

Yellowstone School District No. 14
Regular Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 16th at 6 PM
Board Room – East Fairview Elementary School

Members present: Jessica Cayko, Blaine Watts, Britt Poulsen, Doug Gullikson, Harvey Asbeck

Others Present: Derek Gackle, Alyson Schriver, Jessie Bieber

- I. Call to Order - Doug Gullikson called the meeting to order at 6 pm.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Visitors – Doug Gullikson welcomed visitors.
- IV. Public Comment (for items not on the agenda)
 - *(The Board cannot enter into a discussion/decision during Public Comment)
 1. No public comment
- V. Approval of minutes of February 16th board meeting
 1. Jessica Cayko made a motion to approve the minutes of February 16th board meeting.
 2. Harvey Asbeck seconded the motion to approve the minutes of February 16th board meeting.
 3. All in favor.
 4. Motion carried
- VI. Correspondence - None
- VII. Approve Agenda
 1. Harvey Asbeck made a motion to approve the agenda.
 2. Britt Poulsen seconded the motion to approve the agenda.
 3. All in favor.
 4. Motion carried.
- VIII. Approval of Bills
 1. Jessica Cayko made a motion to approve the bills.
 2. Harvey Asbeck seconded the motion to approve the bills.
 3. Discussion.
 4. All in favor.
 5. Motion carried.
- IX. Old Business
 1. Financial update – Alyson Schriver gave financial update
- X. New Business
 1. 2026-2027 Annual Calendar
 1. Derek Gackle presented the calendar that was approved by the calendar committee, which consisted of 7 teachers and 2 office staff.
 2. Harvey Asbeck made a motion to approve the 2026-27 school calendar.
 3. Jessica Cayko seconded the motion to approve the 2026-27 school calendar.
 4. Discussion.
 5. All in favor.
 6. Motion carried.
 2. Non-certified employment agreements
 1. Nikki Schriver
 2. Cindy Brown
 3. Chad Sundhiem
 4. Aaron Eustice
 5. Sherida Poulsen
 6. Stephanie Haber
 7. Sierra Vitt
 8. Emily Fisher
 9. Chrystal Wiidanen
 1. Jessica Cayko made a motion to raise paraprofessional base salary to \$19.75 per hour and all other non-certified staff to receive a \$1 raise per hour, excluding Chad Sundheim and Aaron Eustice.

2. Blaine Watts seconded the motion to raise paraprofessional base salary to \$19.75 per hour and all other non-certified staff to receive a \$1 raise per hour, excluding Chad Sundheim and Aaron Eustice.
 3. Discussion.
 4. Vote – Britt Poulsen abstained, all other board members in favor.
 5. Motion carried.
3. YVA 2026-27 Open Enrollment Applications

- 63 Kinder female, United #7
- 64 4th grade male, Williston
- 65 Kinder male, Bismarck
- 66 5th grade female, Sawyer
- 67 Kinder female, Minot
- 68 1st grade male, Mandan
- 69 6th grade female, Williston
- 70 3rd grade female, Williston
- 71 5th grade male, Valley City
- 72 Kinder female, Valley City
- 73 4th grade male, Valley City
- 74 1st grade male, Valley City
- 75 1st grade male, Bismarck
- 76 1st grade male, Bismarck
- 77 1st grade female, Bismarck
- 78 2nd grade female, Bismarck
- 79 Kinder male, Grand Forks
- 80 5th grade male, Minot
- 81 4th grade female, Minot
- 82 Kinder female, Minot
- 83 5th grade male, Dickinson
- 84 3rd grade female, Dickinson
- 85 6th grade female, Dickinson
- 86 2nd grade female, Dickinson
- 87 6th grade female, Minot
- 88 2nd grade female, West Fargo
- 89 1st grade male, Valley City
- 90 Kinder female, Bismarck
- 91 2nd grade female, Williston
- 92 3rd grade female, Williston
- 93 1st grade male, Grand Forks
- 94 3rd grade female, Williston
- 95 4th grade female, Williston
- 96 6th grade female, Jamestown
- 97 Kinder female, Bismarck
- 98 1st grade male, Minot
- 99 Kinder female, Minot

- 100 1st grade female, Watford City
- 101 4th grade female, Watford City
- 102 6th grade female, Watford City
- 103 1st grade female, West Fargo
- 104 Kinder female, Valley City
- 105 2nd grade female, Valley City
- 106 4th grade male, Valley City
- 107 1st grade female, Williston
- 108 2nd grade male, Williston
- 109 5th grade female, Harvey
- 110 7th grade female, Harvey
- 111 1st grade male, Cartwright
- 112 5th grade female, Cartwright
- 113 6th grade female, Cartwright
- 114 Kinder female, Williston
- 115 7th grade male, Williston
- 116 1st grade male, Williston
- 117 6th grade female, Dickinson
- 118 6th grade female, Valley City
- 119 2nd grade female, Valley City
- 120 Kinder male, Valley City
- 121 5th grade male, Valley City
- 122 3rd grade male, Dickinson

1. Alyson Schriver read aloud above 2026-27 open enrollment applications.
2. Jessica Cayko made a motion to approve the above 63-122 open enrollment applications.
3. Britt Poulsen seconded the motion to approve the above 63-122 open enrollment applications.
4. Discussion.
5. All in favor.
6. Motion carried.

4. Policies to Review

1. GCBA – Grading
2. GCE – Opting Out of State and Federal Assessments
3. HCAB – Bidding Requirements and Procedures
4. HCAE – Disbursement of Monies
5. HCBA – Vendor Conflict of Interest Disclosure

1. The board reviewed the above policies – GCBA, GCE, HCAB, HCAE, HCBA

XI. Principal's Report

1. State Science Fair is March 25th-27th – 6 students qualified.
2. Honor Band is March 26th & 27th in Circle.
3. State Mathcounts is March 29th & 30th. Our team qualified.
4. Alyson Schriver goes to Business Manager certification training on March 20th in Bismarck.
5. April 6th – no school due to Easter Monday. The following Friday is a school day.
6. Academic Olympics – April 15th – Torrey will take the students to Glasgow.
7. Kindergarten Registration is Monday, March 23rd from 5 – 6:30.

XII. Adjournment – Doug Gullikson adjourned the meeting at 6:44 pm.

**** During Public Comment, the speaker should:**

1. Stand during the appropriate period and be recognized by the presiding officer.
2. State name and address for the minutes.
3. Limit comments to no more than five minutes, unless the presiding officer waives the time limit.