

Regular School Board Meeting
I.S.D. 547, Parkers Prairie Public Schools
Thursday, March 12, 2020, 7:00 p.m.
High School Media Center

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of Independent School District 547, Parkers Prairie Public Schools, was called to order by Chairman Lyle Oeltjenbruns at 7:00PM. Board members present Christy Hart, Glenn Cornish, Jeff Samuelson, Steve Inwards, Judy Moeller. Absent: Scott Wagner. Student Board members present: Macy Jakubiec, Hannah Samuelson. Administration present: Superintendent Dean Yocum and Elementary Principal Steve Radtke. Also present: Dan Lenker, Jennifer Marquardt and Tammy Larson.

Motion by Cornish, seconded by Inwards and carried, to approve the amended agenda.

Motion by Moeller, seconded by Samuelson and carried, to approve the minutes from the February regular board meeting.

Motion by Cornish, seconded by Hart and carried, to approve Hand Payable checks totaling \$26,377.46; Wire transfers totaling \$256,044.25; Board Payable I checks totaling \$171,150.88; and Board Payable II checks totaling \$17,683.36.

Superintendent Report:

- **Principal Reports:**
 - **Principal Radtke**
 - The emphasis in February was reading.
 - The 6th grade Math Masters team finished 8th out of 20 teams at the regional competition. Two members placed individually. They were coached by Derek Denny.
 - Prairie Fire Theatre presented Tom Sawyer with approximately 60 students participating.
 - **Principal Johnson was attending an Educational Policy Fellowship Program meeting.**
 - **Principal Johnson attended a meeting at MDE recently and spoke about Mental Health grants received throughout the state. Parkers Prairie and Henning were the only rural schools to receive the grant.**
 - **Superintendent Yocum**
 - The monthly RAED update was included in Board member packets.
 - One of the Senior High Knowledge Bowl teams advanced to the Section competition
 - A letter regarding COVID-19 was included in Board member packets.
 - Updates on schedule changes/cancellations will be sent via JMC messaging.
 - Close Up to Washington DC has been suspended by the organization. Three options were provided to schools, updates will be sent as decisions are made.
 - The Contest Showcase Concert scheduled for Monday, March 16th, has been cancelled. The students will perform the concert during school. It will be recorded and made available to the public.

Motion by Inwards, seconded by Cornish and carried to cancel the public concert scheduled for March 16, have students perform for the student body later in the week.

- A contingency plan is in place should an extended shutdown be required
 - E-learning will be an option for both schools.

- High school teachers can use Google classroom or send classwork home with students
- Elementary school teachers are creating packets for students, students will be able to use websites such as IXL, Spelling City, etc.
- If a student does not have a device, a Chromebook will be assigned to them.
- All lockers will be cleaned out on Friday, March 13th, to assist the Maintenance staff with cleaning.
- Dale Plasek presented information on possible fundraisers for the Band/Choir trip. A Bingo night is being discussed for next school year. A brat/burger feed, with a Jazz concert was discussed. Possible locations are Thousand Oaks Brewery, Lake Adley Park and City Park.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Inwards and carried to approve the fundraiser and explore more options for the location.

There is a tentative agreement with Education Minnesota – Parkers Prairie. The next meeting is scheduled for March 17th.

The Negotiations Committee will meet on Tuesday, March 24th, for the initial meeting for negotiations with Union 70.

The Calendar Committee will meet on March 30th at 3:15, Elementary Media Center.

Unfinished Business:

- None

New Business:

- A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT DONATIONS as listed below was introduced by member Cornish, seconded by Hart and passed unanimously. The complete resolution is on file with the District Office.

From	Amount	For
Midwest Bank	\$1,100	Close-Up to Washington DC Trip
Pride of Parkers Prairie Lions	\$500	8th Grade Science Trip
Anonymous	\$500	8th Grade Science Trip
Parkers Prairie Lions	\$1,400	Costa Rica Trip
Parkers Prairie Lions	\$700	Speech Trophies
Unique Paint and Body Trim	\$100	Super Mileage
Iverson Insurance	\$100	Super Mileage
Image Auto Sales	\$100	Super Mileage
Musky Mayhem Tackle LLC	\$100	Super Mileage
Rue Salon & Tanning LLC	\$250	Super Mileage
Gappa Oil Company	\$100	Super Mileage
Skip's Deluxe Auto Parts	\$150	Super Mileage
Juettner Motors	\$100	Super Mileage
Shircliff Construction	\$250	Super Mileage
Bob's Concrete Pumping	\$100	Super Mileage
Ricky & Christina Truax	\$150	8th Grade Science Trip
Parkers Prairie Sportsmen Club	\$2,000	8th Grade Science Trip
Alomere Health	\$250	Prom

Farmers Union Oil Company	\$150	FFA Program
Farm Boys LLC	\$100	FFA Program
Gappa Oil Company	\$100	FFA Program
Pro-Ag Farmers Cooperative	\$100	FFA Program
Sammy's One Stop	\$100	FFA Program
Unique Paint Body & Trim	\$100	FFA Program
Iverson Insurance Agency	\$100	FFA Program
Hart Travel	\$200	FFA Program
Iverson Insurance Agency	\$100	Prom
Urbank Lions	\$250	School lunch program
Urbank Lions	\$1,000	8th Grade Science Trip
Gate City Bank	\$100	Prom
Midwest Bank	\$100	Prom

Member Inwards introduced, and member Cornish seconded a RESOLUTION FOR LOCAL CONTROL. The resolution passed unanimously.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Cornish and carried, to hire Paige Entzi as a Junior High Track Coach.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Hart and carried, to hire Joe Hewitt as a Junior High Track Coach.

Motion by Moeller, seconded by Inwards and carried to approve FMLA leave for Veronica Powers.

Motion by Inwards, seconded by Hart and carried to accept the resignation of Pat Sukraw from Panther Kids Club.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Cornish and carried to approve the improvement to the backstop and fencing at the Junior High baseball/softball field.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Inwards and carried, to hire Peyton Mills as a Junior High Softball Coach.

Motion by Samuelson, seconded by Inwards and carried, to adjourn at 8:11 P.M.

Judith A. Moeller, Clerk _____

Tammy Larson, Recorder _____