

ROSEBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Time & Location:

The April 12, 2017 School Board Meeting was held at 6:00 p.m. in the Central Office Board Room - 1419 NW Valley View Drive, Roseburg, Oregon, followed by two Executive Sessions



SUPERINTENDENT:

GERRY C. WASHBURN, Ed.D.

Superintendent's Report:

Dr. Washburn shared the most recent enrollment and attendance reports along with updates of proposed legislative measures and bills.

District staff met recently with the Douglas County Juvenile Department to facilitate improved communication between our organizations in order to better serve all of the students involved in the local youth shelter and detention programs.

A survey directed to staff and community members

Next Board Meeting:

April 26, 2017
at 6:00 p.m.
in the Media Center
of Green
Elementary School

will be distributed in the near future to gauge support for suggested changes such as school start times; stopping Wednesday Early Release; review of school boundaries to assure that student populations move together through subsequent grade levels; as well as consideration of a capital improvement bond.

Dr. Washburn reported resignations from the following: Drew Carter, RHS Counselor; Megan Lydon, Fourth Grade Teacher at Winchester; Samuel Settlemeyer, RHS Active Ed Teacher; Chris Spencer, RHS Woods Teacher; Kristin Thomas, Eastwood Kindergarten Teacher; and Bonnie Wagstaff, Kindergarten Teacher at Eastwood.

Elementary Music Teacher, David Jones, and District Assistant Principal, Larry Rich, have both announced their intent to retire in June of 2017. Fremont Choir/Band Teacher, Dean Friesen, plans to retire in June of 2018.

Student Recognition:

Board members were honored to recognize three 5th Grade Student of the Month recipients: Melanie Abrao, Fir Grove; Braedon Wilcox, Fullerton IV.; and Johnathan Keller, of Melrose Elementary,

who was unable to attend. The honorees received congratulatory letters from their school principal as well as a McDonald's gift card.

Staff Recognition:

Shirley Bice, outstanding Instructional Assistant at Melrose Elementary School, was presented with the Crystal Apple Award in recognition of her "heart of gold" and being one of those special instructors whose students will remember her forever.

Action Items:

The approved Consent Agenda included Gifts to the District and March 15th Board Minutes.

The following individuals were approved for hire: Carrie Stokes - Rudsell, Second Grade Teacher at Fullerton IV.; Jennifer Folsom, DLC Special Education Teacher at Sunnyslope; and Alishea Linderman, Fullerton IV. Kindergarten Teacher.

The Board approved Policy EFAA: District Nutrition & Food Service for Second Reading and Adoption. Revised Policy JECBD: Homeless Students, was approved for First Reading.

District Legal Counsel, Attorney Dan Clark, will be retiring in December 2017. The Board directed administration to begin preparing for a Request for Qualifications (RFQ).

Board members requested that our school principals be given the honor of presenting student of the month recognition letters to their student honorees.

RHS Student Leadership Report:

Student leadership representatives Hannah Bryan and Jazmin Hernandez reported on golf, softball, baseball, track and tennis competitions. A Swiss wrestling team competed at RHS yesterday and toured the campus. Plans continue for the "Enchanted Garden" prom event, Volley "Buff" and Mother-Daughter Tea. The Mr. RHS "Men of Disney" fundraising event resulted in \$800 donated to local charities. Band and Choir members have returned from an exciting trip to Disneyland.

Enrollment: 03-24-2017
16-17 15-16

Elementary	2786	2772
Middle School	1280	1317
RHS	1510	1555
Phoenix Charter	182	193
Alt Ed	133	95
Total	5891	5932

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