

Monday, March 12, 2018

The Pierce Public School Board of Education met for the regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the high school conference room. Members present were Ron Woslager, Dave Lienemann, Robert Hoffmann, Ted Krienke, Dan Unseld and Kevin Flesner. Also present were High School Principal Mark Brahmer, Elementary Principal Adam Patrick and Activities Director Darren Sindelar. Several guests including teachers, parents and students were also present.

A welcome was extended to the public and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, The open meetings act was pointed out.

No communication or correspondence for the public.

Lienemann moved and Flesner seconded a motion to accept the consent agenda including minutes of the previous meeting, claims, payment of bills and financial reports. Voting unanimous. Motion carried.

Student Council report by Meredith Fasse included March Madness fundraiser and dodgeball tournament.

Lexi Schnoor reported for the FCCLA on Candy Grams, Peer Ed Retreat, State Star and State Leadership.

Mr. Brahmer's high school report stated 71% of families attended Parent-Teachers Conference, 30 students in the Teammates Mentoring Program, Speech team is doing very well, and our school received the State Sportsmanship Award.

Mr. Sindelar's Activities Director included dates for upcoming activities for the FCCLA, FFA, Choir and Band Concerts and spring activities.

The elementary report from Mr. Patrick included Fifth graders attending H2O Daze, Spring Concert March 19, and Fourth, Fifth and Sixth graders can participate in a free after school science camp taught by Don Wood.

Mr, Steffensen reported the the legislature is still very slow going.

The only discussion item was an overview of our state aid certification. The districts state funding will rise from \$158,433 in 2017-2018 to \$211,561 in the upcoming school year if the legislature does not make changes to the formula used to determine state aid.

Unseld moved and Hoffmann seconded a motion to adopt the school calendar for the successive school year. Voting unanimous. Motion carried.

Hoffmann moved and Lienemann seconded a motion to accept the resignation of Kady Reinke with regrets and thank Lori Wragge and Susan Fehringer for their many years of teaching as they are retiring. Voting unanimous. Motion carried.

Lienemann moved and Hoffmann seconded a motion to enter executive session to discuss non-certified employee compensation. Voting unanimous. Motion carried. The board entered executive session at 6:47 p.m. and came out of executive session at 7:11 p.m.

Flesner moved and Unseld seconded a motion to give the non-certified employees a 2.75% raise. Flesner, yes; Unseld, yes; Krienke, yes; Hoffmann, yes; Lienemann, abstain; Woslager, yes. Motion carried.

Items for next month's agenda include teacher non-renewal, RIF, and termination notices, if applicable. Schedule Board / Administration retreat and discuss Administrator compensation.

Lienemann moved Hoffmann seconded a motion to adjourn. Voting unanimous. Motion carried.

Board of Education meeting ended at 7:17 p.m.

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