



West Plains Schools Board Notes

West Plains Schools Administration Building

June 21st, 2011

Pledge of Allegiance – The Pledge was led by the members of the Board of Education.

Regular Agenda

Student Handbook – 2nd read and approval

Handbooks for all buildings were approved by the board for the 2011-2012 school year. An updated copy will be posted on the district website by August 12th.

Employee Handbooks – 2nd read and approval

The certified and support staff handbooks were approved by the board and an updated copy will be posted on the district website by August 12th.

Superintendent Report

The Chris Biffle Midwest Whole Brain Teaching Conference will be held on July 6th & 7th at the WPMS FEMA Building. Over 500 teachers across the country will be in attendance. This is the second year the conference has been held in West Plains.

West Plains Schools will partner with Domino's Pizza of West Plains to "Stuff the Bus" full of school supplies to welcome students of Joplin back to the classroom while assisting Howell County students in need through the Ozark Action Back to School Drive. A drop off location will be held at Domino's Pizza the week of July 18th, 2011.

Resignations

Suzanna Kimes – South Fork Kindergarten Teacher

Janet Womack – Bus Driver

Axel Liimatta – High School Speech & Debate/Communication Arts

Lewis Earnest - Middle School/High School Health

New Hires

South Fork Kindergarten Teacher – Mary Beth Palmer

High School Speech & Debate/Communication Arts – Christina Staab

High School Math – Kendal DeSisso

Bus Drivers – Trish Brown, Willis Leveritt, Orvie Weisbrod, Norman King

Next Regular Meeting

Next Board Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 19th at 5:30pm

School board meetings are held monthly on the third Tuesday of each month at the West Plains Schools Administrative Offices, 613 W. First St., unless otherwise posted.