CLINTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS - BOARD OF EDUCATION "BRIEFS"

Meeting Date: August 21, 2017

Members Present: Erickson, Harris, VanTuyle, Wingerd

Members Absent: Clegg, Schmidt, Ward

Call to Order
Immediately following the call to order the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by the Board stating the Mission/Vision/Beliefs.

Consent Docket
All previous minutes and the monthly financial reports were approved.

Honorary Diploma Presentation
Mr. Cook was not in attendance, so his honorary diploma will be mailed to him.

Staff Member of the Month
Although not in attendance, Laura Krzyzaniak, middle school teacher, was recognized as Employees of the Month.

New Staff
New Staff hired/introduced: Taylor Racine, Special Education teacher; Alexander Regnier, MS Social Studies teacher; Laura Roumell, PESG Preschool GSRP teacher; Sarah Lighthall, PESG Preschool Aide; Glenn Law, Young Fives teacher; Scott McGaw, HS Math teacher; Shanteil Chimner, Aramark Food Service; Shawna Costella, Armark Food Service; Aubrey Selaty, Band Director; Melissa Loftis, Elementary teacher.

Teacher Presentation
Jeff Delezenne, HS Social Studies teacher, shared information on his recent trips to Japan, New York and Virginia.

Ron Schaffner, HS Science teacher, also shared information on the lightweighting workshop he attended at Washtenaw Community College through Square One.

Summer Projects
Mike Heinz gave status reports on the many summer projects at the Preschool, Middle School, district parking lots, gym floors and the soccer field.

Strategic Planning Update
Mr. Cracraft highlighted summer school activities thanks to the efforts of Katie Richardson; a district-wide book study this year; marketing efforts; and apple training.

Board Committee Reports
Finance – There was no report.

Policy/Bylaws – There was no report.

LCASB – There was no report.

Ad Hoc Superintendent Evaluation – The evaluation process continues.

Ad Hoc Student Town Hall Meeting – There was no report.

Public Comment
Melissa Morgan thanked Mr. Beazley and Mr. Cracraft on behalf of Band Boosters.

Mike Walters thanked Mr. Beazley for athletic events on google calendar.

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Patricia Myles introduced herself as a member of the Chippewa tribe and stated she will be attending meetings to encourage the removal of the Redskin logo.

CEA Letter of Agreement
A Letter of Agreement has been adopted by the CEA that allows for a JV/Varsity Games Coordinator on Appendix II of the contract (similar to the MS games manager position). Mr. Cracraft said this is only for the 2017-2018 school year.

Fall Coaching Assignments
Coaching assignments were approved as:

Football:
Scott McNitt, Head Coach
Jeremy Fielder, Assistant
John Schuler, Assistant Joe
Gillies, JV**
Kenny Roberts, JV**
George Ames, MS (8th Grade)* ** Tim
Baker, MS (7th Grade) * **

Cross Country:
Kurt Hillegonds, Head Coach
Jeff Delezenne, Assistant (MS)

Boys Soccer:
Marla Erickson, Head Coach
Kara Tschirhart, Assistant * **

Sideline Cheer:
Shelby Loofborow (Volunteer)

Volleyball:
Melissa Loftis, Head Coach
Sheila Martin, JV**
Renee Gilson, 8th Grade
Ginny Krauss, 7th Grade**

Open Positions – MS Game Manager & JV/Varsity Games Coordinator.

Student Handbook
The 2017-2018 "district" student handbook was approved.

Staff Resignation
The Board formally accepted the resignation of Band Director, Bill Murray, who resigned to accept a position in another district.

Public Comment
There was no public comment.

Administrative Reports
Preschool: The Preschool open houses will be August 29th – AM classes at 6pm – 6:45pm and PM & GSRP classes at 7pm – 7:45pm.

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Elementary School: The school garden is growing. That, the Eagle Scout benches, the lending library and picnic tables are looking incredible! The elementary open houses will be August 30th – Kindergarten at 5:30pm and 1st – 5th at 6pm – 7pm.

Middle School: Open House will be August 29th at 5pm.The new HVAC is incredible!!

High School: Thanks for the maintenance staff for all their work, and Band Boosters for helping with the transition to a new Band Director. The "Student Center" is coming together. Open Houses are August 29th – 9th Grade orientation at 6pm and then open house at 7pm – 8:30pm. There will be a special education open house on Wednesday.

Superintendent: Mr. Cracraft said everything is coming together for the start of school (for teachers) next week.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.