

BOARD BRIEFS

Todd Terrill, Superintendent

September 28, 2016

Celebrations/Reflections

Shelia Hobbs, Director of Exceptional Education, shared with the board information regarding the services offered through the Exceptional Education Department. Mrs. Hobbs highlighted the staff, students and programs that are making a positive impact on Richmond Community Schools.

Consent Items

- ◆ Approval of Minutes
- ◆ Human Resources
- ◆ Accounts Payable
- ◆ Monthly Financial Report
- ◆ Camp Flatrock
- ◆ Camp Allendale
- ◆ Deduct Change Order
- ◆ Terms of Engagement for Special Litigation

Public Hearing

The Board of School Trustees discussed the pros and cons of both keeping and selling Highland Heights School in light of the new information regarding possible legislative actions regarding preschool.

Action Items

- ◆ Highland Heights
- ◆ Donations
- ◆ Budget (Line 2) Resolution
- ◆ 2017 Budget Adoption
- ◆ 2017-2019 Capital Projects Plan Adoption
- ◆ Tax Neutrality Resolution
- ◆ Athletic Handbook 2016
- ◆ IUPUI Partnership—Next Gen Cadre

Upcoming Meeting and Events

Barb Bergdoll's husband, Jim, passed away this week. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Barb and her family.

IDOE is doing a Listening Tour at McGuire Hall on October 4th

Parent/Teacher Conference will be held on October 11th, this is a teacher work day – No school for students.

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Board Reports/Discussion

ADM Report

Chuck Reynolds, Assistant Superintendent, went over current enrollment numbers from the ADM count day.

Conference

Aaron Stevens, Board Secretary, attended the IAPSS/ASBA Fall Conference on September 26th and 27th. He gave the board an overview of the conference. He attended workshops on the topics of student growth, declining enrollment and diminishing tax dollars. Mr. Stevens appreciated the opportunity of representing the RCS Board of School Trustees at the conference.



Adjournment/Bell Ringer

Melissa Jordan, teacher at Starr Elementary, is battling breast cancer. On Friday September 23rd, Starr held a rally in support of Mrs. Jordan. Thanks to sponsors all the students received a pink shirt to wear at the rally. The community, her co-workers and the students have wrapped their arms around her in support.

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