

MAY 8, 2023

A regular meeting of the Sidney Public Schools Board of Trustees was held at 5:30 PM Monday, May 8, 2023, at the Administration Office on posted notice by the clerk. Present were Trustees Ben Thogersen, David Setiz, Randy Iversen, Josh McGahan, Jon Marker and Alex Villegas. Also in attendance were Superintendent- Brent Sukut (via Google meet); District Clerk- Tracy Click, High School Principal- Carl Dynneson, Middle School Principal- Ashley Copple, Special Ed Director- Michelle Monsen. West Side Principal- Sharri Vandall, and County Superintendent Tim Tharp. Absent were: Trustee Lisa Gorder and Kelly Dey, Central School Principal- Sara Romo, High School Assistant Principal- Danny Coryell and Curriculum Director- Thom Barnhart.

At 5:30 PM, Chairman Thogersen called the meeting to order and welcomed all community members attending or on conference call in. Mr. Thogersen stated an opportunity for community comment on non-agenda items would be provided at the end of the meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- No Committee Meetings

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT AND ADMINISTRATORS' REPORTS:

- **WRITTEN ADMISTRATOR REPORTS FROM:** Mrs. Vandall, Mrs. Romo, Mrs. Copple, Mr. Dynneson/ Coryell, Mr. Barnhart and Mrs. Monsen

- **ENROLLMENT:**

- o West Side – 327; Central – 246; Middle School – 286; High School – 386 = TOTAL 1245

- **CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR MAY**

- **DISTRICT PROJECTS:**

CENTRAL SCHOOL:

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HIGH SCHOOL:

- o Roof repairs- July start date
- o Hot Water Heater
- o Repair gym floor for repainting and resurface damage

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

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WEST SIDE SCHOOL:

- o Playground asphalt repairs-completed in April

ALL SCHOOLS:

- o All ID badges have been printed and program has been launched

ADMIN BUILDING:

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-**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT DAY**

- o In honor of administrative assistants' day, Mr. Sukut and Mr. Barnhart treated Admin Office staff to a BBQ.

- **APRIL STAFF HIGHLIGHTS:**

- o Classified Staff: MS Special Education Paraprofessional – Andrena Christensen
- o Certified Staff: MS History Teacher – Marnee Averett

- **MONTHLY SUPERINTENDENT MEETING:**

- o Update from Mr. Sukut

- **JOB OPENINGS:**

- o Reviewed District openings and new hire recommendations

-**RESIGNATIONS**

- o Cline, Jeanne – HS Special Education Teacher
- o Kallem, Nick – Activity Driver/Substitute Route Driver

-**TRANSFERS**

- o Damm, Melissa – 4th Grade Teacher to MS English Teacher (23-24 SY)

CONSENT AGENDA:

- A. Approve April 11, 2023 and April 26, 2023 Meeting Minutes**
- B. Approval of April 2023 Claims Warrants # 233908 - 233937 in the amount of \$277,636.17**
- C. Cancel District Warrants and/or Associated Student Body Checks:**
 - o Void Ck #27276 \$89.99 – check was returned when product was returned.
 - o Transfer – From ASB 155 (Close Up) to 123 (Athletics) \$270.00 Student vs. Facility games shirts were paid from wrong account.
- D. Associated Student Body Information:**
 - o Approve the March 2023 Reports
- E. 2023-2024 Montana Cooperative Services Membership**
- F. United Heritage 2023-2024 Renewal and Rates**
- G. 2023-2024 Montana High School Association (MHS) Annual Dues, Concussion and Catastrophe Insurance**
- H. 2023-2024, 2024-2025 GASB 75 Valuation with Actuaries Northwest**
- I. New Hires**

Mr. Villegas moved to approve Consent Agenda as presented with a second from Mr. McGahan. Motion passed 6-0.

DISCUSSION/ACTION AGENDA:

****June Board Meeting Dates***

June 5, 2023

June 26, 2023

****HS Roof***

Superintendent Sukut reported recommendations presented three options from Interstate Engineering. Superintendent Sukut will contact Thiel Roofing to bid the 2 options presented.

Mr. Villegas discussed the flooring repair needed in the Westside Elementary hallways.

OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMUNITY COMMENT: None

Additional Information: None

Topics for next agenda include:

At 5:56 PM Chairman Thogersen, with no further business to come before the Trustees, the meeting was adjourned.

Board Chair

Approved: _____

Attest:

District Clerk