

Richmond Community Schools

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Board of Education Regular Meeting Minutes of 02-12-2018

7:00 pm on February 12, 2018 in the Richmond High School Media Center

MISSION STATEMENT

At Richmond Community Schools, we provide a quality education that empowers students to be successful in a global community.

A Regular Meeting of the Richmond Board of Education was held on Monday, February 12, 2018 in the Richmond High School Media Center, 35320 Division, Richmond, MI 48062

1. CALL TO ORDER

President, Margaret Teltow called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. PLEDGE

The Pledge was led this evening by Mr. Hooks' 3rd Grade Class. Students in attendance were:
Madelynne Gabridge
Anna Jagoda
Claire Millbrand
Nicholas Savoie

3. MISSION STATEMENT

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4. ROLL CALL

Members Present: M. Teltow, R. Edberg, D. Wirth, T. Bartell,
K. Furtaw, S. Gillies

Members Absent: K. Simmons with notice

Others Present: D. Michon, T. Schadd, D. Kochan, A. Birkmeier, K. Bartels,
H. Napier

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5. APPROVE AGENDA

Motion: Moved by member R. Edberg and supported by S. Gillies to approve the agenda as presented.

Voice Vote: All Ayes
Motion Carries (6-0)

6. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

Motion: Moved by member S. Gillies and supported by K. Furtaw to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Voice Vote: All Ayes
Motion Carries (6-0)

7. TRUE BLUE:

A. K-12 Theatre Program:

Student, Clayton Maksymiuk, spoke about the Richmond Community Schools K-12 Theatre Program and what it has done for him. He recently playing a role in the play "Singing in the Rain". The next performance will be "James and the Giant Peach." He says the theatre program is great for areas other than just acting. It gives a person appreciation for the arts, and enhances public speaking, leadership and team building skills.

B. 100 Days of School:

Kindergarten teachers, Mrs. McCoy and Mrs. Gibson along with some of their students, presented how they celebrated 100 days of school on February 6th, 2018. On 100's Day, they dressed up like hundred year old people, and participated in various projects and crafts that related to counting to one hundred. Students in attendance were: Mason McCoy, Rylee McCoy, Madden Pierce, Lucy Teltow, Hadley Edberg, Emma Gibson, and Brianna Hebel. The students demonstrated to the audience how to count to one hundred by fives and each shared their favorite activity from that day.

8. PRESENTATIONS:

A. Summer Child Care Partnership with City of Richmond:

Ms. Heidi Napier, Dean of Students and Director of Childcare at Richmond's Will L. Lee Elementary School, spoke about a possible summer child care partnership with the City of Richmond. The idea is to maximize the available resources to

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offer care for the entire summer. If the partnership is approved at the next Board of Education meeting, they would like to market the program during conferences to be held at the end of the month. They will then plan for a joint registration place and time with the City of Richmond and post for a Childcare Director and Camp counselor positions.

C. 2018-19 Middle and High School Course Catalog

The most recent copy of the Middle and High School Course Catalog was discussed and reviewed. The plan is to eliminate Macomb Academy of Arts as an option going forward allowing those who currently attend to continue.

D. Board Policy Adoptions and Revisions

The following Neola Board Policies were reviewed and discussed as a first reading.

1. 1421 – Criminal History Record Check (NEW)
2. 1439 – Administrator Discipline (NEW)
3. 2410 – Prohibition of Referral or Assistance (NEW)
4. 2414 – Reproductive Health and Family Planning (Revised)
5. 2418 – Sex Education (NEW)
6. 3121 – Criminal History Record Check (Revised)
7. 3139 – Staff Discipline (Revised)
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10. 7540.03 – Student Technology Acceptable Use and Safety (Revised)
11. 7540.04 – Staff Technology Acceptable Use and Safety (Revised)
12. 7540.05 – District-Issued Staff Email Account (Revised)
13. 7540.06 – District-Issued Student Email Account (NEW)
14. 8142 – Criminal History Record Check (Revised)
15. 8321 – Criminal Justice Information Security (Non-Criminal Justice Agency) (Revised)

9. PUBLIC COMMENT

Mrs. Ann Durst, Advisor of the Lego Club, Jr. Robotics and FLL Robotics gave an update on her Lego clubs and extended a thank you for the most recent community and local business donations which allowed her to include some additional students to attend competitions.

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10. BOARD OF EDUCATION STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE REPORT-Haley Fortuna

Elementary School:

- Students visited a dentist office on February 8th.
- On February 28th, there will be a recycling assembly sponsored by the Lee Green Club.
- February 28th and March 1st – Book Fair

Middle School:

- February 9th was the Annual Winter Fest.
- Student Council is sponsoring Blankets for Broken Families.
- Eighth graders are currently “Career Cruising.”
- Winter Sports are in full gear with Volleyball and Wrestling.

High School:

- Key Club is sponsoring a purse drive to donate to a women’s shelter.
- The Media Center is hosting a love letter competition for Valentine’s Day.
- There will be a blood drive on February 22nd sponsored by Student Government.
- Wrestlers are doing well.
- Snow Coming was a success last weekend.

11. SUPERINTENDENT AND LEGISLATIVE UPDATE:

- Haley Fortuna was recognized with a certificate of appreciation as being a Student Board Representative.
- Next Monday, February 19th, is winter break.
- On March 7th, Will L. Lee will host Preschool Round up at 5:00 p.m. and Kindergarten Round up at 6:30 p.m.
- Conferences will be held on February 28th and March 1st.

12. ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

No comments were made.

13. BUILDING TOUR OF THE ROOSEVELT CIVIC AUDITORIUM (e.g. AUD)

14. ADJOURNMENT

President, Margaret Teltow concluded the meeting and adjourned at 9:51 p.m.

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