

explained to the Board his methods on how to teach kids according to their specific needs and abilities. He said that one of his goals is to put younger kids to inclusion.

Carol Perisho is the new guidance counselor for the junior high and high school students. She explained to the Board on the duties and responsibilities of the guidance counselor. She said that it is important that students can determine and achieve their post-high school goals and their post-graduation plans. She added that since she is from out of town, she does not know most of the students in our district and she is working really hard on making connections with them.

Elementary Report

Elementary Principal Erica Allen presented her monthly report to the Board. She told the Board that during the parent/teacher conference, 86% of students had at least one parent that attended.

Junior High/High School Report

Junior High/High School Principal Philip French read his written report to the Board. He also told the Board that the parent/teacher conference was well attended.

Superintendent Schedule

Mr. Crump informed the Board that he will be interviewing applicants for the payroll clerk. He also informed the Board that he will be taking a Christmas vacation starting on December 23rd and will be back on January 3rd, 2017.

ACTION ITEMS

Hiring

Mr. Crump made recommendations to approve the hiring of the following personnel:

Head Coach High School Track- Bill Hansell

Assistant Coaches High School Track- Paul Ekness, Eric Tokerud and Sarah Lubke

Head Coach High School Golf- Travis Clark

Assistant Coach High School Golf- Tom Reynolds

Assistant Coach High School Wrestling- TJ Wanken

Motion: Krista Mellinger

Second: Anna Fretheim- passed unanimously.

Junior High Volleyball Coach- Bridget Blevins

Motion: Dan Leck

Second: Rikki James- passed unanimously.

SEA CBA

Negotiation with the teachers is not finalized.

Principal Contract

Negotiation with the principal is not finalized.

Student Account Creation

Mr. Crump made a recommendation to create a Nutrition Class Account in Student Accounts.

Motion: Rikki James

Second: Krista Mellinger- passed unanimously.

Board Policy First Reading/Revisions

A motion was made to approve the first reading/revisions on the following board policies:

Policy # 8205- Meal Charge

Policy # 8210- Procurement for School Food Purchases

Policy # 2510- School Wellness

Motion: Rikki James

Second: Dan Leck- passed unanimously.

Transportation/Student Attendance Agreements

A motion was made to approve additional transportation and school attendance agreements as presented.

Transportation Agreement- 1

Motion: Rikki James

Second: Anna Fretheim- passed unanimously.

Student Attendance Agreements- 2

Motion: Rikki James

Second: Krista Mellinger- passed unanimously.

Discussion Items

Review Walk Through

Mr. Crump read through the list of projects needed to be done at the schools which will be put on hold since the district tax revenue is short due to protested taxes.

Facebook Page Creation Update

Mr. Crump told the Board that he is getting some advise from facebook users and he will accept more input from different people. He added that information is getting out quickly and efficiently.

Junior High Comet Name

Discussion on reasons for keeping or eliminating the Comet name continued. The Board wanted to hear from the elementary kids so there will be more discussion about this on the next board meeting.

Correspondence

A thank you card was received by the Board from the Shelby High School Athletics thanking them for the concession coverage during the Coyote Classic Basketball Tournament. Another thank you card was received from the Speech and Drama team, thanking the Board and the Administration for their continuing support and help during the meet.

NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD

Regular Meeting, Tuesday, January 10, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

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

ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Brian Aklestad adjourned the meeting at 9:37 p.m.

BUSINESS MANAGER/CLERK

VICE-CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD