

**Board of Education
Yadkin County Schools
Yadkinville, NC**

A regular meeting of the Yadkin County Board of Education was held on Monday, July 6, 2015 at 6:00p.m. at the Board of Education.

Present: Howard McKnight, Jennifer Hemric, Joe Dezern, Sam Crews, Tim Weatherman, Rex Baity, Lynn Allred

Administrative: Dr. Martin, Myra Cox, Denise Bullin, Chris Fowler, Kathy Hughes, Jill Logan, Rickey Oakes

Student Reps: N/A

Staff Members: Tammy Miller, Suzie Thomasson, Julia Hare

Visitors: Hope Hardy, Bonnie Laskey, Richard Laskey

#15-075
Closed Session: On motion by Weatherman, seconded by Crews, the Board entered closed session at 6:05p.m. for reasons 1-9.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-076
Recess Closed
Session: On motion by Baity, seconded by Crews, the Board recessed closed session to return to open session at 6:50p.m.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-077
Approval of
Agenda: On motion by Baity, seconded by Hemric, the Board approved the July 6, 2015 Board of Education meeting agenda.

Yes: All members voted yes.

Pledge of
Allegiance: Tim Weatherman led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Invocation: Lynn Allred gave the invocation.

Presentation: Bonnie Laskey and Hope Hardy from the Yadkin County Community Foundation presented Suzie Thomasson, Starmount High School, with a \$900.00 grant and thanked her for her hard work with the students.

#15-078
Approval of
Minutes: On motion by Allred, seconded by Crews, the Board approved the June 1, 2015 meeting minutes of the Board of Education.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-079
Approval of
Minutes:

On motion by Hemric, seconded by Weatherman, the Board approved the June 18, 2015 meeting minutes of the Board of Education.

Yes:

All members voted yes.

#15-080
Consent Agenda:

On a motion by Baity, seconded by Dezern, the Board approved the consent agenda items listed below:

- Personnel – New Employees

Boonville Elementary School

Candidate's Name – Hannah Brown
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – K-6
Assignment – K-6 Teacher
Experience – 0 Years
Salary – \$3,500.00
Salary Source – Federal
New Position – N – replacing Miranda Lowder

Fall Creek Elementary School

Candidate's Name – Jessica Baity
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – K-6
Assignment – K-6 Teacher
Experience – 0 Years
Salary – \$3,500.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – Y

Forbush Middle School

Candidate's Name – Kim Brockwell
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – EC General Curriculum
Assignment – EC Teacher
Experience – 20 Years
Salary – \$4,650.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Judy Wilburn

Candidate's Name – Amie Rose
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – Social Worker
Assignment – Social Worker
Experience – 10 Years
Salary – \$4,000.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Barbara Moore

Jonesville Elementary School

Candidate's Name – Peyton Allen
College/Degree – Masters
Certification – K-6
Assignment – K-6 Teacher
Experience – 9 Years
Salary – \$4,453.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Lisa Wood

Starmount High School

Candidate's Name – Carla Cave
College/Degree – Bachelor's (Plant & Soil Science)
Certification – Agriculture Science
Assignment – Agricultural Teacher
Experience – 0 Years
Salary – \$3,500.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Rick Seipel

Candidate's Name – Ian Patterson
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – 9-12 Social Studies
Assignment – Social Studies Teacher
Experience – 0 Years
Salary – \$3,500.00
Salary Source – Federal
New Position – N – replacing Caleb Pardue

West Yadkin Elementary School

Candidate's Name – Justi Cernak
College/Degree – Masters
Certification – EC Hearing Impaired
Assignment – EC Teacher & Hearing Impaired Teacher
Experience – 12 Years
Salary – \$4,400.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Heather Emory Coleman

West Yadkin Elementary/Courtney Elementary

Candidate's Name – Brandy Doub
College/Degree – Bachelor's
Certification – K-12 Art
Assignment – Art Teacher (Itinerant)
Experience – 8 Years
Salary – \$3,650.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Stacey Griswell

Yadkinville Elementary School/Forbush Elementary School

Candidate's Name – Donna Williams
College/Degree – Masters
Certification – K-12 Art
Assignment – Art Teacher (Itinerant)
Experience – 18 Years
Salary – \$4,785.00
Salary Source – State
New Position – N – replacing Leah Ireland

Coaches

Starmount High School

Michael Vanhoy
Adrian Dezern
Jose Adame
Markus Gonzales
Cody Cook

Starmount Middle School

Chris Caudle

- Budget Amendments #74-95
- FHS Field Trip – Stone Mountain, NC
- Title I Application

