

PREBLE SHAWNEE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
124 Bloomfield Street  
Camden, Ohio 45311

Minutes  
May 15, 2014

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The Preble Shawnee Board of Education was called to order for a regular meeting on Thursday, May 15, 2014 at the Board of Education Office.

ITEM 2014-122 Roll Call

At 7:00 p.m., Mrs. Strickland, President called the meeting to order.

Present: Mr. Biggs, Dr. Crumbaker, Mrs. Strickland, Mrs. Turpin, Mr. Willis  
Absent: None

ITEM 2014-123 Pledge of Allegiance

Mrs. Strickland led the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

ITEM 2014-124 Welcome to Visitors and Public Participation

- Ms. Barbara Willis remarked about her concern for the Common CORE.
- Ms. Ellen Horton passed out information regarding Chicago Teachers' Union and Common CORE.
- Mrs. Denise Robertson, parent, addressed the Board regarding Common CORE.

ITEM 2014-125 Report of Administrators

- Mrs. Whitis, Jr/Sr High School Principal spoke of 7<sup>th</sup> grade zoo trip, band concert, FFA banquet, OGT scores and graduation.
- Mr. Morton, West Elkton Principal talked about the science fair, 3<sup>rd</sup> graders visiting West Elkton, 6<sup>th</sup> grade talent show, 6<sup>th</sup> grade dance, PTO outgoing president and evacuation plans in case of an emergency.
- Mrs. Campbell, Camden Primary Principal spoke of the HS band program, Mad Cap puppet show, field day, awards and read at home/summer reading challenge.
- Ms. Jennifer Taulbee, Director of Special Education commented about technology, upcoming field trip with special education students to the new playground for special needs students built by the Department of Disabilities in Eaton and the Washington DC trip.
- Mr. Jeff Johnson, Technology Supervisor, spoke of entering grades and producing report cards and summer projects.
- Mrs. Diane Johnson, Food Service Director, spoke of breakfast and lunch counts.

ITEM 2014-126 Approval of Agenda

Mrs. Turpin moved and Mrs. Strickland seconded the motion that the Board approve the agenda as amended to include personnel changes.

Aye: Mrs. Turpin, Mrs. Strickland, Mr. Biggs, Dr. Crumbaker, Mr. Willis  
Nay: None  
Motion carried 5-0

It was moved by Mr. Willis and seconded by Mrs. Turpin that the Board approve the following items presented by the Treasurer:

ITEM 2014-127 Approval of Minutes

It is recommended that the Board approve the following minutes as presented:

April 17, 2014 Regular Meeting  
May 1, 2014 Special Meeting

ITEM 2014-128 Approval of Financial Reports

It is recommended that the Board approve the financial report for month ending April 30, 2014.

ITEM 2014-129 Approval of Five Year Forecast

It is recommended that the Board approve the Five Year Forecast as presented.

ITEM 2014-130 Approval of Contract with Weswurd, LLC

It is recommended that the Board approve the contract with Weswurd, LLC to assist the district in obtaining reimbursement for Medicaid-eligible expenses incurred under the Ohio Medicaid School Programs with dates of service from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2017. The fee is \$5.00 per reimbursed claim line provided the claim line fee is not higher than the reimbursement and limited to not more than \$30 per IEP student as listed on the statistics worksheet, line 21 of the cost report.

ITEM 2014-131 Approval of Contract with Gebhart Counseling Solutions, LLC

It is recommended that the Board approve the contract with Gebhart Counseling Solution, LLC to provide mental health services to the district for the 2014-15 school year. The fee is \$11,500.

Aye: Mr. Willis, Mrs. Turpin, Mr. Biggs, Dr. Crumbaker, Mrs. Strickland  
Nay: None  
Motion carried 5-0

ITEM 2014-132 Informational Items from the Treasurer

Mrs. Hansel proposed waiting until October to purchase a new bus for next school year.

It was moved by Mrs. Turpin and seconded by Mr. Willis that the Board approve the following item presented by the Superintendent:

ITEM 2014-133 Approval of Certificated/Licensed Personnel Matters

1. Resignations

It is recommended that the board accept the certified staff resignations effective at the end of the 2013-14 school year:

| Name              | Position                           |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Michael Cottingim | Technology Industrial Arts teacher |
| Mary Kate Sowder  | Grade 2 Teacher                    |

2. Employment

- a. It is recommended that the Board employ Mark Roberts as Camden Primary Grade 2 teacher on a one-year conditional teaching contract effective 2014-15 school year.
  
- b. It is recommended that the Board employ David T. Maddox as Industrial Technology teacher at the Jr/Sr High School on a one-year limited employment contract for the 2014-15 school year, contingent upon verification of experience and training, receipt of satisfactory BCI and FBI criminal record checks and a valid Ohio teaching certificate/license and endorsements, salary master's, step 8 or as verified by the ESC.

ITEM 2014-134 Approval of Classified Personnel Matters

1. Substitute Employment

It is recommended that the Board employ Jeri Reiff and Tracy Lovely and substitute aides to students effective 2013-14 school year.

