

# LEGAL PUBLICATION

**Board of Education**  
**Annual/Regular School Board Meeting**  
**Southeast Webster-Grand Community School District**  
**Prairie Valley Community School District**  
**Wednesday, December 17, 2018 6:00 PM**  
**Middle School Library Burnside**

The joint meeting of the Board of Education of Southeast Webster-Grand and Prairie Valley met in regular session. The meeting was called to order by President Todd Lundgren at 5:58

Roll Call: SWG: Todd Lundgren, Sean Stewart, Alan Wicklein, Chad Lambert, Allison Swanson, Paige Smith, Katie VanSickle Absent:

Roll Call: PV: Shannon Miller, Jim Carlson, Patrice Klingson, Gary Welter, Kathy Carlson, Heidi McGuire, and Joe Harrison. Absent: Shannon Miller, Patrice Klingson, Joe Harrison

Also present: Mr. Johnson, Jim Duncan, Greg Slininger, Dan Grandfield, Kerry Ketcham, Lisa Willardson, Beth Kisch, the Dayton Leader, the Dayton Review, Gowrie News, staff members and patrons.

Mr. Johnson and the President Lundgren welcomed the visitors that were at the meeting.

There was no public participation.

SWG: Motion by Sean Stewart, seconded by Katie, VanSickle to approve the consent items including the agenda, minutes from the previous regular meeting, and the warrants at they were presented. All Ayes, motion carried.

Prairie Valley: Motion by Jim Carlson, seconded by Heidi McGuire, to approve the consent items including the agenda, minutes from the previous regular meeting, and the warrants at they were presented. All Ayes, motion carried.

Committee Reports: Nothing at this time for any reports

Facilities & Grounds:

School Improvement Advisory Committee:

Public Relations:

Finance/Negotiations:

Transportation:

Jaguar Jubilation: PVE: Our 4 Yr. Old Preschool held their December Concerts on Dec. 21st. Both the morning session and afternoon session concerts were well attended and the students gave a great performance! Families were invited back to the preschool room for refreshments and time with their children to explore some of the activities the students typically do.

Our Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten (TK) held their annual "Reading is Rewarding" celebration on Dec. 21st as well. Families were invited in to participate in some fun activities with their children! Each TK/ Kdgtm. student received a free book as part of this celebration! We wish to thank the Palmer Foundation for their continued support and sponsorship of this event!

SWG 3rd grade will show their published book. Mrs. Johnson and Miss Rasmussen: Noah Bloomquist and Clay Lambert, Jake Reck read from their book. Their book: The Things We Are Thankful For.

Lego Robotics Club: Middle School. Addison Anderson, Harley Eckert, Ava Brunner, Xander Dorman, Daniel Bacon, Soren Winkler. 2 missions created, but would like to create more. The team received a trophy for Core Values.

Administration's Report:

Iowa Central Community College Bond: Neale Adams with ICCC presented to the board about the upcoming bond on February 6, 2018.

Financial Report: SWG: Motion by Katie seconded Chad Lambert by to accept the financial report as given. All ayes motion carried.

PV: Motion by Heidi, seconded Kathy Carlson by to accept the financial report as given. All ayes motion carried.

Elementary Report: PV: Prairie Valley Elementary (as well as our SV partner, SW-G Elem.) will be administering the FAST Winter Reading Screenings to all of our students starting this week. The FAST screenings are given three times per school-year (fall, winter, and spring). Teachers use these screenings to plan instruction, plan interventions/ assistance, and to track reading progress/growth.

Every Southeast Valley school has scheduled to administer the annual Iowa Assessments starting the week of Feb. 5th, 2018. PV Elementary's 3rd and 4th graders take the assessments. Those elementary students will take the following tests: reading, math, science, & social studies.

Our PTA will be holding a free matinee movie for PV Elementary students and their families on Sunday, January 28th. The PTA has purchased a movie license to be able to show a selected feature. The movie will be shown in the main gym. One side of the gym's bleachers will be made available for use and families may bring in blankets to use to sit on the gym floor. The PTA will also be providing popcorn and water. PV Elem. students who attend, must have an adult family member accompany them. The PV Elem. doors will open at 2:00 PM with the movie starting at approximately 2:15 PM.

