

JACKSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Regular Business Meeting
August 27, 2019 – 6:00 p.m.
Central Office Board Room

AGENDA

****ALL ACTION ITEMS APPROVED****

- I. JACKSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION** (Alison Laird Large, Chair)
 - A. Call to Order
 - B. Pledge of Allegiance
 - C. Approve Agenda

- II. SPECIAL RECOGNITION** (Dr. Elliott)
 - Stop the Bleed Program
 - Kyle Dowling - Harris Regional EMS and Glenville Cashiers EMS
 - Michelle Garashi-Ellick - Great Smokies Health Foundation

- III. OPEN SESSION FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS**
 - Sign up to speak before meeting. • Designed for school board to listen.
 - Time to speak limited to 3 minutes • Complaints about individual employees or students prohibited.

- IV. CONSENT ACTION AGENDA**
 - A. Draft Open Session Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 23, 2019.

- V. INFORMATION**
 - A. Superintendent’s Report (Dr. Elliott)
 - B. Declared Surplus (Dr. Elliott)
 - 1. 24 Student Desk – Blue Ridge Early College
 - 2. Food Grinder - School Nutrition
 - C. Unaudited Financial Summary (Kristie Walker)

- VI. ACTION AGENDA**
 - A. Budget Amendments (Kristie Walker)
 - B. 2019/2020 Student Handbooks – All Schools (Angie Dills/Dr. Elliott)
 - C. Sign Fundraising at Smoky Mountain High School request (Dr. Elliott)
 - D. Laptop Purchase Approval (Jeremiah Jackson)
 - E. Field Trips (Dr. Elliott)
 - 1. Smoky Mountain High School, Grades 11 & 12 – Salt Lake City, Utah, Oct. 17 to 20, 2019, TT 6061.
 - 2. Smoky Mountain High School, Grades 9 to 12 – Orlando, FL, April 1 to 5, 2020, TT 6054.
 - 3. Fairview Elementary School, Grade 3 – Rollins Planetarium, Young Harris, GA, Oct. 1, 2019, TT 6068.

VII. CLOSED SESSION – Pursuant to G.S. 143.318.11 for the following purposes: under subsection; (a) (1) to prevent the disclosure of privileged or confidential personnel information pursuant to G.S. 115C-319-321 and (a) (3) to discuss matters protected by the attorney-client privilege.

VIII. PERSONNEL ACTION AGENDA

Employee Recommendations:

1. Benavides, Jade – Color Guard Instructor, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Bharathae-Lane, Kullen – Tutor, School of Alternatives
3. Brown, Patricia – School Nutrition Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
4. Bryson, Destiny – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
5. Cauley, Cleis Bonham – ESL Tutor, Fairview Elementary School
6. Cloer, Lindsey – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
7. Cowan, Kheri – Assistant Principal, Blue Ridge School and Early College
8. Day, Kearston – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
9. Evans, Lisa – School Nutrition Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
10. Fielden, Katherine – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
11. Flick, Shawn – Marching Band Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
12. Gaddis, Leigh-Mashon – EC Bus Monitor Morning Route, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
13. Gaddis, Leigh-Mashon – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
14. Hale, Judy – Substitute School Nutrition Assistant, CVES, FES, SMHS, SCES
15. Hallman, Sabrina – Counselor, Jackson County Early College
16. Harris, Whitney – Teacher, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
17. Holder, Brooke – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
18. Kirsch, Seth – Custodian and Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
19. Lanning, Stephanie – Substitute School Nutrition Assistant, CVES, FES, and SCES
20. McMahan, Luisa – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
21. Myers, Sarah – EC Teacher Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
22. Nidiffer, Emilee – Activity Bus Driver, Jackson County Early College
23. Norris, Spencer – PE Safety Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
24. Overstreet, Journey – Teacher Assistant, Blue Ridge School
25. Rice, Christina Danielle – School Nurse, Blue Ridge School and Early College
26. Rogers, Jennifer – Part-time Pre-K Teacher Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
27. Shuler, Tiffany – EC Teacher Assistant, Smoky Mountain High School
28. Sink, James – Teacher, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
29. Smithdeal, Erica – Social Worker, Blue Ridge School and Early College
30. Taylor, Tracy – Part-time ESL Tutor, Smoky Mountain High School and Scotts Creek Elementary School
31. Trammel, Hannah – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
32. Wilkerson, Matt – Percussion Instructor, Smoky Mountain High School
33. Young, Lindsy – Temporary Teacher Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School

Employee Resignations:

