

**REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF EDUCATION
LAKEVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS
September 20, 2011
7:30 PM**

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education, Lakeview Public Schools, St. Clair Shores, Michigan, convened at 7:30 PM at the Ian Smith, Sr., Administrative Center, 20300 Statler, Daniel Dombrowski, President, presiding.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Daniel Dombrowski, Timothy Houlihan, Michael Wenner, Philip Thomas, Jr., Donald Wheaton, Jr. (*arrived at 7:32 PM*), Michael McCain, and Carol Herbon

ADMINISTRATORS

PRESENT: Karl Paulson, Tracy VanPeeren, Tasha McIntyre, Sean Zaborowski, Chris Brown, Brent Case, David Lavender, and Sherry Michalowicz

I.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

A. Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Board President Daniel Dombrowski welcomed all to the meeting and advised the Board that there was a revised item – V. Curriculum (C.) Auto Shop Equipment, at their places.

B. Minutes of September 6, 2011, Regular Meeting

Timothy Houlihan moved, supported by Philip Thomas, to approve the September 6, 2011, Regular Meeting Minutes.

(Motion)

Motion Carried 6 – 0

C. Correspondence

None

D. Public Communication

None

E. Student Representative Report

Student Representative Hannah Sells was absent from the meeting. Principal Brent Case informed the Board that the Principals Advisory met last week and that students are currently working on Spirit Week activities. NWEA testing is taking place at the high school and Friday is the “Hats Against Hunger” fundraiser.

Mr. Thomas added that the “Hats Against Hunger” is part of the “Kids Against Hunger” Campaign that will take place on October 16th.

F. Huskies with Heart – JOOI Club

Students and parents from *Huskies with Heart*, a Lakeview High School student organization, presented their plans for building positive relationships between students, staff and the community. Students present were Bianca Kopitzke, Laura Houser, Doneisha Bright, and Casey Blashill along with parents Patti Blashill and Liz Schmitt-Matzen.

Huskies with Heart, which currently has over 60 students participating, is the first Junior Optimist Octagon International (JOII) club in the city. They welcome parents, staff, community members and businesses to join them in their upcoming projects.

Teacher Matt Barranca, Counselor Ben Morin, and Assistant Principal Heather Huber are the club's sponsors. The students have organized their first event, "Hats Against Hunger," which will be held District-wide on Friday, September 23rd.

G. December Board Meeting – MCSBA Dinner Meeting

Donald Wheaton moved, supported by Michael Wenner, to remove the December 6, 2011, Board Meeting from the 2011/12 schedule due to Lakeview Public Schools hosting the Macomb County School Boards Association Dinner Meeting.

Motion Carried 7 – 0

E. Board of Education and Administration Comments

Donald Wheaton stated that he arrived late to the meeting because he had been the announcer for the girls' swim meet. He reported that the team is undefeated as of today.

Carol Herbon reported how much she liked and appreciated the Parent Portal in Power School.

Superintendent Karl Paulson reported that the District enrollment is at 3,916 students. Currently our revenue is good, even with the \$470 per pupil reduction in student foundation allowance, because of our higher enrollment counts.

Mr. Paulson also informed the Board that he has heard from only five residents in reference to the tax levy mistake. All but one of these contacts understands what happened and that they will receive the 1 mill credit on their taxes next summer to correct the situation. The District will communicate with all residents later in September or October.

He reported that our athletic teams are doing well and that our academic intervention programs are in place.

Daniel Dombrowski shared some law enforcement education program information with Assistant Superintendent Tracy VanPeeren for further administrative review.

Mr. Paulson informed the Board that there is a local group that is sharing information about the Special Education Millage in the community. He reminded everyone that the deadline for updating voter registration is October 11, 2011 and election day is November 8th.

II. CONSENT AGENDA

None

III. GENERAL

None

IV. PERSONNEL

A. Changes in Personnel

(Motion) Donald Wheaton moved, supported by Phillip Thomas, to approve the changes in Personnel as presented:

Schedule B Returning Coach/Sponsor 2011-2012:

Lisa Fenn, Harmon Elementary, Safety Patrol Sponsor	\$ 839.00
Cheryl Belloli, Harmon Elementary, Student Government Co-Sponsor <i>(1/2 stipend)</i>	\$ 240.00
Kathy Legeret, Harmon Elementary, Student Government Co-Sponsor <i>(1/2 stipend)</i>	\$ 240.00
Lisa Payne, Elementary/Middle School Orchestra Director	\$1,404.00
Sarah Oren, Lakeview High School, Marching Band Assistant	\$1,245.00

Motion Carried 7 - 0

V. CURRICULUM

A. Revisions to the District Handbook – Ranking for Valedictorian, Salutatorian, and the Top Ten

(Motion) Philip Thomas moved, supported by Michael Wenner, to approve the revisions, as submitted, for the formula being utilized to rank the Valedictorian, Salutatorian, and the Top Ten Class of 2013 in the 2011/12 District Handbook for Students and Parents.

Motion Carried 7 - 0

B. Revisions to Lakeview High School Course Book – Ranking for Valedictorian, Salutatorian, and the Top Ten

(Motion) Donald Wheaton moved, supported by Michael McCain, to approve the revisions, as submitted, for the 2011/2012

