

BOARD HAPPENINGS

February 6, 13, and 20, 2018

REGULAR MEETING — FEBRUARY 6th

Approved at this meeting: Application and Receipt of Funds from Schwab Foundation for **East Allen University/Vincennes** and **Paul Harding Junior High School**; Quotes - Demolition of Properties (Neuhooser); and Contract with Gwen Kelley. Information Items included the: Energy Management Report; 2017 Year End Report; Secondary Course Catalog Revisions for 2018-19SY; and Revised Administrative Guideline 4105.

WORK SESSION — FEBRUARY 13th

This meeting was held at 6:00 p.m. at **New Haven Intermediate School** in their gymnasium.

Planning for EACS' Vocational Programming

- ◆ Director of Facilities **Doug Roemer** led everyone on a tour of the **New Haven Intermediate School** building.
- ◆ The job description for the Director/Manager of the Vocational Center is currently a draft working document, but it is near finalization. Consensus is to have the job description done and the position posted by April 20th.
- ◆ Marketing and advertising of the Vocational Center was discussed, as was the funding of the Vocational Center, as well as the construction, including possible funders (i.e. Universities, Business Partners, EACS, grants, etc.).
- ◆ An Architectural and Engineering firm will be hired as soon as possible to do a feasibility study of this building. **Kirby Stahly**, Asst. Supt. of Administrative Services, will begin getting quotes by the March 20th board meeting.
- ◆ Transportation of students to the Vocational Center was discussed. The district will transport students from their home schools.
- ◆ The next Work Session to discuss Vocational programming will be held on Tuesday, March 27. Prior to that meeting, EACS 7th and 8th graders will be surveyed to help determine programming.

Update on Outside Facility Project(s)

- ◆ Formal drawings, from ERI, of each high school's track and football field were reviewed by the Board. A very preliminary budget, without any negotiated costs at this point in time, for the fields was distributed and reviewed. There was brief discussion on whether or not padding will be used.

REGULAR MEETING — FEBRUARY 20th

- ◆ This meeting was held at **Woodlan Jr./Sr. High School** in their junior high gymnasium at 11:30 a.m.
- ◆ Approved at this meeting: Revised Board Policy 1009 – Nondiscrimination; 2019 Budget Schedule; 457(b) Plan Restatement; and 2018 Bus Replacement Bid. Information Items: Graduation Rates; 2018 Indiana Youth Survey; Revised Administrative Guidelines 4121 and 5111.1.

PERSONNEL

~ Welcome New Hires ~

- Wynona Banks, TAS, PCA
- Kyle Bricker, custodian, HEHS
- Chantelle Giant, food service, NHPS
- Amy Jordan, greeter, CEEL
- Brent Koehlinger, bus driver
- Dan Myers, bus monitor
- Dawn Ponsot, TAS, SOEL
- Brandi Prather-Leming, teacher, HEEL
- Tonya Walter, TAS, PCA
- Emma Zelik, SLP, CEEL/LEHS

~ Resignations ~

- Kimberly Bixler, food service, NHHS, eff. 2/16/18
- Cynthia Brooks, health care aide, WOHS, eff. 2/8/18
- Paige Conroy, bus monitor, eff. 2/23/18
- Janet Lange, food service, CEEL, eff. 2/20/18
- Allisa Lefflers, paraprofessional, ECP, eff. 3/29/18
- Brandon Pease, paraprofessional, SOEL, eff. 2/23/18
- Jennifer Snyder, Manager of Special Services, eff. 2/28/18
- Elena Toban De Hazen, food service, SOEL, eff. 2/2/18
- Bartina Wortham, bus driver, eff. 2/5/18

~ Retirements ~

- Kevin Jehl, teacher, EAU, eff. 5/22/18
- Carol Smith, Food Service Specialist, eff. 12/31/18

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RECOGNITIONS

Our Fall Academic All-State student athletes were recently recognized for both their academic and athletic excellence by the Indiana High School Athletic Association (IHSAA). They include:

<u>Heritage High School</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Leo High School</u>	<u>GPA</u>	<u>Woodlan High School</u>	<u>GPA</u>
Grace Castleman – Volleyball	(4.26)	Evan Roth - Tennis	(4.17)	Veronica Hathaway – Soccer	(3.9)
Jerome Lechleitner – Soccer	(4.35)	Will Lengacher - Soccer	(4.05)	Samantha Fisher – Soccer	(3.9)
Connor Simmons – Soccer	(3.91)	Tommy West - Soccer	(4.0)	Kayla Reidenbach – Soccer	(3.9)
Kyle Dalman - Soccer	(3.82)	Dayne Ousley - Soccer	(4.03)	Luke Crilly – Football	(4.0)
Kaleb Feipel – Soccer	(4.28)	Alex Bond - Soccer	(4.10)	Justin Durkes - Football	(3.8)
Emmett Niemeyer – Soccer	(4.32)	Lexi Baron – Soccer	(3.78)	Aaron Hahn - Football	(4.2)
William Oberley - Soccer	(4.33)	Ben VonGunten – Football	(3.95)	Jackson Rhoades - Football	(4.1)
Garrett Turnet – Soccer	(4.25)	Jacob VanLue – Football	(3.48)	Principal: Ron Kammeyer	
Sarah Strahm - Soccer	(4.23)	Troy Keller - Football	(3.66)	Athletic Director: Dave Boyce	
Alexis Miller - Soccer	(3.93)	Principal: Dr. Neal Brown			
Zone C Mu – Soccer	(3.74)	Athletic Director: Brock Rohrbacher		<u>New Haven High School</u>	<u>GPA</u>
Laura Franz – Soccer	(3.96)			Chloe Bremer - Volleyball	(4.3)
Elizabeth Zelt – Soccer	(3.61)			Austin Myers - Football	(3.6)
Principal: Dr. Matt Widenhoeffler				Luke Watson - Football	(3.6)
Athletic Director: Tim Burton				Jaxson Savieo – Football	(4.0)
				Principal: Anna Murphy	
				Athletic Director: Andy Wagner	



Woodlan High School junior, Thomas Bemus, recently won the Allen County Library Poetry Contest (for the 11th grade level) with his poem entitled, "Poetry Class".

The Woodlan High School football team was recognized for having an exceptional year, finishing their season as the state runner ups. They ended their season with a 12-3 record. Senior team captains Justin Durkes and Jack Rhoades were on hand to represent the team, and they were recognized for their individual records they set. Many offensive team records as well as individual awards were set this season. Senior team captains Amarion Hicks and Donald Guerrant, who were not present, were also recognized for the individual records they set.

