

Board Clips

Roseburg Public Schools

Notes from the School Board Meeting

May 23, 2018

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Time and Location:

The May 23, 2018 School Board Meeting was held at 6:00 p.m. in the Eastwood Elementary Library, located at 2550 SE Waldon Avenue, Roseburg, Oregon



Superintendent:
Gerry C. Washburn, Ed.D.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Washburn invited Technology Coordinator, Gary McFarlane, to give a technology update following the ransomware attack. Current activities are including recovery of systems to return to normal operations; assisting a cyber security firm with the investigation; and working to increase technology security.

Next Board Meeting:

June 13, 2018
6:00 p.m.
Administrative Office
Board Room
1419 NW Valley View Drive
Roseburg, OR 97470

Special Staff Recognition:

Crystal Apple Awards were presented to Eastwood Elementary Associate Librarian, Judy Kulluson, together with Winchester Elementary Instructional Assistant, Stefanie Arents. These valued employees enjoy the respect and admiration of students, staff and administrators.

Student Recognition:

The following students received congratulatory letters from their school principals along with McDonald's gift cards in recognition of their selection as outstanding students at their schools:

- Kirra Farrer, 5th Grade Eastwood Student;
- Max Johnson, Fifth Grade Fir Grove Student; and
- Conner Dryden, a Fifth Grade Winchester Elementary Student.

Two staff members are resigning in June 2018; Ryan Chandler, CDS at Fullerton IV Elementary School, and Shelby Shaw, Fremont Middle School Special Education Teacher.

Action Items

The Board approved Gifts to the District and recommendations for hire as follows:

- ♦ Megan Driver, CDS at Green Elementary;
- ♦ Amanda Haga, an Elementary Classroom Teacher at Fullerton IV;

♦ Evan Hendry, Social Studies Teacher at Fremont Middle School;

♦ Ryan Jephson, CDS at Eastwood Elementary;

♦ Daron Knight, Fremont Middle School Language Arts / Social Studies Teacher;

♦ Randal Olsen, Principal at Rose School; and

♦ Instructional Leadership Coordinator, Michelle Knee.

Licensed union members voted affirmatively on Friday, May 18, to accept a contract between the District and the Roseburg Education Association (REA) effective July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2021. Union leaders Jennifer Thompson and Camron Pope were very pleased with this year's collaborative negotiation process, a sentiment echoed by the District bargaining team, Board Chairman Charles Lee and Director Daniel Endicott.

Revised policies JEA: Compulsory Attendance and LBE: Public Charter Schools, were approved for Second Reading and Adoption.

Welcome to Eastwood

Principal Nicki Opp and staff hosted a BBQ with fifth grade students

during the annual "Eastwood Camp" event taking place on campus. Nicki shared the positive changes pursuant to changing the master schedule, helping staff to better meet the needs of their student population.

RHS Student Leadership

RHS Leadership students John Sajo and Ally Woodring shared current happenings at the high school. Most of the sports teams had exceptional seasons and earned a trip to playoffs. Student elections have been completed, with Ally Woodring and Merhawi Stephen Lake to serve as co-presidents next year. Final band and choir concerts are scheduled next week, along with the PRIDE activity on the field next Wednesday. A Homegoing Assembly for the entire student body takes place this Friday, a final opportunity to bid farewell to the 2018 Senior Class. Senior Sunset activities will be held on June 5th; graduation will be held on the field on Saturday, June 9th, with Grad Night to follow that evening.

School Board:

Charles Lee, Chair
Dan Endicott, Vice Chair
Rod Cotton
Joe Garcia
Rev. Howard Johnson
Paul Meyer
Steve Patterson