

The Discipline Committee of the Rockbridge County School Board held a special meeting on Wednesday, May 3, 2023 at Maury River Middle School.

Present: Trustees Corey Berkstresser, Catie Brown and Wendy Lovell; Randy Walters, Chief Operations Officer; Angela Wilder, Discipline Committee Liaison.

CALL TO ORDER:

Trustee Berkstresser called the meeting to order at 4:51 p.m.

Under Section 2.2-3711.A (2) of the State Code, Trustee Lovell recommended that the Board go into a *Closed Meeting* to discuss three student discipline matters. Motion was made by Trustee Lovell, seconded by Trustee Brown, and passed by 3-0 vote.

The Board entered into the *Closed Meeting* at 4:52 p.m.

The Board returned to open session at 6:06 p.m.

Trustee Lovell read the following motion to Certify the Closed Meeting:

WHEREAS, the Rockbridge County School Board has convened a closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provisions of the Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.2-3712.D of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by this School Board that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Rockbridge County School Board hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted by Virginia law were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered.

Upon initial motion of Certification of Closed Meeting by Trustee Lovell, and seconded by Trustee Brown, the motion passed by the following roll call vote:

- Trustee Berkstresser - Aye
- Trustee Brown - Aye
- Trustee Lovell - Aye

Upon motion by Trustee Brown, seconded by Trustee Lovell, and passed by unanimous vote, the following action was taken regarding student case number 2223-081-10 as a result of a violation of the student code of conduct.

1. Student is suspended for the remainder of the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Student shall come into the building and take any SOL assessments. Student will be contacted by school counselor to determine the dates and times. Upon completing the SOL assessment, student will need to immediately leave the campus.
3. Student shall be referred to attend summer school to recover academic classes.

Upon motion by Trustee Brown, seconded by Trustee Lovell, and passed by unanimous vote, the following action was taken regarding student case number 2223-066-09 as a result of a violation of the student code of conduct.

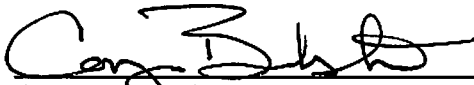
1. Student is suspended for the remainder of the 2022-2023 school year.
2. Student will be notified by school counselor of the dates and times that student is to return to MRMS and take SOL assessments.
3. Student will be subject to random drug testing through the Juvenile Probation office.
4. Student is on social probation for the remainder of the 2022-2023 school year, as well as through December 31, 2023. During this probation period, student is not allowed to be on any Rockbridge County Public Schools' property after the regular school day; nor attend any extracurricular activities on other schools' property in which Rockbridge County Public Schools is participating.

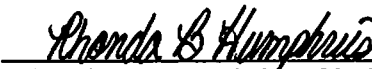
Upon motion by Trustee Brown, seconded by Trustee Lovell, and passed by unanimous vote, the following action was taken regarding student case number 2223-065-09 as a result of a violation of the student code of conduct.

1. Student will return to MRMS on Monday, May 8, 2023. Student will take SOL assessments and then report to in-school suspension for the remainder of each day through Friday, May 12, 2023.
2. Student will return to regular schedule on Monday, May 15, 2023.
3. Student will attend summer school at MRMS.
4. Student is on social probation for the remainder of the 2022-2023 school year. During this probation period, student is not allowed to be on any Rockbridge County Public Schools' property after the regular school day; nor attend any extracurricular activities on other schools' property in which Rockbridge County Public Schools is participating.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion by Trustee Brown, seconded by Trustee Lovell, and passed by 3-0 vote, the meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.


Corey W. Berkstresser, Trustee


Rhonda B. Humphries, Clerk of the Board