

ROSEBURG PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Time & Location:

The May 8th School Board Meeting took place at 6:00 p.m. in the Administrative Office Board Room, located at 1419 NW Valley View Drive in Roseburg, Oregon



SUPERINTENDENT REPORT ... LEE E. PATERSON

Superintendent Lee Paterson thanked Principals Weber and Olsen for allowing him to sit in on their alternative education planning session where they agreed that a robust evaluation process would be helpful as the Board determines mission and vision for these programs that tend to deal with our hardest to engage student population. Incoming Supt. Cordon will be involved in interviews to select our new Teaching & Learning Director. Mr. Emerson has led teams involved with on-line registration. Administrators are working on staff evaluations as well. Mr. Paterson remains determined to complete his goals of establishing a leadership hierarchy; Superintendent / Board Compact; and is on track to present a Comprehensive Emergency Planning Report on June 12th. Work is also being

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done to update the extra-curricular salary schedule, along with long-range facility planning. Everyone is being encouraged to complete a brief facility planning survey on the District website. The Superintendent thanked Camron Pope, REA President and Teacher for addressing the Board regarding K-12 funding.

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

- Kamron Dillon, a Fifth Grade student at Fullerton IV Elementary School; Lincoln Sproed, a Fifth Grade Student at Sunnyslope Elementary School; Maxwell Kirby, a Fifth Grade Student at Winchester Elementary School; German Perez-Mendez, a Sixth Grade Student attending Fremont Middle School.

Crystal Apple Awards:

Melissa Houston, a Teacher at Winchester Elementary School, was honored by Principal Snyder, who presented her with the Crystal Apple Award, for her tireless commitment to help every student succeed.

Jennifer Fox, Fremont Middle School Office Manager, was presented with the Crystal Apple Award by Principal Bentea, who shared that "Jen" is committed, loyal and hard-working, confidential and compassionate.

Action Items:

The Board approved the

Consent Agenda including April 24th Minutes, a list of Surplus Items, and 2019-2020 recommendations for hire including:

- James Earley, Science Teacher at Rose School; Jordan Humphreys, Mathematics Teacher at Roseburg High School; Katherine Kvederis, an Eastwood Elementary School Teacher; and Stacie Scarboro-Youmans, a Science Teacher at Fremont Middle School.

The Board acknowledged the following notices of resignation:

- Lauren Broussard, CDS at Fremont Middle School; Michael MacLean, Choir Teacher at Joseph Lane Middle School; and Sean Shea, Music Teacher at Green and Sunnyslope Elementary Schools.

The Board approved the proposed student fees for the 2019-2020 school year.

Our student transportation provider, First Student, Inc., was awarded a 3% minimum increase to become effective with the 2019-2020 school year. Director Howard Johnson acknowledged that First Student has served the District extremely well.

RHS Social Studies Department staff embarked this year on a comprehensive search for instructional materials to support the existing Social Studies curriculum. The team unanimously selected Pearson as the successful vendor for the needed digital courseware licenses and associated textbooks that will augment instruction over the next six years. The Board approved the purchase in the amount of \$95,710 (to be disbursed over the six-year period) acknowledging that the purchase will require five additional Chromebook carts for Social Studies classrooms to support student learning.

PLC Discussion

RHS Principal, Jill Weber, and Rose Principal, Randal Olsen, led a discussion regarding District alternative education programs and the myriad of pathways to graduation that can be taken by Roseburg students. Jill noted that a broader overview could be presented in a longer time frame, agreeing with Director Hall that the Board would benefit from a dedicated work session to adequately discuss mission/vision and program framework. Director Rebecca Larson did prevail in the PLC competition.

RHS Student Leadership:

Leadership representative, Marin Gray, shared that the "Old Hollywood" prom event last Saturday was a success. On May 10th, students will be competing for the title "Mr. RHS", a charity fundraising event. Teachers are being honored during National Teacher Appreciation Week. This week AP exams are taking place, with final exams rapidly approaching. The annual FFA plant sale will continue through this weekend, with all plants grown by students in the program. Performances of "Treasure Island" were well attended. A Mother/Daughter Tea is coming up for senior girls and their moms. Finally, the 2019 Evening of Excellence is May 13th at Umpqua Community College. Increasing female student participation in welding has resulted in the CTE program receiving a national award, NAPE. Our congratulations to CTE Division Lead, Sheri Carson!

School Board:

- Joseph Garcia, Chair; Steve Patterson, Vice Chair; Rod Cotton; Micki Hall; Rev. Howard Johnson; Rebecca Larson; Charles Lee