1. Burns, Jennifer – School Bus Driver, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School

2. Cherry, Emily – Teacher, Blue Ridge School
3. Davis, Megan – Head Coach Softball, Smoky Mountain High School
4. Ensley, Anna – Afterschool Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
5. Green, Connie – Teacher Assistant, Blue Ridge School
6. Green, Mitchel – Custodian and Bus Driver, Fairview Elementary School
7. Harrison, Adam – Technology Technician, Central Office
8. Hart Jr., Jerry – Custodian and Bus Driver, Fairview Elementary School
9. Johnson, Alla – Teacher Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
10. Jordan, Rose – Tutor, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
11. Logan, Jeff – Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
12. Mathis, Derek – Afterschool Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
13. Obuchowski, Tracy – Teacher, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
14. Pangle, Alaina – Teacher, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
15. Rogers, Sheryl – District Instructional Coach, Smokey Mountain Elementary School
16. Wiggins, Ciera – Counselor, Fairview Elementary School
17. Witherspoon, Allison – Afterschool and Summer Camp Assistant, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
18. Wyant, Jeffrey – Assistant Principal, Blue Ridge School and Early College

Employee Retirements:

1. McFadden, Kathy – Teacher Assistant, Smokey Mountain Elementary School

Staff, Non-Staff, and Returning Coach Recommendations:

1. Baldwin, Emmitt – Volunteer Assistant Coach Football, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff
2. Brooks, Beth – Head Coach Volleyball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
3. Burns, Brandon – Volunteer Assistant Coach Middle School Football, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff
4. Burton, Heather – Assistant Coach Volleyball, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
5. Cook, Jill – Athletic Director, Scotts Creek Elementary School – New Staff
6. Danner, Colton – Volunteer Assistant Coach Middle School Football, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff
7. Ellsworth, Marissa – Head Coach Volleyball, Fairview Elementary School – Returning Non-Staff
8. Fowler, Carlton – Head Coach Junior Varsity Volleyball, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Non-Staff
9. Fowler, Cindy – Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Volleyball, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Non-Staff
10. Friesen, Jacob – Assistant Coach Soccer, Cullowhee Valley Elementary School – New Non-Staff
11. Hansen, Debbie – Head Coach Soccer, Fairview Elementary School – New Staff
12. Jones, Garrett – Assistant Coach Varsity Football, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff

13. Kilpatrick, Alicia – Assistant Coach Volleyball, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – New Staff
14. Lester, Brittany – Volunteer Assistant Coach Cross Country, Smoky Mountain High School – New Staff
15. Long, Michelle – Head Coach Volleyball, Scotts Creek Elementary School – New Staff
16. Lugo, Benjamin – Volunteer Assistant Coach Middle School Soccer, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Non-Staff
17. Lugo, Cruz – Volunteer Assistant Coach Middle School Soccer, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Non-Staff
18. Macke, Stacy – Volunteer Assistant Coach Women’s Golf, Smoky Mountain High School – Returning Staff
19. Miller, Scott – Assistant Coach Soccer, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – New Staff
20. Roberson, Lane – Assistant Coach Middle School Football, Smoky Mountain High School - New Non-Staff
21. Rosario, Jesus – Assistant Coach District Middle School Boys Soccer, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff
22. Sandoval, Jesus – Head Coach Soccer, Smokey Mountain Elementary School – Returning Staff
23. Starnes, Alana – Head Coach Girl’s Basketball, Scotts Creek Elementary School- New Staff
24. Stephens, Devon – Assistant Coach Junior Varsity Football, Smoky Mountain High School – New Non-Staff
25. Watson, Jason – Volunteer Assistant Coach Junior Varsity and Varsity Volleyball, Blue Ridge Early College – Returning Non-Staff

Kindergarten Academy Recommendations:

1. Conner, Kay – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
2. Hickman, Melissa – Teacher, Scotts Creek Elementary School
3. Rowe, Christy – Teacher Assistant, Scotts Creek Elementary School
4. Simmons, Georgeanne – Teacher Assistant, Fairview Elementary School
5. Willson, Dorothea – Teacher, Scotts Creek Elementary School

Summer Program Recommendations:

1. Giles, Petra – Summer Preschool Coordinator, Fairview Elementary School
2. Nordmann, Clare – Summer Certified Occupational Therapist Assistant, Fairview Elementary School

Transfer Requiring Action:

1. Henderson, Noah – From Full-time Custodian and Bus Driver to Part-time Custodian and Bus Driver, Smoky Mountain High School
2. Smith, Shane – From Custodian and Bus Driver at Blue Ridge Early College to Custodian and Bus Driver at Smoky Mountain High School

FYI – BOARD ACTION NOT REQUIRED

Transfers:

1. Buchanan, Becky – From EC Teacher Assistant at School of Alternatives to EC Teacher Assistant at Fairview Elementary School
2. Hammer, Kelly – From EC Teacher Assistant at Smoky Mountain High School to EC Teacher Assistant at Cullowhee Valley Elementary School
3. Pitts, Angela – From EC Teacher at School of Alternatives to EC Teacher at Fairview Elementary School
4. Rogers, Sheryl – From District Instructional Coach at Smokey Mountain Elementary School to Teacher at Smokey Mountain Elementary School
5. Wilson, Lisa – From EC Teacher Assistant at School of Alternatives to EC Teacher Assistant at Fairview Elementary School

The next regularly scheduled business meeting of the Board of Education is September 24, 2019 at 6:00 p.m., at the Board of Education Administrative Offices.

IX. Adjournment