

Sleepy Eye ISD #84

Board of Education

March 11, 2020, 5:30PM

Independent School District 84 Mission Statement: Provide engaging and individualized educational opportunities to diverse learners for their growth and success.

Call to order: Attendance: Jeremy Domeier, Joleen Dittbenner, Brian Nelson, Darla Remus, Bryan Sellner, Sheila Wurtzberger, Absent Casey Coulson (here on phone)

Good News Items: Spring sports have started, weather was nice and literacy night went well

Recognition of visitors: Staff and press

Approve Agenda M Bryan Sellner 2nd Joleen Dittbenner M/C

Approve minutes of February 19, 2020 board meeting.

M Jeremy Domeier 2nd Brian Nelson M/C

Approve financial transactions and reports as presented.

M Jeremy Domeier 2nd Joleen Dittbenner M/C

Reports:

Board Committees: Negotiations update was given and mediation meetings are set for mid April. We remain hopeful that we will be able to fulfill our obligation to the students, the staff, the administration and the community as a whole, and to do so in a fiscally responsible manner. They are asking for a 15.5% increase for the first year and a 10.58% increase for the second year. This is in comparison to the 2%/2% increase the state has pledged to the District during this same period. This would significantly impact the District. Facilities met and surplus items update was given, new windows for the high school and stage curtains were discussed. Community Ed met and the father-daughter, mother-son dances went well and were well attended, Spring offerings were gone over. Health fare is coming! Riverbend met and made a few cuts.

Principal: working on registration and teacher

Superintendent: Football Coop.was submitted and sent out. We will stay 11 man until that happens. Summer Agriculture grant awarded to Sleepy Eye \$17,940. Kindergarten round up completed, good turn-out. Completed 3rd

observations with non-tenured staff. MSBA Day at the Capitol: March 23 advocated for Public Schools.

Discussion:

HS. Standards Based Grading Initiative: presenter: Mr. Laffen and HS SBG team sheet was handed out and has been a progressive undertaking. Dealing with a variety of issues the grades are more reflective and is helping with turning things in. Missing assignments are now being reported to parents as of a month ago twice a week. Some issues are still a concern. Retesting is a concern, how many times can you retake a test or you should have so much time to complete it. Looking at ideas to get the work done.

HS. Flipped Math: presenter: Aaron Nesvold started this in 2012, generally positive and has evolved over the years. It is really nice to be able to rewind and review.

Approve 2020-23 Achievement and Integration plan and budget ACT prep through Springfield is being added

Approve resignation of Deb Heiderscheidt as HS paraprofessional as of 2/13/2020

Approve resignation of Kevin Cerny, FTE High School Instructor effective the end of the 2019-20 school year

Approve the hire of Breanna Sittig, FTE Elementary Instructor @ 40,448 for the 2020-21 school year

Approve the hire of Kylie Koerner, FTE Elementary Instructor @ 40,448 for the 2020-21 school year

Approve the following additions to the Boot Camp Instructor List:

Add; Danielle Burlley, First gr Teacher 1 hr day, \$31.17 includes benefits, 26.97 hr total hrs 9 total expense 280.53

Increase Marissa Gordan hours 5 hrs to 9 total hours

Increase Mindy Hardin hours 4 hrs to 9 total hours

Approve April 1, 2020 as cut off date for purchases

Approve the following SWWC Service Cooperative services for the 2020-21 school year:

Technology coordination, E-rate coordination, Educational Resource Library, Basic technology support

Approve the 20-21 Contract with Mankato Area Adult Basic Education Consortium

Approve Jr Class fundraiser for Harry's Frozen Pizza sales

Approve Football Coop Agreement between Sleepy Eye Public School and St. Mary's Catholic School beginning the 2023-2024 school year.

M Joleen Dittbnnner 2nd Jeremy Domeier M/C

Next meeting is Wednesday, April 8, 2020 @ 5:30PM

Adjourn. Time: 6:32 pm M Bryan Sellner 2nd Brian Nelson M/C

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheila Wurtzberger/Clerk