

Junior/High School Report

Mr. Philip French reported that he received a lot of positive comments from the public during the Holiday Concert and he thanked Mr. Gruber and Miss Schubert for a job well done. He told the Board on the upcoming events for the month of January and February.

Superintendent Schedule

Mr. Crump announced that he will be attending the speech and drama state meet in Ennis.

ACTION ITEMS

Senior Class Trip Request

The senior class presented a power point and shared their ideas to the Board on why they choose to go to an amusement park which is 380 miles away from Shelby. They explained that the senior class is very diverse so they want to go to a place where there are so many activities that they can choose from and also explained that they worked so hard to earn enough money to go on this trip. Mr. Crump recommended that the students shall not miss more than one day of school and he said that there will be guidelines to be followed which will be created by the Administration.

A motion was made to approve the senior class trip request with additional stipulation.

Motion: Anna Fretheim

Second: Elda Nichols- passed unanimously.

MHSA Proposals

Athletic Director Mike White presented to the Board the proposals which will be discussed during the MHSA 2016 annual meeting.

The Board agreed to the following proposals:

1. Proposal to amend eight grade participation

Motion: Dan Leck

Second: Jay Hould- passed unanimously.

2. Proposal to amend wrestling weigh-in procedures

Motion: Anna Fretheim

Second: Richard Jorata- passed unanimously.

Retirement

The Board accept the resignation letter from Donna Sparks. The district thanked her for dedication and years of service.

A motion was made to accept the resignation of Donna Sparks.

Motion: Dan Leck

Second: Jay Hould- passed unanimously.

Recommended Hires

Mr. Crump made recommendations the hire the following:

Paraprofessionals-

Elementary- Debra Jordan

Motion: Anna Fretheim

Second: Elda Nichols- passed unanimously.

Junior High and High School- LaRee Eldridge

Motion: Richard Jorata

Second: Anna Fretheim- passed unanimously.

Junior High and High School- Brennan Hayes

Motion: Dan Leck

Second: Elda Nichols- passed unanimously.

Kitchen Staff- Casey Clark

Motion: Elda Nichols

Second: Anna Fretheim- passed unanimously.

Coaches-

Softball Assistant Coach- Ryan Larson

Motion: Richard Jorata

Second: Dan Leck- passed unanimously.

6th Grade Volleyball Coach- Jessica Brusven

Motion: Anna Fretheim

Second: Elda Nichols- passed unanimously.

Golf Transportation

This item was tabled until the February meeting for further discussions and Mr. Crump said he will invite Travis Clark to attend the next board meeting to answer a few questions about the proposed change.

Junior High Cross Country

A motion was made for the extension of the cross country program to include junior high students.

Motion: Anna Fretheim

Second: Elda Nichols- passed unanimously.

New Course Offering

Mr. Crump made a recommendation to the Board to approve a new course offering for the second semester of this year. The new course is US Foreign Interventions: 1945 to Present, which will be open to 9-12 grades and will be recognized as an elective social studies course. Mr. Rob Lee will be teaching the new class.

Motion: Jay Hould

Second: Richard Jorata- passed unanimously.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Superintendent Evaluation Forms

The evaluation is set on January 18, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Correspondence

SEA request to open negotiations on Tuesday, January 19, 2016.

NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD

Regular Meeting, Tuesday, February 9, 2016, 7:00 p.m.

Board Room, District Administration Office, 1010 Oilfield Avenue, Shelby, Montana

ADJOURNMENT

Vice-Chairperson Rikki James adjourned the meeting at 8:38 p.m.

BUSINESS MANAGER/CLERK

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD