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NEWS RELEASE

The Buckeye Central Board of Education held their organizational meeting on Thursday, January 12, 2017, at 5:30 p.m. at Buckeye Central Local School. Missy McDougal was re-elected as the President and Beth Diesh as the Vice President for 2017.

The board approved the following:

- To establish a Board of Education Service Fund
- 2017 Committees as follows:
 - Financial – rotating
 - Legislative – Aichholz
 - Student Achievement – Diesch
 - Policy – Martin and Heydinger
- 2017 Standing procedural authorizations
- 2017 Ohio School Board Association Membership
- 2017 Legal Assistance Fund Membership
- Representation of Legal Counsel as follows:
 - Scott, Scriven, and Wahoff, LLP
 - Brickler and Eckler, LLP
 - Squire, Patton, Boggs, LLP

The Buckeye Central Board of Education held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, January 12, 2017, at 5:45 p.m. at Buckeye Central Local School.

Hearing of the Public:

- No requests

Correspondence:

- None

Board Committee Reports:

- Financial – No report
- Legislative – No report
- Student Achievement – Zoe Rutlege District winner of American Legion Test. High School Semester Exams January 18, 19 and 20.
- Policy – No report

Financial Report:

- Financial reports were read and approved
- Bills approved as submitted

Executive Session:

- At 5:53 p.m. for the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of an employee or official. Adjourned at 6:18.

Superintendent's Report and Discussions:

- January is School Board Recognition Month. This year's theme is "School Boards: Leading the way for Education". Mr. Robinson recognized and thanked the Board members for their dedicated leadership and service to Buckeye Central Local Schools and youth of our fine community. The board members were introduced before the beginning of the BC vs Willard basketball game.

- Mr. Robinson noted that approval of agenda item 8.2 would authorize contract negotiations and service discussions with Janotta & Herner in regard to the construction of the auxiliary gymnasium.
- The board members and Mr. Robinson reviewed the personnel plans for 2017-2018 which includes the hiring of a technology coach, athletic director and art teacher (part-time).

Building/Departmental Reports:

- Written reports from the building principals and department supervisors were provided to the Board members. These one-page reports list and explain the many areas addressed within the building, grounds, or department during the immediate past month. This activity enables the Board members to stay up-to-date on the many happenings within the district on a regular basis.

The board approved the following Superintendent recommendations:

- 2nd reading (FINAL) to adopt/revise the following District policies:

0100 Definitions

0160 Meetings

0167.1 Use of Electronic Mail/Text Messages

0167.2 Use of Personal Communication Devices

1530 Evaluation of Principals and Other Administrators

1619 Group Health Plans (New)

1619.01 Privacy Protections of Self-Funded Group Health Plans

1619.03 Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (New)

2460 Special Education

3419 Group Health Plans (New)

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5830 Student Fund-Raising

6605 Crowdfunding

8330 Student Records

9700 Relations With Special Interest Groups

Special Release - Tech Update - Phase 1

7540 Computer Technology and Networks

7540.01 Technology Privacy

7540.02 District Web Page

Other

7450 Property Inventory

- The proposal for design-build services submitted by Janotta & Herner to be the best value and authorizing contract negotiations with that firm in connection with the construction of the auxiliary gymnasium
- The annual Membership Contribution to Crawford County Family & Children First Council (\$600)
- Family Medical Leave (FMLA) for Tabatha Lane (Intervention Specialist) beginning January 23, 2017
- Kelly McCarthy for an unpaid absence on January 17, 2017
- Resignation of Mark Sullivan (MS-Art) effective January 20, 2017
- Vicki Neidermeier as a part-time, long term substitute Art Teacher – MS (3 periods, 0.33) for second semester of the 2016-2017 school year
- Licensed/Certificated staff supplemental contracts:
 - Holly Keller – MS Honor Club (50%)
 - Chris Smith – Wrestling; MS (50%)

- Mark Robertson and Thomas Bishop as Substitute Custodians effective January 2, 2017
- Classified staff supplemental contracts:
 - Evan Buss – Boys Track; Varsity Assistant
 - Haley Carrick – MS Honor Club (50%)
 - Deven Lloyd – REVISED from Wrestling; MS (Nov 10, 2016 B.O.E. Mtg.) to Wrestling;
 - MS - Volunteer

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Items for Discussion: A Special Board Meeting was established for Wednesday, January 18, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. to allow for initial planning for the auxiliary gym. The meeting will be held in Room 106 at Buckeye Central Local School.

The Buckeye Central Board of Education will hold the next regular board meeting on Thursday, February 9, 2017 at 7:00 at Buckeye Central Local School, 938 South Kibler Street, New Washington, in the Multi-Purpose Room.

We encourage you to attend the Board of Education meetings as your calendar permits. The monthly Board of Education meetings are meetings of the Board in public for the purpose of conducting the school district's business. While not considered a public meeting, every meeting agenda provides an opportunity for public participation as established through district policy. Please contact Mark A. Robinson, Superintendent, with any questions or input. Thank you!