

GAYLORD COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Regular Meeting

Monday, October 9, 2023

6:00 PM

Minutes

Rachel Davis: Present
Katie Drzewiecki: Present
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Present
James Vanderveer: Present
Kari Visser-Robel: Absent
Jeff Wieber: Present

APPROVED

I. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Roll Call
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Moment of Silence for our Armed Service Personnel
- D. Items to be added/changed to the agenda
- E. Correspondence/Commendations
 - 1. Thank you letter from Gaylord Community Schools to the First Congregational Church for their generous donation of school supplies for the After-School Child Care Program.
 - 2. Thank you card from Gaylord Community Schools to Neil Drzewiecki, Meemic Insurance for the caramel apples for Staff Appreciation month.

F. Recognition(s)/Acknowledgement(s)

- 1. Personnel
 - a. New Hires
 - Bus Driver: Donald Claeys
 - NOE Secretary - Lauren Bake
 - Educational Assistants: Brandi Guzzo and Abigail Ashworth
 - GHS Wrestling Coaches: Dan Cornish, James Davis, Kyle O'Neill, Joseph Markham
 - b. Resignations
 - GIS Teacher: Clarissa Russell
 - GHS Teacher: John Tithof
 - GHS Teacher: Sarah Butler
 - SME Educational Assistant: Sara Daugherty
 - NOE Secretary: Jennifer Levernier
 - Bus Drivers: Brendan Marr and Mark Epley
 - Food Service Helper - Steve Yonan

JV Softball Coach: Megan Boyk
7th Grade Boys' Basketball Coach - Peter Thompson

****Staff Introductions If Any Staff Present****

2. National Recognition from the College Board

Gaylord Community Schools

Emily Lamblin

Ian Morrell

Jonah Boling

Kaiden McMartin

Megan Dubie

Samantha Keiser

Tanner Hawley

3. GCS Administration

II. PUBLIC INPUT

- Henry Mason - Declined
- Stephenie Jacobson: Public input, no action taken.
- Maureen Derenzy: Public input, no action taken.
- Sheila Simpson: Public input, no action taken.
- Gary Rider: Pass

III. CONSENT AGENDA

It is recommended that the Board approve the Consent Agenda, as presented.

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda, as presented. This motion, made by Katie Drzewiecki and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Yea

Katie Drzewiecki: Yea

Sara Gapinski: Absent

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Yea

Kari Visser-Robel: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 2

A. Board Minutes

October 5, 2023 Special Board Meeting(Workshop) Minutes

B. Treasurers Report

1. **SEPTEMBER 2023**

General Fund & Athletic Fund bills in the amount of \$2,679,936.87

Cafeteria Fund bills in the amount of \$101,568.32

Sinking Fund bills in the amount of \$513,500.28

IV. PRESENTATION(S)

A. GCS Athletic Boosters

- Amy Holscher, Brian Gertsenberger, and Janet Wilbey presented the Athletic Booster overview.
- A packet was provided for the Board members.

B. 2023 Spring Data - Dennis Keck

- Dennis Keck presented MEAP/SAT/PSAT 2023 spring data.

V. NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Code of Ethics

It is recommended that the Board approve the Code of Ethics, as presented.

Motion to approve the Board Code of Ethics, as presented. This motion, made by Jeff Gorno and seconded by James Vanderveer, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Nay

Katie Drzewiecki: Yea

Sara Gapinski: Absent

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Yea

Kari Visser-Robel: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 1, Absent: 2

- Board member concerns communicated.

B. Health Department of Northwest Michigan Agreement

It is recommended that the Board approve the agreement between the Health Department of Northwest Michigan and Gaylord Community Schools (GMS), as presented.

Motion to approve the agreement between the Health Department of Northwest Michigan and Gaylord Community Schools (GMS), as presented. This motion, made by Katie Drzewiecki and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Nay

Katie Drzewiecki: Yea

Sara Gapinski: Absent

Jeff Gorno: Yea

James Vanderveer: Yea

Kari Visser-Robel: Absent

Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 1, Absent: 2

- Board member concerns communicated.

C. Health Department of Northwest Michigan Agreement

It is recommended that the Board approve the agreement between the Health Department of Northwest Michigan and Gaylord Community Schools (Gaylord Blue Devil Wellness Center), as presented.

Motion to approve the agreement between the Health Department of Northwest Michigan and Gaylord Community Schools (Gaylord Blue Devil Wellness Center), as presented. This motion, made by Katie Drzewiecki and seconded by James Vanderveer, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Nay
Katie Drzewiecki: Yea
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Yea
James Vanderveer: Yea
Kari Visser-Robel: Absent
Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 1, Absent: 2

- Board member concerns communicated.

D. Athletic Trainer New Position

It is recommended that the Board approve the new position of Athletic Trainer for Gaylord Community Schools, as presented.

Motion to approve the new position of Athletic Trainer for Gaylord Community Schools, as presented. This motion, made by James Vanderveer and seconded by Katie Drzewiecki, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Yea
Katie Drzewiecki: Yea
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Yea
James Vanderveer: Yea
Kari Visser-Robel: Absent
Jeff Wieber: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 2

E. Gaylord High School Male Student A2023 Expulsion

It is recommended that the Board approve the recommendation from the PD Committee for expulsion of a GHS male student A2023, as presented.

Motion to approve the recommendation from the PD Committee for expulsion of a GHS male student A2023, as presented. This motion, made by Rachel Davis and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Yea
Katie Drzewiecki: Yea
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Yea
James Vanderveer: Yea
Kari Visser-Robel: Absent
Jeff Wieber: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 2

VI. PUBLIC INPUT

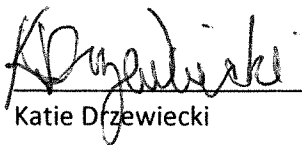
- Henry Mason: Public input, no action taken.
- Gary Rider: Public input, no action taken.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the October 9, 2023, Regular Board meeting at 7:03 p.m. This motion, made by James Vanderveer and seconded by Jeff Gorno, Passed.

Rachel Davis: Yea
Katie Drzewiecki: Yea
Sara Gapinski: Absent
Jeff Gorno: Yea
James Vanderveer: Yea
Kari Visser-Robel: Absent
Jeff Wieber: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 2

Submitted by Cindy Huff for Katie Drzewiecki (Board Secretary)


Katie Drzewiecki

10/09/23
Date