

UNITED PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 07
Regular Board Meeting
April 12, 2023

Members present Brenda Buri, Josh Sundsbak, Chad Brown, Jayme Burkhart, and Amy Ralph. Also present were Superintendent Christopher Bachmeier, Business Manager Jody Askvig, Elementary Principal Kayla Andersen, Dean-of-students/AD Scott Medalen, and Michelle Berg.

President Buri called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Brown and seconded by Sundsbak to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Brown and seconded by Burkhart to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Burkhart and seconded by Sundsbak to accept the Activity report as of 3-31-23 as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sundsbak and seconded by Brown to accept the financial reports for the General fund, the Building fund, and the Hot Lunch fund as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sundsbak and seconded by Burkhart to approve paying bills as follows: GF EOM-March numbered 39697-39710, totaling \$22,960.78, GF bills numbered 38711-39764, totaling \$69,672.41, Activity bills numbered 29359-29440, totaling \$124,315.62, and Hot Lunch bills numbered 9901-9919, totaling \$35,264.95 and HL ach bills numbered 1257-1261, totaling \$14,253.89 as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sundsbak and seconded by Burkhart to accept the resignation of Lorna Lautenschlager, effective May 18, 2023. The board wishes her well and thanks her for her years of service. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Burkhart and seconded by Sundsbak to approve hiring Anthony Schreier as the elementary Music Teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. Motion carried.

Principal report: Kayla Andersen: Elementary has started state testing and hosted Schoolwide Title meeting on March 28th. On March 30th there was a 1st and 2nd grade music concert. Glenburn has been visiting the elementary school to observe the Title program and our interventionist. Star Laker for the month of March was Accountability. Looking at the end of July and beginning of August for summer school. Schoolwide track and field day will be on May 15th in Des Lacs. Scott Medalen: On March 13th Mr. Kuhnenn took a group of students to MSU for the Science Olympiad. Tim Smith has been running Hunters Safety at the elementary school. Mr. Hennessy took a small group of juniors and seniors to South Prairie for the Academic Olympics. NHS had a blood drive on March 24th. Prom was March 25th and March 29th the sophomores started state testing. Update on winter and spring sports.

Superintendent report: Updates on enrollment figures and legislative news. Need to look at prom for next year and discussion on after prom party and some parent involvement. Staffing needs for next year: B. Bachmeier will move to 6th grade, N. Opland will add some art classes, S. Drovdal will move to Title I, and S. Bosch will be the Interventionist. HS registration is done for the 2023-2024 school year. Graduation will be Sunday, May 21st at 2:00 with Brenda, Chad and Amy handing out diplomas.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, May 10, 2023, 7:00 p.m. in Des Lacs.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

Jody Askvig, Business Manager

Brenda Buri, Board President