Board Clips

ROSEBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Time & Location:

The January 10, 2018 School Board Meeting took place in the Administrative Office Board Room at 6:00 p.m. 1419 NW Valley View Drive, Roseburg, Oregon



SUPERINTENDENT:

Superintendent's

Report:

shared that the Lunch Box Express served 270 meals to students over the break. The service will be provided over Spring Break as well. Our December student enrollment numbers have dipped just below 6,000. Students transferring both in and out of the district remain nearly equal.

Board members were invited to the annual Phoenix Charter School review taking place tomorrow. Commissioner Tim Freeman has invited the Superintendent to participate in a Successful Communication Strategies group being created to promote positive information in the Roseburg community. School principals and staff continue working to improve chronic attendance numbers.

Next Board Meeting:

January 24, 2018 6:00 p.m. Winchester Elementary 217 Pioneer Way Winchester, Oregon

Student Recognition:

Certificates of Accomplishment and McDonald's gift cards were presented to the following deserving students:

- Kohle Hadwen, a Fifth Grade Student at Melrose Elementary; and
- Hunter Fullerton, a Seventh Grade Student at Joseph Lane Middle School.

School Board Recognition:

Dr. Washburn presented the Proclamation declaring the month of January 2018 as School Board Recognition Month. The District's administration, support staff and students join with Oregon's Governor in honoring these hard-working volunteers for their efforts in helping us provide maximum opportunities for the students we serve.

Action Items: The Board approved the Consent Agenda consisting of Minutes from December 13th and Gifts to the District.

Dr. Washburn announced resignations including Crystal Reynolds, Sixth Grade Language Arts/Social Studies Teacher at Fremont Middle School; along with Winchester Principal Melissa Locke, who is resigning after three years in the District and we wish her all the best in her future endeavors. Alternative Education Coordinator, Randal Olsen, will resign from his position at the conclusion of the 2017-18 school year, but intends to return in the fall as a classroom teacher for the District.

Budget Committee:

District Budget Committee Members John Markovich and Bernis Wagner were unanimously reappointed by the Board to serve for an additional three-year term on the Budget Committee.

Vitus Construction Company was approved as the successful bidder to complete the Seismic Rehabilitation Projects at both Fullerton IV and Green Elementary Schools.

Policy IGBA: Students with Disabilities — Child Identification, was approved for First Reading.

Following Director Meyer's report of the December 13th Finance Committee Meeting, the Board approved the 2016-2017 Audited Financial Statement as prepared by the auditing firm of KDP CPA's.

Human Resources Director, Robert Freeman, presented the proposed 2018-2019 school year calendar, sharing that it was a result of input from our instructional staff as well as administration. The upcoming school year will begin the day following Labor Day, Tuesday, September 4, 2018 and conclude on Wednesday, June 12, 2019, with the last day for RHS seniors Thursday, June 6th. Graduation will take place at Finlay Field on the RHS campus on Saturday, June 8, 2019.

RHS Student Leadership

RHS Leadership students Carolyn Cuilty, Brendan Ibarra and Garrett Zeimet updated the Board on current activities. Brendan recapped the latest sports competition results. Carolyn shared that a motivational assembly is coming up on February 20th. Over the holiday break, Garrett reported that student leaders created positive notes of encouragement to welcome their fellow students back after the New Year. Prior to the break, the school was decked out with illuminated paper snow flakes to create a festive atmosphere. The annual Arts Assembly will be February 8th with a "Roseburg Got Talent" theme. A "T-Shirt" dance will be held the following evening. The students presented Board members with cards in honor of School Board Appreciation Month.

Enrollment: 12/15/2017

	2017	2016
Elementary	2753	2763
Middle School	1357	1312
High School	1523	1556
Phoenix	184	186
Rose Alternative High School	41	0
Alt Ed	135	126
Total	5993	5943

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