

CHEYLIN USD # 103
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2024

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order at 6:00 P.M. on Monday, February 12, 2024 in the board conference room.

PRESENT:

Jared Sowers, President
Jared Boone, Vice-President
Kelly Leach, Member
Mike McCarty, Member
Cort Antholz, Member
Gerard Pochop, Member
Jayden Cahoj, Member

Sherri Edmundson, Supt.
Keshia Walden, Clerk

ADOPT AGENDA - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jared Boone and seconded by Kelly Leach to adopt the agenda as presented.

RECOGNITIONS/COMMENDATIONS:

WKLL ALL-LEAGUE ACADEMIC TEAM - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jayden Cahoj and seconded by Jared Boone to formally commend Pablo Bermudez, Brady Ketzner, Jackson Boyson, and Matthew Hendricks for being selected to the 2024 WKLL All League Academic Team.

WKLL ACADEMIC TESTING - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jared Boone and seconded by Cort Antholz to formally commend the following students for their success in the WKLL Academic Testing:

Freshmen:

Reading - Taylor McCarty 2nd, Andrew Wright 4th, Ashlyn Schields 8th
Math - Andrew Wright 1st, Ashlyn Schields 4th, Taylor McCarty/Landon Hendricks tied for 6th
Writing - Ashlyn Schields 1st, Taylor McCarty/Andrew Wright tied for 6th
Social Studies - Andrew Wright 7th, Landon Hendricks 10th
Science - Andrew Wright 4th, Landon Hendricks 7th
Overall - Andrew Wright 3rd, Ashlyn Schields 5th, Taylor McCarty 8th, Landon Hendricks 10th

Sophomores:

Reading - Alayna Carson 3rd, Gabrielle Pochop 4th, Kaitlyne Vargas 5th, Emily Serrano 8th
Math - Gabrielle Pochop 3rd, Emily Serrano 8th
Writing - Gabrielle Pochop 1st, Alayna Carson 2nd, Kaitlyne Vargas 7th
Social Studies - Gabrielle Pochop 1st, Emily Serrano 7th

Science - Gabrielle Pochop 3rd
Overall - Gabrielle Pochop 2nd, Emily Serrano 8th, Alayna Carson 9th

Juniors:

Math - Rafael Lorca 6th
Science - John Sabatka 9th

Seniors:

Reading - Matthew Hendricks 5th, Brady Ketzner 7th
Math - Matthew Hendricks 1st, Brady Ketzner 2nd
Writing - Matthew Hendricks 5th
Social Studies - Matthew Hendricks/Brady Ketzner tied for 6th
Science - Brady Ketzner 1st, Matthew Hendricks 5th
Overall - Matthew Hendricks 2nd, Brady Ketzner 5th

JH WKLL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jayden Cahoj and seconded by Jared Boone to commend the JH Basketball Teams for their success at the JH WKLL Basketball Tournament as follows:
B Team Girls - 2nd Place, A Team Girls - 2nd Place, A Team Boys - 1st Place

6-MAN ALL STAR SELECTIONS - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jared Boone and seconded by Cort Antholz to commend Logan McCarty, Pablo Bermudez, Brady Ketzner, Eduardo Baca, Victor Hernandez, and Head Coach Chris Walden for being selected to participate in the 6-Man All-Star Football Game.

SPELLING BEE - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to commend Bryer Reid for receiving 3rd place in the Cheyenne County Spelling Bee.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Mike McCarty to approve the following items on the consent agenda:

- A. Approval of Minutes, January 10, 2024, Board of Education Meeting
- B. Approval of Financial Reports
 - 1. January 2024 Cash Summary Report
 - 2. January 2024 Treasurer's Report
 - 3. January 2024 Budget Summary of Funds
 - 4. January 2024 Activity Fund Report
 - 5. January 2024 Transportation Report
- C. Approval of bills

Type	Check Numbers	Amount
January Payroll	23021; DD	\$ 94,883.72
January Payroll Withholdings	23022-23033	54,030.79
February Budget Checks	23035-23083	216,642.56
Manual Check	22964	763.00
Total		\$ 366,320.07

REPORTS:

Superintendent Report

Superintendent Edmundson reported that both Mr. Wiginton and Mr. Hopson went to a career fair at Fort Hays so she gave a few updates on their behalf. The new suburban is here but must have a DOT inspection before it can be used to haul students. The district is looking into getting more gravel behind the school where the buses pick up students. The district will be getting a plug in for PowerSchool that will allow for more customization on reports generated from PowerSchool. The Executive Director at NKESC (Dan Thornton) is retiring. INA Alert was here last week to quote PA systems for the football field and McDonald gym. There are 7 high school students participating in powerlifting. Superintendent Edmundson gave updates on some legislation including open enrollment, budget, alternative routes to teacher licensure, cell phone in schools, capital outlay and KSHSAA eligibility.

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

Members of the senior class were present to discuss their senior trip proposal. A more detailed itinerary will be presented at the next meeting.

Clerk Walden reviewed the commendations and findings from the Food Service Administrative Review that took place in January.

President Sowers reviewed the board self evaluations that were done by previous board members in December. The board will complete the self evaluation again in the fall along with setting board goals.

APPROVE 2024-2025 CALENDAR - Carried 6-1 (Gerard Pochop)

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Cort Antholz to approve the 2024-2025 school calendar.

APPROVE MAGLEY SCHOLARSHIP - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Gerard Pochop and seconded by Jared Boone to approve the establishment of the Norman & Marguerite Magley Memorial Scholarship Fund for Cheylin High School with the Bird City Century II Development Foundation.

ACCEPT DONATIONS - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to accept the following donations:

- Livewell NWKS - Preschool \$350.00
- BCCII Match Day - Cheylin Wellness Center \$11,420.00
- BCCII Match Day - Cheylin Preschool Program \$5,140.00
- BCCII Match Day - Cheylin Farm to Plate Program \$2,400.00
- BCCII Match Day - Cheylin Schools \$150.00
- BCCII Match Day - Backpack Program \$8,623.78
- Central Plains Equipment - Red Zone Promotion \$2,600.00
- Goodwill Industries - \$176.50

The Wellness Center Rules & Regulations were reviewed prior to implementation of the new key card system for Wellness Center patrons. Access to the gym(s) will be granted if requested by patrons and these privileges can be revoked at any time.

The three board members on the Negotiations Committee will be registered for the Prepping for Negotiations training through KASB. Notice letters must be exchanged by March 31, 2024.

Personnel:

EXECUTIVE SESSION - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Mike McCarty and seconded by Kelly Leach that the Board go into executive session for 20 minutes for the purpose of discussing non-elected personnel pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA and that the Board return to the open meeting at 8:24 p.m. in this room. Superintendent Edmundson was asked to remain. The board returned to open session at 8:22 p.m.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Jared Boone to accept the resignation of Vicki Wilkinson, Assistant Cook & Route Bus Driver, effective February 9, 2024.

APPROVE CONTRACT - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jared Boone and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to approve Drew Sullivan as Maintenance Director.

APPROVE CONTRACT - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Mike McCarty and seconded by Cort Antholz to approve Tammy Gilliland as Assistant Cook.

APPROVE SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACT - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Gerard Pochop and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to approve Jenna Carr as JH Track Assistant Coach.

Upcoming Events/Meetings:

1. National Honor Society Induction - Thursday, February 15 7:00 p.m.
2. Parent Teacher Conferences - Monday, February 19

CHANGE MEETING DATE - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Mike McCarty and seconded by Kelly Leach to move the March BOE meeting to Monday, March 18th at 6:00 p.m.

ADJOURN MEETING - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Kelly Leach and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

President

Clerk