

Glenwood Community School District
Work Session and Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors 6:00 P.M.
Central Office 3rd Floor
Monday, August 10, 2015

Call to Order

President Romens called the work session to order at 6:06 p.m.

Roll Call

The following Board members were present: President Romens, Ann Staiert, Michelle Bahr, Craig Patzer, and Dave Blum.

Work Session

The board heard a presentation from Lori LaViolette from Band Parents, on the availability and restrictions on funds held in an Endowment Fund not controlled by the band parents and the limited role the band parents play in the homecoming parade.

Adjournment

As there was no further business to come before the Board at this time, a motion was made by Ann Staiert and seconded by Michelle Bahr to adjourn the work session at 6:48 p.m. All voted "aye". Motion carried.

Call to Order

President Romens called the regular meeting to order at 6:59 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll Call

The following Board members were present: President Romens, Ann Staiert, Michelle Bahr, Craig Patzer, and Dave Blum.

Spotlight on Education

A. none

Friends of Education

A. We will be presenting a Friend of Education Certificate to Glenwood State Bank for their sponsorship of the District's Financial Literacy Program

Consideration of Action on Consent Items

Dave Blum made a motion to approve the consent agenda including items 4A through 4L. Michelle Bahr seconded the motion. All voted "aye". Motion carried.

4A - Approval of Minutes

Minutes were approved from the board work session and regular meeting on July 13, 2015, and the special meeting and work session July 20, 2015.

4B – Approval of Agenda

4C – Approval of Board Policies

Second Reading Approvals:

POLICY #	DESCRIPTION
	No Second Readings for August

4D – Approval of Board Policies

First Reading Approvals:

POLICY #	DESCRIPTION
	No First Readings for August

4E – New Hires

NAME	POSITION	SALARY
Erica Byers	Special Education Teacher Associate - Level II/III	\$9.98 per hour
Matt Dyer	Co-Head & Co-Assist Middle School Wrestling Coach	\$2,375
Rochelle Endicott	Substitute Print Shop Associate	\$8.98 per hour
Jody Hilsabeck	General Education Teacher Associate	\$8.98 per hour
Michael Joyner	Assistant Football Coach	\$3,500
Monica Mayberry	Special Education Teacher Associate - Level I	\$8.98 per hour
Ashley Murdock	Special Education Teacher Associate - Level I	\$8.98 per hour
Rosanne Nutting	Special Education Teacher Associate - Level I	\$8.98 per hour
Becky Stacy	General Education Teacher Associate	\$8.98 per hour
Brian Stanley	Head Middle School Boys Basketball Coach (7th gr)	\$2,750
Cameron Vanatta	Special Education Teacher Associate - Level II/III	\$9.98 per hour
Katie Wilson	Assistant Volleyball Coach	\$3,500

4F – Transfers

NAME	FROM/TO	WAGE
Kay Brooks	From Authorized Substitute Teacher / To Special Educ. Teacher Assoc.	\$9.98 per hour
Earl Schenck	From Head Middle School Wrestling Coach to Co-Head & Co- Assist Middle School Wrestling Coach	\$2,375
Julie Stavas	From General Educ. Teacher Assoc / To Authorized Substitute Teacher.	\$117 per day

4G – Separation from District

NAME	POSITION	REASON	DATE
Sarah Hardcastle	Summer Child Care Assoc. @ Kid's Place	Resignation	May 7, 2015
Don Kates	Custodian	Resignation	July 24, 2015

Jim Saufley	Authorized Substitute	Resignation	July 30, 2015
Holly Simmons	Substitute Teacher	Resignation	July 29, 2015

4H – Open Enrollments

NAME	DISTRICT REQUIRED	REASON
Olivia L.	Glenwood	Family Move to New District of Residence
Chloe M.	Glenwood	Family Move to New District of Residence
Gavin O.	Glenwood	Family Move to New District of Residence
Graham O.	Glenwood	Family Move to New District of Residence
Hayden O.	Glenwood	Family Move to New District of Residence
Madison S.	Lewis Central	Family Move to New District of Residence
Israel V.	Glenwood	Kindergarten Student & New District of Residence

4I – Approval of Financial Reports

Financial reports as of July 31, 2015 were approved.

4J – Fundraiser Requests

GROUP	DESCRIPTION	PURPOSE	AMOUNT	DATES
Junior Class	Magazine Sale	prom fees and decorations	\$5,000	8/31-9/30/15
Football	Black & Gold Scrimmage	buy extra supplies and equipment for football	\$300	8/20/2015

4K – Overnight Travel Requests

ACTIVITY	DATE(S)	DESTINATION	REQUESTED BY
None			

4L – Grant Requests

NAME	PURPOSE	AMOUNT
Mills County Community Foundation	To purchase a large play center with storage for children learning to pull themselves up. Ages one and under. The play center will help to improve and update old shelves and room dividers.	\$2,676.04
Mills County Community Foundation	To introduce At-Risk students to yoga, career preparation, and other field experts in areas of need	\$2,000.00

Announcements and Communications

Comments from Public

This time is reserved for patrons and Board members to speak to items not on the agenda and to request to speak to any items on the current agenda. There were no comments from the public.

Comments from Board-

Theresa Romens reminded those present of the Super Board Meeting on September 10th and of the elections on September 8th. Theresa also discussed the Dollars for Scholars and the Scholarship America program available to assist students in tracking achievements and activities that will then help them find available scholarships for college.

Presentations-

Band Parents- Band parents presented on the need for new marching band uniforms and brought an example of the current uniforms to show the current state.

Booster Club- Buster Club and Activities Director Jeff Bissen presented on the proposed Athletic Complex and the design at the current time.

IT Opening of Internet and Social Media Sites- Kim Payne presented on the possible abilities to open up more sites to staff for teaching purposes and the possibility of opening up more sites to students as well.

Reports

Building Administrators, Activities Director, Kids Place Director, Technology Director, Food Service Director, Print Shop and School Improvement reported on their respective buildings or areas of assignment.

Old Business

None

New Business

A. Approval of Legislative Priorities.

Craig Patzer made a motion to approve Legislative Priorities #1, #3, #8, #11, and # 15 for the 2015-2016 school year. Michelle Bahr seconded the motion. All voted “aye”. Motion carried.

B. Approval of Agreements Between GCSD and Teachers Trained in PLTW.

Dave Blum made a motion to approve the agreements between the school district and the teachers we are currently training in PLTW. Michelle Bahr seconded the motion. All voted “aye”. Motion carried.

C. Approval of Teacher Leadership Assignment Agreement for PLC Facilitator

Michelle Bahr made a motion to approve the agreement between the school district and Elizabeth Jenson who will be our Pre-Kindergarten PLC Facilitator. Craig Patzer seconded the motion. All voted “aye”. Motion carried.

D. Approval of Letter of Support

Dave Blum made a motion to approve a letter of support for the RAGBRAI 2016. Craig Patzer seconded the motion. All voted “aye”. Motion carried.

E. Discussion Regarding Access to Social Media Sites for Teachers and Students

Discussion took place during Kim Payne's presentation. Kim will be reviewing different levels and abilities for opening up sites at different locations.

Adjournment

As there was no further business to come before the Board at this time, a motion was made by Dave Blum and seconded by Michelle Bahr to adjourn the regular meeting at 8:55 p.m. All voted "aye". Motion carried.

Theresa Romens, Board President

Kristi Buman, Board Secretary