

San Pasqual Union School District

The Little School in the Valley

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES

Tuesday, August 14, 2018 at San Pasqual Union School

Closed Session (4:30)

Regular Session

- Regular meeting called to order at 5:50 p.m. All members present. Superintendent Burroughs and recording secretary, Pamela Hansen were also present
- Public was welcomed and the flag salute was recited.
- Report from Closed Session: No formal action taken.
- Member Jackson notified the public that the Board had received a formal request to withdraw the petition for Bridges Preparatory Charter School. Member Hersey made a motion to approve the agenda and minutes from the 8/14/18 meeting with the removal of item K. Member Baker seconded the motion. Motion passed 5/0
- Public Hearing: Mrs. Tomasi and Mrs. Nutile both spoke against the petition for Bridges Preparatory Charter School, as well as thanked the Board for its thorough analysis.
- Superintendents / Assistant Principals Report :
 - Enrollment numbers are strong for the 2018-19
 - Curricular focus for this year is to improve student writing
 - Saints Day / Meet Your Teacher on 8/20
 - All staff training day scheduled for 8/21 - Team building and some mandated trainings
 - In support of student learning, some changes for next year include:
 - Additional academic time on Thursdays
 - Introduction of middle school homeroom
 - Addition of technology
 - Embedding of music and science within K/1 classrooms
 - Change in library visits to include teacher
 - Kindergarten Bootcamp was very successful
 - Major technology upgrade this summer
 - We are expanding our partnership with the San Diego Zoo Safari Park to reach K-4
- New staff members:
 - Tammy Lee, AP
 - Amy Fraikin, 5th grade
 - Chris Smiley, Middle school special education and math teacher
 - Leti Barba, Kitchen
 - Jeannette Brown, Preschool Teacher

- Facility report by Ray Sifuentes. Update of summer project and what is on the upcoming schedule. Presentation available on the San Pasqual Union's website.
- Approval of resolution of #R18-19-01. Motion made by Member Baker and seconded by Member Spivey. Motion passed 5/0.
- Approval of adoption of 6-8 HM Escalate English. Motion made by Member Hersey seconded by Member Spivey. Motion passed 5/0.

Consent Agenda

Member Heidemann moved to approve the consent agenda. Member Hersey seconded the motion. Motion passed 5/0

Comments by Trustees:

Member Spivey: Mr. Spivey welcomed Superintendent Burroughs and all of the new staff. He is looking forward to another great year. He also wanted to thank Ray for the beautiful and always impressive campus.

Member Baker: Mrs. Baker is happy that everyone is safe after the fire. She loves our school and thinks it is looking phenomenal. She is very excited to see what is to come this new school year.

Member Heidemann: Mr. Heidemann welcomed all the new faces and welcomes them to the San Pasqual family.

Member Hersey: Mr. Hersey welcomes Superintendent Burroughs as well as all the new staff. He would like to thank all the members of the community that came out to support their position on the Charter proposal. He is pleased with our current enrollment. He would like to thank Ray for all the hard work that was completed during the long hot summer. He feels Ray has done a great job in planning and organizing what needs to be done in anticipation of the school getting older.

Member Jackson: Mr. Jackson echoes what the other members have said. He wanted to note that the Board received a letter from the Escondido School District Board President Doug Paulson in regards to the Charter petition. Welcome to all the new staff to our school. He also wanted to thank the staff member who made the changes to the "College is Knowledge" wall. He is happy to see that 5 people registered for the 3 open Board positions. He would like to wish everyone a great school year.

Regular meeting adjourned at 6:31

Next meeting 10/9/2018 Closed session 5:00pm