



Shawano School District

Hawk School Board Memo

December 13, 2024

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Next Board Meeting Dates:

January 13, 2025
5:00 pm

February 10, 2025
5:00 pm

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Board of Education Meeting Notes, December 9, 2024

Superintendent Kurt Krizan's Report:

- **Mindset of the Month: Passion First**
- **Budget Update: fiscal year-to-date**
- **Newest Hawks - Welcome!**
  - Cynthia Giannori - Spec Ed - SCMS
  - Taylor Lohff - Grade 2 - HC
  - Natalie Jackson - Speech Language Pathology
  - Megan Shields - Grade 4 - OB
- **Departing Hawks - Thank you!**
  - Amber Krause-Johnston
  - Beth Mueller - EOY
- **Thank you for your generous support:**
  - Shawano Athletic Booster Club
  - Performing Arts Booster Club
  - Shawano Fire & Police Departments
  - AmVets - $500 SCHS Band
  - Shawano Masons - $500 Hillcrest/LEADS
  - ThedaCare Employees - Snacks & Winter Gear
  - Cellcom - $500 & St. John Education Fund - $4,000 - SCMS Trees for Tomorrow
- **Points of Pride**
  - Shawano Title VI Pow Wow
  - Olga Brener - Cozy Up and Read Event
  - Olga Brener - Donuts with Grown-Ups
  - Celebrating American Education Week
  - Drumming demonstration at LEADS
  - Mallory Braun & Hannah Yeager - Next Gen Conference with the National FFA
  - 10 Top-Three Finishers in District Skills USA contest
  - Tri-M Induction
  - Sources of Strength Training at SCMS
- **Building Project Update**
  - First of 50 Meetings with Different Staff Groups
  - Project Marketing & Communications
  - 2025-26 & 2026-27 Calendar Drafts
  - Sponsorship Agreements: Stewart & Pamela Boivin

Committee Update:

Finance & Facilities Committee Meeting Update - John Arens reported on the Facilities Committee meeting with IT and Buildings & Grounds to discuss items including the clock-speaker project, gym repairs, LED gym lights, roofing at SCMS.

Karen Houston reported on the Finance Committee meeting including the referendum project funding on today's agenda.





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Information Items:

Act 95 "The Wisconsin Guarantee" - Matt Raduechel, Principal SCHS, reviewed ACT 95 which states Top 5% of graduating class is guaranteed admission to UW Madison. Top 10% also earn guaranteed admission to the UW system school. This information will be shared in the course description booklets, student handbook and website.

Policies Technical Updates – Kurt Krizan discussed the semi-annual a NEOLA updates and technical changes, including state statutes. Executive Summary outlines the technical changes.

RVA Invested Membership – Kurt Krizan presented an opportunity offered by the RVA board for the Shawano School District to become an Invested Member. Presently the district is an affiliate member. Invested membership is a five year agreement with benefits for the students and district.

Action Items:

SCHS Course Description Additions – Matt Raduechel, discussed the updates to the course catalog as outlined at a previous meeting including AP and dual-credit courses and partnership with NWTC. The Board approved the course description additions as presented.

Resolution Awarding the Sale of $14,000,000 General Obligation School Facility Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 - Bryan Kadlec, Finance – reported on the results of the bond sales for this borrowing. The board approved the resolution.

Policy Updates - Policy NEOLA non-technical updates. Board approved the changes as presented.

Recommended Purchase of 20 Acres of Land – The board did not take any action.

Title VI Program Pow Wow,

November 23, 2024





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