

Board of Education Regular Meeting

Monday, March 8, 2021 7:00 PM
Palmer Schools, Conference Room
202 Commercial St.
Palmer, NE 68864

Attendance Taken at 7:00 PM.

Brian Friedrichsen: Present
Daniel Hake: Present
Brett Santin: Present
Heather Shotkoski: Present
Todd Weller: Present
Kathy Wolfe: Present

1. Call to Order

Motion to call meeting to order passed with a motion by Todd Weller and a second by Brett Santin.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

1.1. Declaration of Legal Meeting

1.2. Open meetings law is posted in Board Room

1.3. Notice of Public Meeting, Posted

Meeting notice published in the Palmer Journal 3/4/21.

1.4. Act on Absent Members (if any)

2. Welcome Visitors and Guests

Adreya S. - cheer team participated in state again, five cheerleaders on squad. Girls are looking forward to next year, 13 trying out.

Foreign exchange student Benedetta S. gave updates on living here. She is enjoying her experience and living with Adreya. Big difference here is she can't drive but Adreya is teaching her.

Kayla Dobson - device rotation proposal - rule of thumb to purchase computers every 5 years recommended by ESU 7, recently purchased 35 iPads for the next year due to kindergarten class being bigger.

PEA - Becky Meyer - annual Title 1 night and Book Fair were held on the same night this year and had an amazing turnout. NHS students helped out with this.

Brad Dirksen from NDE - Approval, Accreditation, and Accountability Rule Development.

3. Consent Agenda

Motion to approve consent agenda items passed with a motion by Daniel Hake and a second by Brett Santin.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

3.1. Approval of Agenda

3.2. Treasurer's Report

3.3. Minutes of previous board meeting(s) (corrections to minutes as presented)

3.4. Accept certified staff resignation(s)

3.5. Accept/approve NDE Digital Profile Report

3.6. Act on option enrollment request(s)

4. Claims

4.1. General Fund

Motion to approve the claims passed with a motion by Brian Friedrichsen and a second by Heather Shotkoski.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

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Vendor Name	Amount
Checking Account ID 01	
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	1,103.53
BENNETT, JUDY	24.08
BLACK HILLS ENERGY	5,784.74
BOMGAARS	82.98
CENTRAL NEBRASKA REHABILITATION SERVICES	1,495.60
CHARTWELLS DINING SERVICES	139.50
CHVALA, JIM	99.99
CLEARFLY	342.98
COLLABORATIVE SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM	467.43
CULLIGAN	96.30
EAKES OFFICE SOLUTIONS	610.78
ESU 7 SPED	3,556.94
ESU 7	8.66
ESU7 NETWORK OPERATIONS SUPPORT	772.47
FELLERS, VICKI	21.50
FES	1,300.00
FIBER PLATFORM, LLC	880.58
GENERAL FUND CLEARING ACCOUNT	20.00
GLAUSE, NATHAN	32.19
GRAND ISLAND INDEPENDENT, THE	568.00
HEARTLAND DISPOSAL R/O	200.00
HOWARD COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER	4,062.50
IRON MOUNTAIN	194.54

ISLAND SUPPLY WELDING CO	17.92
KUNZE'S REPAIR	1,382.83
KUNZE, KELLY	65.92
MCILNAY & CO	2,213.46
MEYER, BECKY	45.62
MIDWEST ALARM SERVICES	80.00
MORRIS, GREG	72.64
NEBRAKSA STATE FIRE MARSHAL AGENCY	216.00
OFFICENET INC	859.27
ONE SOURCE	15.00
PALMER JOURNAL	242.84
PALMER PUBLIC SCHOOL	125.00
PALMER SERVICE CENTER	2,408.82
PRESTO-X COMPANY	175.50
REED'S DO IT BEST	195.57
SOUTHERN PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT	5,771.71
SYNCB/AMAZON	84.91
TROTTER'S WHOA & GO	1,490.38
UNION BANK & TRUST	20.00
VILLAGE OF PALMER	456.26
Fund Number 01	37,804.94

Checking Account ID 01 37,804.94

4.2. Other Funds

Motion to approve Special Building Fund claims passed with a motion by Daniel Hake and a second by Brian Friedrichsen.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

BOK Financial \$2,183

4.3. Board Member Claim (if any)

5. Reports

5.1. Property Tax Report

5.2. Principals' Reports

Mr. Morris - MAP testing, teacher meetings, Spring sports numbers are the same as last year, congratulations Quiz Bowl Team, Wrestling Team, FFA students qualifying for State FFA.

