

HUBBARD-RADCLIFFE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR & JOINT BOARD MEETING WITH ELDORA-NEW PROVIDENCE

October 20, 2020

The Board of Education of the Hubbard-Radcliffe Community School District met Tuesday, October 20, 2020 in the South Hardin High School Auditorium with board members present: Jacob Bolson – via Zoom, Keith England, Ashley Halvorsen, Nathan Weig and Bob Westendorf presiding. Eldora-New Providence board members present: Marc Anderson, Jared Cook, Emily Herring – via Zoom, Nick LaVelle, Greg Salvo – arrived at 6:35PM, Jay Stanish – arrived at 6:35PM and President Maggie VanderWilt presiding. Others present were: Superintendent Dr. Zellmer; Principals Brian Mangold, Sarah Nachazel, Mike Rundall and Kevin Henrichs; Board Secretaries Debra England and Cindy Bierle; staff, some patrons and media.

Maggie VanderWilt called the regular and joint meeting to order for E-NP. The E-NP board approved the consent agenda. Bob Westendorf called the H-R board to order at 6:30PM.

Motion by Halvorsen, seconded by Weig to approve the agenda, minutes from the September 21, 2020 regular board meeting and the reports on budget and warrants. MC

There was no community input.

The board shared items that were positives about the first part of the school year.

Dr. Zellmer shared our current enrollment numbers and enrollment projections over a five-year period.

Dr. Zellmer shared an update with the board on our current COVID statistics.

Mr. Henrichs reported on what was happening at the ENP Elementary building.

Mr. Mangold reported having school pictures taken on October 1st and able to send photos home with students on October 16th. The Ag in the Classroom volunteers were able to change their lessons and offer a lesson outside. The Radcliffe and Hubbard Fire Departments were also flexible to help with Fire Prevention Week activities and stayed within the COVID mitigation strategies. Teachers are finding new ways for our Tigers of the Month celebrations. They are preparing to do virtual conferences this year.

Mrs. Nachazel reported Mrs. Briggs is busy supporting our 100% online students. Ms. Sullivan, our school counselor, has been meeting with our online students to help them stay connected to the Middle School. Fall sports are wrapping up at the middle school. We were happy that our teams were pretty successful and we had few interruptions from COVID-19. Band and vocal classes are working hard to provide recorded/streamed concerts this winter. The PBIS team has been finding new ways to support students and are changing the reward activities.

Mr. Rundall reported on what was happening at the South Hardin High School building.

Dr. Zellmer reported completion of lots of state reports and COVID tracking.

Motion by Weig, seconded by England to approve the two-open enrollment out requests. MC

Motion by Halvorsen, seconded by England to approve the MICA Contract. MC

Motion by England, seconded by Halvorsen to approve the special education contract with CAM School District.

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Motion by Weig, seconded by Halvorsen to approve the request for modified allowable growth and supplemental aid of \$146,798.34 for the Hubbard-Radcliffe School's Special Education deficit for the 2019-20 school year. MC

Motion by Halvorsen, seconded by England to approve the Middle School PBIS Fundraiser Request to sell South Hardin promotional items to support PBIS monthly activities and to purchase items for the Tiger Store. MC

Motion by England, seconded by Weig to accept the resignations of paraprofessional Tasha Atkinson and wrestling coach Mike Olson. MC

Motion by England, seconded by Weig to approve the employment contract for Christian Miller for Junior High Wrestling Coach pending background check and completion of licensure. MC

Motion by Halvorsen, seconded by Weig to approve the lane change request for Joy Corbin to move from MA12 to MA24 for the 2020-21 school year. MC

Motion by Weig, seconded by Halvorsen to approve the fall 2020 Whole Grade Sharing Proration as presented.

MC

After considerable board discussion, motion by Weig, seconded by Halvorsen to approve the reopening of the Fitness Center, Walking track and Gyms for Community Exercise with the signing of the Usage Release and Hold Harmless Form. Hours will be adjusted to meet the sanitation requirements for the district and Dr. Zellmer has the power to shut down the facilities as needed. Motion carried with Bolson and England voting nay.

Dr. Zellmer received feedback from the school board on how they thought snow days should be handled since the legislature now allows online school days to count as an attendance day.

Dr. Zellmer asked board members to let the school know if they planned to attend the virtual conference so registrations can be finalized for the 2020 IASB Convention.

The next regular board meeting will be Monday, November 16, 2020 at 6:30PM in the Library at the Elementary School in Radcliffe. The Spring Joint Board Meeting was set for Monday, February 15, 2021 at 6:30PM at a site to be determined at the South Hardin Middle School in Hubbard.

Motion by England, seconded by Halvorsen to adjourn the monthly and joint board meeting at 8:45PM. MC
Vanderwilt adjourned the E-NP board.