

Hartford Public Schools
Board of Education Work Study
Thursday, January 9, 2014, 7:00 p.m.
Central Administration Office – Board Room
Hartford, MI 49057

The Board of Education meeting was called to order by President Chambers at 7:01 p.m.

Members present: Banic, Chambers, Johnson, Meachum, Najacht, Summerhill
Member absent: Kuehnle
Others present: Superintendent Andy Hubbard, Mike Hallgren, Fendon Dankert, Dave Janicki, Joel Messenger, Ed Dickenson, Cheryl Boothby, Brad Geesaman, Dan Kyle

Gregg Jessup, Nancy Larsson, Laura Bloom, Kenny Kent, Kim deBoom, Jen Stubbs, Rob Sheffey, HS students, A. Lersten , Jon Bisnett

Discussion Topics were as followed:

The Board introduced Sarah Hall as the new student representative to the Board of Education.

Representatives from Kingscott and Miller Davis gave a presentation on Bond Process Scheduling, their presentation is attached.

Brad Geesaman, Woodside Principal and Ed Dickenson, Red Arrow Principal both gave presentations on the Behavioral Interventionist at their buildings, their presentations are attached.

Kim deBoom and Rob Sheffey gave updates on their positions as the new Instructional Technologist. Their presentations are attached.

Jennifer Stubbs gave a presentation on her position as the new Literacy Coach, her presentation is attached.

The building principals, Dave Janicki, Joel Messenger, Brad Geesaman, Ed Dickenson gave enrollment updates on their buildings, those presentations are attached.

The Board of Education committees have been updated and are attached.

The Board Code of Ethics has been finalized and will be signed at the January 30, 2014 meeting.

The Board discussed the legal update on the policy change for the Open Carry Law, there is a copy attached from the VBISD.

Holly Summerhill, high school student invited the Board to her Autism Awareness event being held on January 22, 2014 at the VBISD.

Board Members Reports:

President Chambers complimented the Administration and Custodial staff for their hard work and effort to maintain the school and grounds during the Blizzard conditions.

President Chambers commended Jon Bisnett for the Facebook page, he is doing a great job keeping the site updated and accurate.

Superintendent Hubbard reported on the following:

- January 17, 2014 the on-site monitor will be at the Middle School to following up on the process that had been started when Delane Overton was principal.
- The Instant Alert system has been set up and the Board and school staff has been tested, next step is testing the parents.
- January 14, 2014 meeting with NEOLA to discuss what they offer as far as board updates and law changes.
- The next meeting will be changed from January 23 to January 30, 2014.

Motion by Meachum seconded by Najacht to adjourn the regular board meeting.
Motion carried 6-0.

Meeting adjourned at 8:54p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Meachum
Secretary