

Lisle 202 Board of Education

Meeting Highlights

February 25, 2019

Designation of Possible Reductions in Student Services & Programs Based upon Result of April 2, 2019 Property Tax Referendum

On August 31, 2017, Governor Bruce Rauner signed Senate Bill 1947, enacting a new evidence-based school Dr. Filipiak explained the new information in the application of the Evidence Based Funding for Student Success Act that changes that would apply to the 2018 tax levy instead of the 2019 tax levy. This changes the financial impact of the referendum from \$1.9 million to \$1.2 million. This would still require cuts to programs and services. If approved by a majority of those who cast votes, the reduction in revenue will be permanent.

New High School Athletic Director

The Board of Education approved Mr. Tom Marcum to replace Mr. Dan Dillard as the Lisle High School Athletic Director following his retirement at the end of this school year. Mr. Marcum comes to Lisle after serving as the Athletic Director at Regina Dominican High School, a position he has held since 2016. During that time, he increased participation amongst student-athletes, increased faculty and staff communication, participation, and attendance at events, as well as increased exposure and overall presence of athletics on various social media platforms. Marcum's desire to better serve all students led to him implementing a coaches curriculum geared around continuing education through workshops, courses, evaluations, feedback from stakeholders, and updated policies, procedures, and expectations.

Most recently, Mr. Marcum has reinvigorated the Regina Booster Club by increasing attendance through membership, sponsorships, and donations which ultimately paved the way in spearheading two capital campaigns to renovate the gymnasium and bringing outdoor athletics on campus. He also shares Lisle's "whole student" approach and cited his work in communication and responsiveness to eligibility concerns through implementation of a program to better assist students who are at-risk of becoming ineligible.

Prior to his role at Regina Dominican, Mr. Marcum served as Athletic Director at Rockdale School District 84 and as Assistant Athletic Director and Physical Education Teacher in Belvidere School District 100. Mr. Marcum completed his undergraduate work at Rockford University and holds a Master's degree from Olivet Nazarene in Educational Leadership. Mr. Marcum and his family reside in Woodridge.

Lisle Elementary School Construction Report

As of February 25, 2019, the project is on budget but about fifteen (15) days behind the original schedule. The cold and wet weather for the past few weeks has delayed the spray application of the exterior moisture barrier prior to brickwork beginning. The contractors are now installing the windows with the intention of installing the brick once the weather is more conducive to spraying the moisture barrier. The framing of the walls is almost complete and drywall has been installed on the majority of the first floor. Additionally, the stairs throughout the building and in the LRC have been installed. The District still plans on opening the school for the 2019-2020 school year.

The Board will meet on Monday, March 4th at 5pm to review options and recommendations for the window coverings in the Lisle Elementary School LRC.