Middle School
- Michelle Mantonya - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle South Middle School
- Allison Paddock - Temporary Program Assistant at Castle South Middle School
- Christine Allen - Temporary Program Assistant at JH Castle Elementary School
- SunMi Bae - Temporary Program Assistant at JH Castle Elementary School
- Jamie Bryan - Temporary Program Assistant at JH Castle Elementary School

- Kristina Dillman - Temporary Program Assistant at JH Castle Elementary School
- Kara Sergesketter - Temporary Program Assistant at JH Castle Elementary School
- Brittney Jackson - Temporary Program Assistant at Loge Elementary School
- LaDonna Kelle - Temporary Program Assistant at Loge Elementary School
- Amanda Riggle - Temporary Program Assistant at Loge Elementary School
- Haleigh Miley - Temporary Health Aide at Loge
- Elizabeth Whitlow - Temporary Program Assistant at Lynnville Elementary School
- Julia Gorman - Temporary Program Assistant at Newburgh Elementary School
- Jamie Morrison - Temporary Program Assistant at Newburgh Elementary School
- Peyton Ruttinger - Temporary Program Assistant at Newburgh Elementary School
- Allison DeCosta - Temporary Program Assistant at Oakdale Elementary School
- Elizabeth Johnson - Temporary Program Assistant at Oakdale Elementary School
- Christopher Lamkin - Temporary Program Assistant at Oakdale Elementary School
- Conner Oxley - Temporary Program Assistant at Oakdale Elementary School
- Brenda Dunn - Temporary ABS Program Assistant at Sharon Elementary School
- Ivonne Mandes - Temporary Program Assistant at Sharon Elementary School
- Ellen Raibley - Temporary ABS Program Assistant at Sharon Elementary School
- Sarah Rasche - Temporary ABS Program Assistant at Sharon Elementary School
- Morgan Hillyard - Temporary Program Assistant at Tecumseh Middle School
- Carrie Pitts - Temporary Program Assistant at Yankeetown Elementary School
- Autumn Rothgerber - Temporary Program Assistant at Yankeetown Elementary School

Motion carried.

C. A motion was made by Mr. Aigner and seconded by Mr. Mosbey to approve the following positions:

- Amanda Hart - Cafeteria Manager at Newburgh Elementary School (currently 6.5 hour Cafeteria position at Newburgh Elementary School)
- Summer Pike - 3.25 hour Cafeteria position at Yankeetown Elementary School

Motion carried.

D. A motion was made by Mrs. Glover and seconded by Mr. Baker to approve the following leave requests:

- Ronda Sander, Bus Driver
- Allison DeCosta, Temporary Program Assistant at Oakdale Elementary School
- Allie Franklin, Program Assistant at Newburgh Elementary School
- Hilary Singh, Program Assistant at Castle High School
- Carolyn Barnett, 6.0 hour Cafeteria position at Newburgh Elementary School
- Holly Mullen, Program Assistant at Boonville Middle School
- Sherri West, Custodian at Boonville Middle School
- Maria Scherle, 3rd/4th Grade Teacher at Tennyson Elementary School
- Emily Strahle, Business Teacher at Boonville High School

Motion carried.

E. Report of Early Return:

- Jill Barnett, Food and Nutrition Administrative Assistant
- Hannah Bruner, Language Arts Teacher at Boonville Middle School

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F. Cafeteria Transfers:

- Kimberly Howard, 3.25 hours at John H Castle Elementary School to 6.5 hours at John H Castle Elementary School
- Susan Broshears, 4.25 hours at Castle High School to 6.5 hours at Castle High School

G. Resignations:

- Mindi Kiegel, Speech/Language Pathologist - resignation effective March 4, 2024.
- Shelia Fletcher, Temporary Program Assistant at Loge Elementary School - resignation effective March 5, 2024.
- Corinne LeMaster, Program Assistant at Boonville High School - resignation effective February 28, 2024.
- Elizabeth Neeley, Temporary Program Assistant at Castle High School - resignation effective February 27, 2024.
- Krista Hurley, Temporary Program Assistant at Yankeetown Elementary School - resignation effective February 23, 2024.
- Michael Damron, Custodian at Tecumseh High School - Resignation effective March 3, 2024.

H. Retirements:

- Steve Wilson, Social Studies Teacher at Castle North Middle School - retirement effective May 24, 2024.
- Angie Merkley, 2nd Grade Teacher at Sharon Elementary School - retirement effective May 24, 2024.

Reports

Superintendent, Dr. Abbie Redmon shared with the board some details on the Student Teacher Reception. Any Student Teacher that taught at WCSC during the 2023-2024 school year was invited to attend the reception. Human Resource Director, Dr. Doug Gresham discussed with them what's next and the hiring process. Students had a chance to ask questions and speak about their experiences. Dr. Redmon thanked Dr. Gresham for all his work to make this so successful.

Other Board Business

Mr. Jordan Aigner discussed new safety technology he recently learned about. Mr. Baker asked if the safety committee could discuss some safety procedures along with any updates at an upcoming board meeting.

Upcoming Meetings

Construction, Technology, and Maintenance Committee:

- Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 7:30 am at the Administration Building, 300 E. Gum St, Boonville, IN

Special Education and Transportation Committee:

- Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 8:30 am at the Administration Building, 300 E. Gum St, Boonville, IN

Policy and Curriculum Committee:

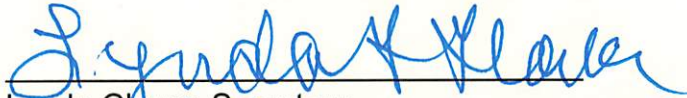
- Monday, April 8, 2024, 5:30 pm at Central Services, 930 W. Main St, Boonville, IN

Personnel, Food & Nutrition, and Custodial Committee:

- Monday, April 8, 2024, 6:30 pm at Central Services, 930 W. Main St, Boonville, IN

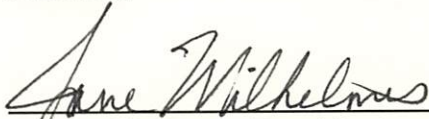
With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

These minutes were approved by the Warrick County Board of School Trustees on the 8th day of April, 2024.



Lynda Glover, Secretary
Warrick County Board of School Trustees

Attested:



Jane Wilhelmus, President
Warrick County Board of School Trustees