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-081
School
Fundraising: On motion by Hemric, seconded by Crews, the Board approved the fundraising activities for West Yadkin Elementary School.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-082
Policy Revisions: On motion by Dezern, seconded by Hemric, the Board approved the following policies as presented:

Policy 1610/7800 Professional and Staff Development
Policy 1750/7220 Grievance Procedure for Employees
Policy 2110 Board Member Elections
Policy 2321 Closed Sessions
Policy 2610 Board Attorney
Policy 3220 Technology in the Educational Program
Policy 3431 Conflict Resolution
Policy 3450 Class Rankings
Policy 3470/4305 Alternative Learning Programs/Schools
Policy 3620 Extracurricular Activities and Student Organizations
Policy 4152 Unsafe School Choice Transfer
Policy 5022 Registered Sex Offenders
Policy 5024/6127/7266 Emergency Epinephrine Auto-Injector Devices
Policy 6230 School Meal and Competitive Foods Standards
Policy 6410 Organization of the Purchasing Function

Policy 7810 Evaluation of Licensed Employees
Policy 8510 School Finance Officer

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-083
SHS Assistant
Principal: On motion by Hemric, seconded by Dezern, the Board approved Chris Petree as the assistant principal for Starmount High School.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-084
FMS Assistant
Principal: On motion by Allred, seconded by Hemric, the Board approved Denny Key as the assistant principal for Forbush Middle School.

Yes: All members voted yes.

#15-085
Non-Career
Contracts: On motion by Allred, seconded by Crews, the Board approved the Non-Career Contracts as presented.

Yes: All members voted yes.

Information Items:

1. Administration has received the following resignations:

Nathaniel Wasson – Math Teacher at Starmount High School resigning effective June 8, 2015.

Miranda Lowder – Teacher at Boonville Elementary School resigning effective June 8, 2015.

Allison Hughes – Teacher at West Yadkin Elementary School resigning effective June 8, 2015.

2. The following employees have been transferred:

N/A

3. The following employees have been granted a leave of absence:

Daphne Jensen – Agriculture Teacher at Forbush High School – Maternity Leave beginning July 30, 2015.

4. The Board reviewed Student Releases.

5. The Board reviewed Contracts/Purchases.

6. The Board reviewed out-of-county students. Dr. Martin will bring a recommendation to the August Board meeting allow acceptance of out-of-county students.

7. The Board reviewed Policy 4110 Immunization and Health Requirements for School Admission.
8. The Board reviewed the schedule of activities for July. Dr. Martin invited the Board to attend the legislative update session on July 30 at 11:00a.m. during summer leadership.

Comments

Dr. Martin stated that it seems like we are just as busy this summer as we were when students were in session. He stated that we have had some changes with administrators and that he was excited about the future and hopes these individuals will bring fresh ideas to our schools. In addition, he stated he was excited to have Jill Logan join the central office and that she will bring a great wealth of knowledge to the table. He also thanked the members of the Board for meeting tonight after the July 4th holiday.

Joe Dezern stated he would like to share a success story for Yadkin County Schools. He stated that a former student from Starmount High School, Dillon Dobson, was a junior at ASU this year and was on the Baseball team. He stated that Dillon has excelled greatly in baseball and was drafted and has signed with the San Francisco Giants. He stated that not only is Dillon a great baseball player, but a great student as well. He stated that his son recently spoke to one of Dillon's ASU teammates and they complimented Dillon not only for his baseball abilities, but most importantly commented that he was a great leader and an example for what a college student should be.

Sam Crews stated he would like to echo what Dr. Martin stated. He also stated that he is happy that Mrs. Logan will be in the position she is in, and he also thinks the administrative moves have all been well received and were good decisions. In addition, he stated that he was thankful that we live in a county that the community, teachers and Board work together to make things better for students.

Jennifer Hemric stated she was thankful to have Jill Logan at the central office as this position will be a big use of her skill set and a blessing to our schools. He also congratulated Chris Petree and Denny Key for being named assistant principals. In addition, she stated she hoped everyone would continue enjoying summer.

Tim Weatherman thanked Jill Logan for taking on a new role and stated he knew she would do a fine job. He also stated that he would like to echo Joe Dezern's comments concerning Dillon. In addition, he stated he was ending his first year on the Board and that it had been fantastic.

Lynn Allred thanked the other Board members and stated he is proud to serve on this Board and that the relationship between us is one to be commended. He congratulated Chris Petree and Denny Key and stated he knew they would do a great job. He also stated he would like for us to help those with new administrative duties.

Rex Baity congratulated Suzie Thomasson and Starmount High School for the grant they received. He also stated he hoped everyone has a good rest of the summer.

