

Monday, October 8, 2018

The Pierce Public Schools Board of Education met for the regular meeting a 6:30 p.m. in the high school boardroom. Members present were Ted Krienke, Robert Hoffmann, Dave Lienemann, Ron Woslager, Kevin Flesner and Dan Unseld. Also present were Superintendent Kendall Steffensen, High School Principal Mark Brahmer, Elementary Principal Adam Patrick, Activities Director Darren Sindelar and several guests.

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

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

The FCCLA report was given by Liz Harris and Mackenzie Richmond. Five members traveled to Kearney Sept. 17 for the Fall Leadership Workshop. Alexis Schnoor and Mrs. Brodersen are working to plan the 2018 District Leadership Conference at Northeast Community College.

No other student reports.

Mr. Patrick's Elementary report stated parent-teacher conferences were held and contact was made with parents who were unable to attend. Preschool, kindergarten, and first grade will visit the fire station and Red Ribbon week is the week of October 29th.

Mr. Brahmer's High School report included information on MAP testing being completed for the fall, community service day was on Sept. 20th. Seventy five percent of parents attended parent teachers conferences.

Activities Director Mr. Sindelar said the new stage lights were installed at the auditorium, Sydney Erickson and Sammi Svendsen qualified for state golf. Listed were many dates for fall activities.

First discussion item was selecting Nov. 6th at 6:30 p.m. to interview prospective contractors for the elementary HVAC update.

Second discussion item was teacher negotiations. It was moved by Lienemann and seconded by Unseld to go into executive session for this item. Voting unanimous, motion carried. Went into executive session at 6:59 p.m. and came out of executive session at 7:20 p.m.

There were no action items.

State Education Conference is November 14 - 16
Legislative Preview Conference December 12th

Legislative Issues Conference in January

Topics for next month's agenda include the annual audit presentation, board self evaluation, superintendent evaluation and review insurance cost.

At 7:35 p.m. Unseld moved and Woslager seconded a motion to adjourn. Voting unanimous, motion carried.

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