

North Judson-San Pierre Board of School Trustees
Minutes of a Regular Board Meeting
Jr.-Sr. High Media Center
Tuesday, August 18, 2020

The North Judson-San Pierre Board of School Trustees met for a Regular Session on Tuesday, August 18, 2020, at 5:30 P.M. in the North Judson-San Pierre Jr.-Sr. High Media Center. Board President Derrick Stalbaum called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M. The Board members present were President Derrick Stalbaum, Vice President Sandra Kersting Rudd, Secretary Gerald Bacon, member Jim Menis and member Jeri Brewer. Others present were Superintendent Dr. Annette Zupin and Business Manager/Treasurer Guy Richie. A copy of the list of patrons attending the meeting is on file at Central Office.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Regular Meeting

Mr. Stalbaum opened the Regular Meeting at 5:30 P.M.

Consent Items

Mr. Menis made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 21, 2020 Minutes of a Regular Meeting as presented. Mrs. Brewer seconded the motion; motion passed 5-0. Mr. Bacon made a motion to approve the Personnel Recommendations as presented. Mrs. Kersting Rudd seconded the motion; motion passed 5-0. Mrs. Brewer made a motion to approve the financial reports and claims as presented. Mr. Menis seconded the motion; motion passed 5-0.

Approved personnel:

NAME	POSITION	RECOMMENDATION
Pamela Nix	Elementary School Cafeteria	Recommended to Hire
Dayna Holland	Elementary School Media Aide	Recommended to Hire
Kaylee Dollahan	Elementary School IA/Lunch Aide	Replacing Nicole Begley
Stephanie Rains	Elementary School P.E. Teacher (A.M.)	Replacing Kyle Evans
Linda Eckert	Jr-Sr High Cafeteria	Recommended to Hire
Elizabeth Kozecar	Jr-Sr High Cafeteria	Recommended to Hire
Kendall Gardner	Elementary School P.E. Teacher (P.M.)	Replacing Kyle Evans
Amy Bales	Substitute Teacher (All Schools)	Recommended to Hire
McKenzie Griffith	Elementary School Recess Aide	Recommended to Hire
Andrew Wilcox	Elementary School Recess Aide	Recommended to Hire
Jennifer Harrison	High School Custodian	Replacing Mary Pettet
Kyle Evans	Elementary Physical Education Teacher	Resignation
Nicole Begley	Elementary IA/Lunch Aide	Resignation
Angela Lynch	High School Special Education Paraprofessional	Resignation
ECA POSITIONS		
Cameron Stalbaum	8 th Grade Assistant Football Coach (replacing Eric Emery)	Recommended to Hire
Kelsey Burger	4 th Grade Level Leader	Replacing Angie Allender
Margaret Radtke	Remote Teacher – CARES	Recommended to Hire
Courtney Trusty	Volleyball Coach (replacing Leah White)	Recommended to Hire
Dalton Bailey	High School Girls Assistant Basketball Coach	Replacing Danielle Bailey
Eric Emery	Middle School Volunteer Football Coach	Recommended to Hire
Diane Trusty	Junior Varsity Volunteer Volleyball Coach	Replacing Leah White

Danielle Bailey	Girls' Varsity Basketball Assistant Coach	Resignation
Larry Arndt	Boys' Tennis Coach	Resignation
Chris Newbauer	Girls Golf Coach	Resignation
Eric Emery	7 th Grade Head Football Coach	Resignation
Leah White	JV Volleyball Coach	Termination
Keaton Leszek	7 th Grade Assistant Football Coach	Termination
Mitch Fingerhut	7 th Grade Assistant Football Coach	Termination

First Reading of Crisis Prevention Plan

Dr. Zupin explained the following situations of the Crisis Prevention Plan; fire safety/evacuation, death of student/staff, violent situational responses and suicide prevention. Contents including resources, recommendations/guidelines and roles and responsibilities were also explained.

Approval of Reopening Plan

Mrs. Kersting Rudd made a motion to approve Reopening Plan as presented. Mr. Menis seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

Approval of Continuous Learning Plan

Mrs. Brewer made a motion to approve Continuous Learning Plan as presented. Mrs. Kersting Rudd seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

Approval to post the Capital Project and Bus Replacement Plan on the NJ-SP Website

Mr. Bacon made a motion to approve to post the Capital Project and Bus Replacement Plan on the NJ-SP Website as presented. Mr. Menis seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

Approval to submit the 2021 proposed NJ-SP School Corporation Budget to Starke County Council

Mrs. Brewer made a motion to approve to submit the 2021 proposed NJ-SP School Corporation Budget to Starke County Council as presented. Mrs. Kersting Rudd seconded the motion; motion carried 5-0.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Zupin reported the staff and students are doing great going back to school. We have about 25% choosing the virtual option. NJ-SP Athletics are following guidelines from IHSAA and DOE and will be meeting with Starke County Superintendents and Athletic Directors Wednesday to discuss hosting events- football in particular with large crowds. Dr. Zupin discussed the following budget information; Starke County Council Public Hearing will be August 31, NJ-SP Budget adoption will be September 15 at the NJ-SP Board Meeting and Starke County Council NJ-SP Budget Adoption will be September 21.

Other

There was no other business.

Recognition of Visitors

No one commented.

Adjournment

Mr. Menis made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:44 P.M. Mrs. Kersting Rudd seconded the motion; motion passed 5-0.

Derrick Stalbaum, President

Sandra Kersting Rudd, Vice President

Gerald Bacon, Secretary

Jim Menis, Member

Jeri Brewer, Member