2. Summer Employment 2014

It is recommended that the board employ the following personnel as summer workers; paid only when working at the hourly rate of a substitute in that classification as per salary schedule. Contracted custodians will receive their contract rate.

| Custodians        | Custodial Substitutes | Technology    |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Brody Rike        | Nancy Barnett         | Adam Albright |
| Shelley Dougherty | Kelli Wright          | Nancy Clark   |
|                   | Rebecca Crouse        |               |
|                   | Jennifer Williams     |               |
|                   | Wendy Woodard         |               |
|                   | John Oliver           |               |
|                   | Sheila Hale           |               |
|                   | Jorden Gregory        |               |

ITEM 14-135 Approval of Student Overnight Trips

It is recommended that the board approve the student overnight trip as follows:

| Group | Place                               | Date          |
|-------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| FFA   | Ohio FFA Camp-Muskingum             | 06/16-20/2014 |
| FFA   | Officers Retreat, Hueston Woods, OH | 06/24-26/2014 |

ITEM 2014-136 Approval of Notice of Rights and Procedural Protections under Section 504 and the Americans with Disabilities Act

It is recommended that the Board approve the Procedural Protections and Rights for a parent of a student who qualifies for accommodations or services under Section 504 and the ADA.

ITEM 2014-137 Approval of Membership in the Ohio High School Athletic Association

It is recommended that the Board approve membership in the Ohio High School Athletic Association; Preble Shawnee will conduct their athletics in accordance with the constitution, bylaws and decisions of the OHSAA for grades 7-12 for the 2014-15 school year.

ITEM 2014-138 Approval of Graduating Class of 2014

It is recommended that the Board approve the prospective graduating students to receive a diploma on Friday, May 23, 2014 subject to the completion of all requirements.

ITEM 2014-139 Approval of Lunch Price Increase

It is recommended that the Board approve the lunch price calculations as per the Ohio Department of Education Offices of Food and Nutrition, Paid Lunch Equity, and increase lunch prices from \$2.25 to \$2.50 for kindergarten through grade 6; and from \$2.85 to \$3.00 for grades 7 through 12 beginning with the 2014-15 school years.

ITEM 2014-140 Approval of Certification of Standards for Food Service

Preble Shawnee is in compliance and has adopted and is enforcing a nutrition standards policy that considers the requirements of Ohio Revised Code 3313.814 and governs the types of food and beverages that may be sold on the premises of its school(s).

ITEM 2014-141 Awarding of Bid for Tennis Courts Project

It is recommended that the Board award the bid for the Tennis Courts Project to Westside Paving and Excavating as follows:

Base Bid \$333,330; Alternate Bid #1, Vinyl-coated fence system \$12,500; Alternate Bid #3, Four concrete lamp pole bases with conduit \$8,500; Alternate Bid #4 Integral colored concrete, first 8 feet from fence line \$11,500. Total cost of the project, \$365,830.

Aye: Mrs. Turpin, Mr. Willis, Mr. Biggs, Dr. Crumbaker, Mrs. Strickland

Nay: None

Motion carried 5-0

Mrs. Turpin moved and Mr. Willis seconded the motion to approve the following item presented by the Superintendent:

ITEM 2014-142 Employment of Athletic Director

It is recommended that the Board employ Brad Wright as Athletic Director/Dean of Discipline, on a one year limited contract at the daily rate for Master's Degree, Salary Step 12, for a total of 215 days for the 2014-15 school year.

Aye: Mrs. Turpin, Mr. Willis, Mr. Biggs, Mrs. Strickland

Nay: Dr. Crumbaker

Motion carried 4-1

ITEM 2014-143 Informational Items from the Superintendent

Mr. Ulrich presented the textbook adoptions for review by the Board and informed the Board that the gates at the HS would be locked this summer due to the number of projects taking place.

ITEM 2014-144 Business for the Board

A. Old Business

None

B. New Business

Mrs. Strickland set June 12 at 6:00 p.m. as a special board meeting to conduct the evaluation of the superintendent.

C. Discussion Items

None

ITEM 2014-145 Board of Education Reports/Communications

None

ITEM 2014-146 Comments from Board Members

- Dr. Crumbaker made the following comment, "The example of indoctrinating of propaganda, in so far as the cause of Common CORE (as presented by Mrs. Horton)

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evinces a federal government that would perhaps occasion President John Adams to pause and reconsider the parameters of a centralized government. “

- Mrs. Turpin commented that the band concert was wonderful and that Mr. Oliver has done great things for the band program.
- Mr. Biggs attended the State FFA convention and commented that Mrs. Kennel runs a class program! The mini relay for life was very good.

ITEM 2014-147 Future Board Events

May 23, 2014 – Graduation at Princeton Pike Church of God, 7:00 p.m.

June 26, 2014 – Regular Monthly Meeting

August 14, 2014 – Regular Monthly Meeting

September 18, 2014 – Regular Monthly Meeting

October 16, 2014 – Regular Monthly Meeting

November 21, 2014 – Regular Monthly Meeting

ITEM 2014-148 Adjournment

At 8:08 p.m. Mr. Willis moved and Mrs. Turpin seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting.

Aye: Mr. Willis, Mrs. Turpin, Dr. Crumbaker, Mr. Willis, Mrs. Strickland

Nay: None

Motion carried 5-0

The preceding is a true and correct recording of the proceedings of the Preble Shawnee Local School District Board of Education Regular Meeting held on May 15, 2014.

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President

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Treasurer