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PLEASANT HILL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
Monday, February 3, 2025; 7:00 p.m.; Pleasant Hill Community Center
EXECUTIVE SESSION: ORS 192.660(2)(i) and ORS 192.660(2)(d)

1. CALL TO ORDER

Stephen Hammond called the February 3, 2025 board meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance. Board members present were Vice Chair Drew Gottfried, Rusty Rexus and Jennifer Woodland. Others present were Superintendent Jim Crist, Business Manager Sheri Longobardo, Special Education Director Whitney Connolly, Elementary Principal Brenna Fairchild, Middle/High School Principal Chris Reiersgaard, Middle School Assistant Principal Caleb Salmond and Board Secretary Kimberly Silbernagel.

Drew Gottfried read the mission statement.

2. CHANGES OR ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

There were no changes or additions to the agenda.

3. INTRODUCTIONS AND ATTENDANCE

The audience included Caitlin Olinger, student.

4. PUBLIC FORUM

There was no public comment.

5. PRESENTATIONS / RECOGNITION

5.1 Students of the Month/Most Improved Students of the Month
Principal Reiersgaard announced the awards for December.

Students of the Month

- 9th – Kaylee Johnson
- 10th – Benaiah Carrera
- 11th – Dahlia La Roche
- 12th – Charlotte Keepers

Most Improved Students of the Month

- 9th – Boyd Craig
- 10th – Jasper Bruington
- 12th – Erin McAllister

5.2 High School Student Representative Report

Junior class president Caitlin Olinger presented her report to the board. The high school wrapped up first semester with a successful winter dance, pep assembly and beating Creswell in the first rivalry basketball game of the season. As the new semester starts leadership is planning new projects including Springfest and a spring fling dance. They are also awaiting the results of the climate survey.

5.3 Classified Appreciation Resolution March 3-7, 2025 (Resolution 2425.171)

Stephen Hammond read the resolution in honor of classified employee appreciation week.

Rusty Rexius moved to approve 5.3 Classified Appreciation Resolution. Drew Gottfried seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

6. ACTION ITEMS

6.1 Approve January 13, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes (Exhibit 2425.172)

Jennifer Woodland moved to approve 6.1 January 13, 2025 Board Meeting Minutes. Rusty Rexius seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

6.2 Approve Personnel Action (Resolution 2425.173 and Exhibit 2425.174)

Drew Gottfried moved to approve 6.2 Personnel Action. Rusty Rexius seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

6.3 Accept Cohort Projection Plan (Resolution 2425.175 and Exhibit 2425.176)

Superintendent Crist discussed the cohort projection plan for the 2025-26 school year. He also provided inter district transfer numbers for the last three school years.

Rusty Rexius moved to approved 6.3 Cohort Projection Plan. Drew Gottfried seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

6.4 Approve Learner Profile (Resolution 2425.177 and Exhibit 2425.178)

Superintendent Crist presented the three learner profiles to the board. The board discussed that they liked Draft 1 the best but would like to include an edit of adding "Effectively" to the "Communicate" box.

Rusty Rexius moved to approve 6.4 Learner Profile Draft 1, with edit adding "Effectively" to the "Communicate" box). Jennifer Woodland seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

7. BOARD DISCUSSION

7.1 Policy Review

Superintendent Crist discussed the policy update.

- GBNAA/JHFF - Suspected Sexual Conduct with Students and Reporting Requirements (Exhibit 2425.179)
- JHFF/GBNAA - Suspected Sexual Conduct with Students and Reporting Requirements (Exhibit 2425.180)

8. REPORTS AND INFORMATION

8.1 Elementary School Report (Exhibit 2425.181)

Principal Brenna Fairchild shared her report with the board. The average daily attendance for January was 92.66%. There has been a lot of illness going around that is affecting attendance. The character trait of the month for January was honor. PTO hosted their first bingo night. The event was very well attended. The staff had their first introduction to the Star assessment system. Many teachers are interested in piloting the program this spring.

8.2 Middle School Report (Exhibit 2425.182)

Assistant Principal Caleb Salmond presented his report to the board. Mr. Salmond provided the board with a handout with the 1st semester academic report. The report included the number of students who received an F and the DIBELS assessment results. The middle school had a successful winter dance in January. The average daily attendance for January was 92.56%

8.3 High School Report (Exhibit 2425.183)

Principal Chris Reiersgaard gave his report to the board. Mr. Reiersgaard provided a handout to the board with information about the number of students who received F's for the 1st quarter and 1st semester. It also provided the number of students who received and 3.5 GPA or better or a 4.0 GPA for 1st semester. A total of 152 students were on the honor roll. The average daily attendance for January was 87.88%.

9. SUPERINTENDENT COMMUNICATION

9.1 Board Representation for PHSD/OSEA Bargaining

Superintendent Crist inquired if any of the board members would be interested in participating in the bargaining process. Board member Rusty Rexus volunteered to participate.

10. BOARD COMMUNICATION

10.1 Committee or Community News/Announcements

Board member Rusty Rexus reported to the board that he attended the HOPE Factory tour. Pleasant Hill has four students that are part of the HOPE Factory.

10.2 Board Engagement Activities Calendar

Superintendent Crist review the upcoming events on the calendar.

11. OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business.

12. RECESS REGULAR MEETING TO EXECUTIVE SESSION – 8:00 p.m.

12.1 Executive Session ORS 192.660(2)(i) To Review and Evaluate the Performance of the Superintendent.


12.2 Executive Session ORS 192.660(2)(d) To Conduct Deliberations with Persons Designated to Carry on Labor Negotiations.

13. RECONVENE REGULAR MEETING – 8:52 p.m.

14. NEXT MEETING

- Board Work Session – February 20, 2025; 5:30 p.m.; Pleasant Hill Community Center
- Board Meeting – March 3, 2025; 7:00 p.m.; Pleasant Hill Community Center

15. ADJOURNMENT – 8:53 p.m.

Signed: , this 3rd day of March, 2025
~~Stephen Hammond, Board Chair~~

Drew Gattfried, Vice Chair