SWG Elementary Principal Report Overview

PLC Notes You have notes from the December 20 PLC Meetings and the January 10 PLC Meetings. This is to give you a sampling of what we cover and do when we meet on our Wednesday Early Dismissal days.

Lexia Report You will note at the top of Lexia Report (since the September 1 start date), that we originally had 61 students in grades 2, 3, and 4 involved in Lexia. When we started in September 87% of those students were below Grade Level. As of January 4, you will note that only 36% are now below Grade Level. That is a 51% increase in the number of kids who are at Grade Level or Higher on Lexia.

You will note that Grade 2 started with 8 students not at Grade Level. That number is now down to 2 students. You will note that Grade 3 (the class where all 37 students are involved in our class wide implementation), that we went from 30 students Below Grade Level in September, to only 10 students Below Grade Level now. And in 4th Grade, we went from 15 students not at Grade Level to 10 students. What we have noticed with the 4th Grade students, is that they are not making adequate progress with Lexia, so we have taken them out of Lexia and put them in a more appropriate intervention program using the PRESS Interventions. We have re-assigned the 10 seats from 4th Grade to 1st Grade students who would benefit from the Lexia program.

Staff Meeting Notes These are from the January 8 (not 18) Staff Meeting

Weekly Schedules You'll note weekly schedules from the past couple of weeks

Standardized Testing

The weather has messed us up a little bit, but we are adjusting and in the process of giving our FAST/aReading Winter Screenings for TK-4. Iowa Assessments will be given to our 3rd and 4th beginning the week of February 5, and will hopefully be completed (make-up testing, etc) by February 16.

Middle School Report: Student Programming

\*Iowa Assessments are right around the corner. We will be preparing the students in a variety of ways going into the testing the week of February 5th.

\*The Middle School Christmas Concert was a success, the students in both band and vocal did very well! Thank you to Ms. Border and Mrs. Peterson for their dedication and hard work!

\* Ms. Border also took a handful of band students (Creighton Urban, Brylie Butrick, Emma Sytsma, Maddie VanSickle, Maddox Hanna, Ethan Buenting, and Max Hollman) to perform in the Karl King Honor Band this past weekend in Fort Dodge. It looked like a fun day!

\* There will be a seventh and eighth grade school dance this Friday, the 19th. \*The boys and girls basketball had successful seasons. All teams finished over .500 and showed great improvement.

\*It is worth noting that this year's eighth grade boys team went undefeated both this year and last year as seventh graders. Quite an accomplishment to leave the middle school with an unblemished record!

\* Wrestling practice started this week. It seems like we will have a bigger group of wrestlers than usual. I will include those numbers once they stabilize in next month's report.

\* Instruction is still being shaped around engagement and higher order thinking (Instructional Practices Inventory - IPI).

PLC Time: \* We had a full day professional development day for the staff in Gowrie on January 3rd. It was a good day of learning to support our development of RTI which works directly into WIN time at the middle school.

\* We used today's PLC time to begin preparation for the upcoming Iowa Assessments. We will be highlighting the importance of being prepared and having the students goal set for themselves so they can do their best.

\*What I Need (W.I.N.) time continues at the middle school. This will support both our MTSS and PLC goals. This is a time where students will get interventions in specific content areas or concepts. If they are not needed by a teacher, then students "travel" to other areas for enrichment activities with related arts teachers. This process continues to be a focus of our PLC time. There is an example of eighth grade W.I.N. time below: WIN (look at list in HR) Study Hall (if you want a quiet place to work) Monday Literacy Long Tuesday Science Henkel Wednesday Harbor Time in your homeroom Thursday Social Studies Anderlik Friday Math Wills Breakthrough Time A teacher doesn't require you for WIN and you have no homework to earn. Points Fantasy Congress: create your own Fantasy Congress team and do. Points to win politics Anderlik Animal Science Henkel Blackout Poetry Long Math Games

High School Report: General:

Sharon Jaeschke and Devan Walker have been accepted as grant winners to attend the Marshall Space Flight Center Professional Development Program and trip to Huntsville, Alabama in February 2018. The program will allow them to develop knowledge, lessons and materials to infuse space-related science and math into their curriculum. Thanks to Tamara Hanson for finding the grant opportunity and funneling in the right direction.

