

NORTHEAST DUBOIS COUNTY SCHOOL CORPORATION

The Board met in Executive Session at 5:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order
2. Discussion of School Safety Plans & Systems I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1 (3), Collective Bargaining I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1(b) 2(a)
3. Adjournment

Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees in the Board Room at the Corporation Office Northeast Dubois County School Corporation

This meeting is a meeting of the School Board in public for the purpose of conducting the School Corporation's business and not to be considered a public community meeting. There will be time for public participation as indicated by agenda Communication from the floor.



**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President, Mr. Kelly Knies.

ROLL CALL:	Mr. Kelly Knies, President	Present
	Mr. Bernard Knies, Vice-President	Present
	Mr. Brennan Schepers, Secretary	Present
	Mr. Shawn Dooley, Member	Present
	Mr. James W. Harris, Member	Present
	Mr. William Hochgesang, Superintendent	Present

OFFICIAL GUESTS:	Mr. Arthur Nordhoff, Jr., Attorney	Absent
	Mrs. DeAnn Meyer, Treasurer	Present
	Mrs. Gretchen Brinkman, Deputy Treasurer	Absent
	Dr. Tara Rasche, Principal	Present
	Mr. Ryan Case, Principal	Present
	Mrs. Courtney Hopf, Principal	Present
	Mr. Andy Chinn, Assistant Principal	Present

NEWS MEDIA:	<u>NEWSPAPER</u>	
	Daily Herald	Absent
	<u>RADIO</u>	
	WITZ, WQKZ	Absent
	<u>TV</u>	
	WJTS -TV	Absent

UNOFFICIAL GUESTS: Kim Miley, Andrea Rickelman, Amy Mitchell, Anna Marie Burrell,  
Allen Jacobsen, Ian Wilson

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REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD  
May 17, 2022

**RECOMMENDATIONS AND REQUESTS**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

2022---66 It was recommended that the minutes of the April 19, 2022 regular meeting be approved as presented.

Motion by Bernard Knies  
Seconded by Shawn Dooley  
Vote 5-0

2022---67 **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE FLOOR**

Shawn Dooley spoke about attending the FFA Banquet.

**BUSINESS OFFICE RECOMMENDATIONS**

2022---68 **A. Vouchers**

It was recommended that Voucher #100,182 through #100,351 in Appendix #5 be approved as presented.

It was recommended that the vouchers be approved.

Motion by James W. Harris  
Seconded by Brennan Schepers  
Vote 5-0

2022---69 **B. Purple Star School**

Dr. Tara Rasche was requesting permission for our school corporation to designate each school as a Purple Star School or the Corporation.

It was recommended that we apply for the Designation.

Motion by Brennan Schepers  
Seconded by James W. Harris  
Vote 5-0

2022---70 **C. ELDT Bus Driver Certification**

With the change in Indiana law, CDL bus drivers now have a different training process. Mr. Case was recommending we work with Greater Jasper School Corporation for training.

It was recommended that the new training process be approved.

Motion by Shawn Dooley  
Seconded by Bernard Knies  
Vote 5-0



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**D. Contract**

We have received a grant from the Dubois Community Foundation. Mr. William G. Hochgesang was requesting approval of a contract with Life Springs, a counseling service to utilize the grant.

It was recommended that the contract be approved.

Motion by Brennan Schepers  
Seconded by James W. Harris  
Vote 5-0

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**E. Field Trip**

Mrs. Traci Wineinger was requesting approval for the FFA to attend the FFA National Convention on October 26-28, 2022 in Indianapolis, IN. This is an overnight trip which requires Board approval.

It was recommended that the trip be approved.

Motion by Shawn Dooley  
Seconded by Bernard Knies  
Vote 5-0

**INFORMATION & REPORTS FOR THE BOARD**

**Five Star Monthly Report**

**Schmitt & Associates will discuss the plans for NDIS.**

**Site work that will take place will be as follows: The current ramp will be removed and the front entrance will be redone. Parking spaces will be added, along with a ramp entrance to the back door. Ground water control measures will be done and flood draining will be added at the “notch” to the parking lot. Additionally, bigger pipes and drains will be installed.**

**Construction Update- Gary Bair- The Board took a tour of the Jr/Sr High School e prior to the meeting.**

**Resignations:**

**Rachel Breitweiser- NDJSHS & NDIS Swimming Coach  
Taylor Neukam- NDJSHS Assistant**

**Upcoming Events:**

**May 25- Last Day of School  
May 28- NDJSHS Graduation at 6:00pm**

**To view the meeting live on Corporation Facebook page, go to [www.Facebook.com](http://www.Facebook.com) and search Northeast Dubois County School Corporation.**



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**LATE ITEM #1**

Mr. Terry Friedman was recommending Michael Cave be hired as the Girls Head Basketball Coach.

It was recommended that Michael Cave be hired.

Motion by       Shawn Dooley  
Seconded by     Bernard Knies  
Vote               5-0

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**ADJOURNMENT**

It was recommended that the meeting be adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

Motion by       Shawn Dooley  
Seconded by     Brennan Schepers  
Vote               5-0

The Board will meet in Executive Session following the regular meeting. I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1 (b) (2(A), 3 & 9) relating to: collective bargaining, school safety, and job performance evaluations.

1. Call to Order
2. Review & Discuss
3. Adjournment

