

Pickaway-Ross Joint Vocational School District
Board Meeting Summary

Regular Board Meeting

February 17, 2011

Opening

The Pickaway-Ross JVSD Board of Education met in Regular Session on Thursday, February 17, 2011, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Conference Room, with Byron Lloyd, presiding. The following members were present: Bob Bower, Daniel Bradhurst, Marilyn Carnes, Darrell Cottrill, Randy Drewyor, Richard Everman, Jeff Hartmus, Byron Lloyd, Steve Mullins, Todd Stevens and Byron Welch.

The Board adopted the Agenda, as presented.

The Board heard from...

...Kevin Krebs, representing the PRTA, who reported that the Association has their Focus Groups for the High Schools That Work initiative.

...Bob Armstrong, Career/Technical and Special Services Supervisor, who introduced Dr. Carnes, who gave an overview of the new Course of Study for General Merchandising and Warehousing.

...Linda Trimmer, Supervisor of Off-Campus Programs, who gave an overview of the new Health Information Management Technology program, in partnership with Berger Health Systems.

Treasurer's Report: Ben Vanhorn, Treasurer

The Board...

...approved the minutes of the January 13, 2011, Organizational Meeting, Budget Hearing, and Regular Board Meeting, as presented.

...accepted financial reports and approved payment of bills.

...approved permanent appropriations.

Superintendent's Recommendations & Reports: Dennis L. Franks, Superintendent

The Board...

...accepted resignations, for the purpose of retirement: Robert P. Armstrong, Career/Technical and Special Services Supervisor, effective at the end of the business day on June 30, 2011; Virginia Crouse, Adult Education Practical Nursing Instructor, effective June 15, 2011; Maureen Kerscher, Work & Family Life Teacher -- Evert's Middle School (Circleville), effective May 31, 2011; Beth Miller, Science Instructor, effective at the end of the 2010-2011 school year; Roger Smith, I&E/Business Supervisor, effective at the end of the business day on June 30, 2011.

...accepted resignation: Willard Miller, Adult Education Evening Coordinator, effective April 30, 2011.

...confirmed Adult Education -- Casual Part-time employment: Ruth Ann Jones, Clerical, effective January 28, 2011; Grace King, Adult Education Technician, effective January 24, 2011; Vickie Rickey, Adult Education Technician, effective February 7, 2011; Susan Schwalbauch, Adult Education Technician, effective February 7, 2011; Tammy Sutherland, Test Technician, January 21, 2011.

...confirmed Substitutes -- Certificated: Jaysa Angles, Agriculture Education (pending BCII & FBI checks), effective February 7, 2011; and Rachel Stultz, Family & Consumer Science/ Home Economics (pending BCII & FBI checks), effective January 21, 2011.

- ...approved Substitutes -- Certificated: Kim Lafreniere, Academics (pending certification and BCII & FBI checks); and Michael Leonard, Academics/General Education.
- ...approved a resolution to adopt a pilot program for wireless communication device usage, as presented.
- ...approved the new Course of Study for General Merchandising and Warehousing, as presented.
- ...presented revised Board of Education policies: 2260 -- Nondiscrimination and Access to Equal Educational Opportunity; 2260.01 -- Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Discrimination Based on Disability; 2280 -- Preschool Program; 3122/4122 -- Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity; 5517.01 -- Bullying and Other Forms of Aggressive Behavior; 8450 -- Control of Casual-Contact Communicable Diseases; and 9160 -- Public Attendance at School Events. Presented new Board of Education policies: 3430.03/4430.03 -- Call to Active Duty; 5111.01 -- Homeless Students; and 5111.02 -- Educational Opportunity for Military Children, for adoption at the March Board of Education meeting.
- ...approved the following purchases: a printer support services contract; a Teach Smart Learning System to be used in the Early Childhood Education program; and the cost of operation and development of Radiological Control Technology program as fiscal agent for Board of Regents/Ohio Skills Bank pass-through bank.
- ...accepted the following donation: one 50" television from Hopewell Culture National Park, c/o Laura Long, to be used by the Preschool in the Resource Center.

Director's Reports

Steve Winegardner, Director of Secondary Education, reviewed his monthly newsletter.

Carrie Fife, Director of Adult Education, reviewed her monthly newsletter.

Legislative Report

Steve Mullins reported that HB30 was voted out of committee and HB36 is stalled in committee.

President's Report

Discussion was held regarding the upcoming Negotiations, IBB training, and Board Member training. Board pictures will be taken prior to the March 17th Board meeting.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m.