Staff continues to work toward establishing essential standards, developing common assessments, and aligning content and skills vertically. Each of these separately is a challenge and together are quite a puzzle. Staff

energy and enthusiasm for the endeavor is high and I'm encouraged that there is a real sense of the need to do this difficult work.

Having a full time interventionist at the high school is already paying dividends for students who need additional support. Ms. Strouse is working with about a dozen students almost daily. Work completion and course grades are up for all but one and social conflicts are down for those who had that concern. Each week we review the data and discuss changes for those being served as well as identifying additional students who pop up as needing support based on attendance, grades, or social problems. Having the ability to respond so quickly means that problems don't get as big before we work to diminish them.

Early Graduation Request: Micaela Fevold has completed graduation requirements and wishes to be designated as a graduate immediately. She does plan to return to participate in graduation ceremonies in May. Jim Carlson and Kathy Carlson. All ayes, motion carried.

Legislative Update: Mr. Johnson updated the board on bills and the newly started session. Some particular bills to keep an eye on are the extension of SAVE, operational sharing and state supplemental aid.

Superintendent Evaluation: Forms were handed out to each board member regarding superintendent evaluation to be handed to the board presidents before the next scheduled board meeting.

Classified Staff Job Descriptions: Mr. Johnson shared tentative job descriptions for classified staff to be used for evaluations and pay increases.

Personnel: PV: Motion by Jim Carlson second by Heidi McGuire to hire Derek Rasmussen and Daniel Lee as part-time assistant wrestling coaches for the High School on an as needed basis. All ayes, motion carried.

Policies-700 Series: SWG: Motion by Alan seconded Katie VanSickle by to approved the final 700 Series. All ayes motion carried. PV: Motion by Kathy Carlson seconded by Jim Carlson to approved the final 700 Series. All ayes motion carried.

Upcoming Meeting: Next meeting will be Wednesday, February 21, 2018 at 6:30 in Gowrie

Adjourn: SWG: Motion by Allison seconded by Paige to adjourn the meeting. All ayes, motion carried.

PV: Motion by Heidi McGuire seconded by Kathy Carlson to adjourn the meeting. All ayes, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:20

## Southeast Webster-Grand January 2018 Warrants

Gordon Stull	JH BB official	\$100.00
Gene Folsom	JH BB official	\$100.00
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Cory Lundberg	JH BB official	\$100.00
Gordon Stull	JH BB official	\$100.00
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CustomInk	girls basketball t-shirts	\$570.68
Gordon Stull	JH BB official	\$100.00
Willie Taylor	JH BB official	\$100.00
Jacob Doty	JH BB official	\$100.00
Dave Flattery	JH BB official	\$100.00
Cory Lundberg	JH BB official	\$100.00
Gordon Stull	JH BB official	\$100.00
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Dayton Community Grocery	food & snacks	\$917.58
Southeast Webster-Grand CSD	Dayton meals	\$1,421.20
Wellmark Blue Cross	insurance	\$520.76
Federal W/H	payroll w/h	\$768.43
FICA W/H	payroll w/h	\$2,073.04
Southeast Webster-Grand CSD	insurance	\$55.63
Treasurer State of Iowa	payroll w/h	\$317.30
Avesis	payroll w/h	\$11.70
Delta Dental	payroll w/h	\$35.88
IPERS	payroll w/h	\$1,797.66
Lincoln Life Insurance	payroll w/h	\$7.95
Wellmark Blue Cross	payroll w/h	\$520.76
Alliant Energy	electricity - Boxholm	\$227.84
Amazon	technology supplies	\$218.14
Iowa State Bar Association	entry fees - Mock Trial	\$700.00
Martin Brothers Dist. Co.	custodial supplies - Dayton	\$778.94
Prairie Lakes AEA	teacher workshop	\$50.00
PRO-ED, Inc.	classroom supplies	\$93.50
Riverside Publishing Co.	TAG testing materials	\$631.95
Robert Madson	contracted transportation	\$728.00
Star Energy-Division of Gromark, Inc.	heating LP	\$2,541.30
Walmart Community	health supplies	\$95.66
Woodward Granger High School	consortium tuition	\$12,460.19
Xenia Rural Water District	water/sewer - Boxholm/Burnside	\$664.20
ABC Pest Control	pest control	\$125.00
Alliant Energy	electricity - Harcourt	\$24.55