Mrs. Loeffelbein - MAP testing, End of year trips for High Ability Learners, Kindergarten/PK roundups will be happening in couple weeks.

5.3. Superintendent's Report

Dr. Bohlken - External safety review; Emergency Operations Planning training; Enrollment projections/personnel needs for next year; Annual review of required courses of study;

Legislative Bills; Reading goal for NDE Frameworks cycle; ESSER I and II allocations; upcoming events; Endowment Pancake Feed with All School Play; Budget report.

6. Special Recognition

Motion to recognize students passed with a motion by Brian Friedrichsen and a second by Heather Shotkoski.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

District Champions:

Brayden Weller-TIG Welding

Grant Nielson-Farm Management

Connor Bader-Agricultural Mechanics

Farm Management Team-Grant Nielson, Gwyn Brown, Chet Wichmann, Kynzi Muller

Qualifying for State FFA Contest:

1st place-Farm Management Team-Grant Nielson, Gwyn Brown, Chet Wichmann, Kynzi Muller

4th place- Floriculture Team 1-Jacie Rice, Jenna Umstead, Morgan Earl, and Justiss Hinkle

3rd place- Livestock Management Team 1-Jacie Rice, Kynzi Muller, Chet Wichmann, Emily Samuelson, Morgan Earl

5th place-Nursery and Landscape Team-Lucie Lautenschlager, Morgan McClellan, Chloe Scheer, Kassidy Shuda

2nd place-Agronomy Team-Grant Nielson, Caleb Eilers, Hannah Siwinski, and Johnny Ruvalcaba

Class D All-State Honor Band

13 high school band students selected - Faith Blauhorn, Keatan Haack, Alyssa Bucknell, Justiss Hinkel, Alyson Glause, Joslynn Donahey, Clara Kunze, Gwyn Brown, Kenna Schrock, Caleb Eilers, Blaze Blauhorn, Savannah Glause, and Chloe Scheer.

Wrestling Team - 2nd in State

Ruger Reimers, Gunner Reimers, Chet Wichmann

Quiz Bowl Team - JH and HS Teams 3rd in Conference

NHS Inductees - Gwyneth Brown, Mahkenna Schrock, Morgan Earl, Grant Nielson, Clara Kunze, Joslynn Donahey, Jonathan Ruvalcaba, Emma Eilers, Emily Eilers, Kylie Shuda

7. Public Input and Communication

Alexa Thiel addressed the board regarding ineffectiveness of CDC mandates.

8. Items of Business

8.1. Adopt school calendar for the ensuing year

Motion to pass 2021-22 school year calendar passed with a motion by Todd Weller and a second by Brian Friedrichsen.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.2. Program/Grade Capacity Resolution for the ensuing year

Motion to approve Program/Grade Capacity Resolution passed with a motion by Brian Friedrichsen and a second by Daniel Hake.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.3. Consider, discuss, take necessary action to review/revise Policies 611.03, 611.04, 611.05, 611.06, 611.07, 611.09 (205.03)

Motion to approve the reviewed policies passed with a motion by Heather Shotkoski and a second by Brian Friedrichsen.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

9. Pending or Future Agenda Items

9.1. Report on Teacher contracts signed/returned

9.2. Report of seniors progression towards graduation

9.3. Offer classified employees' contracts

9.4. NWEA-MAP assessment report

10. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn passed with a motion by Todd Weller and a second by Brian Friedrichsen.

Brian Friedrichsen: Yea, Daniel Hake: Yea, Brett Santin: Yea, Heather Shotkoski: Yea, Todd Weller: Yea, Kathy Wolfe: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Board President

Board Secretary