



Regular Meeting of Whitehead Board of Education  
Monday, May 11, 2026 5:30 PM  
Whitehead School Cafeteria, 16476 North County Road 3200, Pauls Valley, OK 73075

**1. Call to order and recording of members present and absent.**

Attendance Taken at 5:30 PM. Sandy Arroyo: Present, Belinda Hunt: Present, Alex Young: Present.

**2. Recognition of guests:**

The following guests were at the meeting: Becky Miller, Abby Pemberton, Erin Babcock, Anna Newton, Kerrie Stanley, Kori Stanley & Melissa Lopez.

**3. Consent Agenda: The consent agenda consists of approval of the following items:**

Motion was made to approve the Consent Agenda. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

- a. Minutes of the April 13, 2026 Regular Board Meeting.
- b. Accept Resignations/Resignations
- c. Approve a contract with Angel, Johnston, & Blasingame, P.C. to be the treasurer for the 2026/2027 school year.
- d. Approve the Memorandum of Agreement with Delta Head Start for the 2026/2027 school year
- e. Approve Oklahoma State School Board Association Membership for the 2026/2027 school year
- f. Monthly financial report of Activity Fund.
- g. Approve Monthly Expenditures
  1. April Payroll
  2. General Fund Expenditures
  3. Building Fund Expenditures
  4. Child Nutrition Expenditures
  5. Activity Fund Expenditures

**4. Discussion and possible action to approve the Treasurer's Report**

Motion was made to approve the treasurer's report. This motion, made by Alex Young and seconded by Sandy Arroyo, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

The treasurer's report was presented by Jason Midkiff.

- As you can see in the bar chart, we are up over last year at this time. \$250,000 to be exact. Revenue continues to come in well. We will have quite a bit of federal money to come in during May and June. I included the yearly revenue report as well as monthly statements. Just so you can see where we are in the different categories.
- Expenditures continue to track just a little above last year at this time. We are going to have a large expenditure next month as we have double payments to staff and some big ticket items at the end of the year. We have to close out security money that we had for over 3 years, so we have a large \$50,000 bill for security money.
- Projecting a difference of \$150,000 for this school year.

**5. Discuss and possible action to approve Activity Fund purchase order encumbrances 26218 through 26236 with the overall dollar value of \$5,277.30.**

Motion was made to approve Activity Fund purchase order encumbrances 26218 through 26236 with an overall dollar value of \$5,277.30. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**6. Discuss and possible action to approve General Fund purchase order encumbrances 231 through 244 with an overall dollar value of \$105,442.94.**

Motion was made to approve General Fund purchase order encumbrances 231 through 244 with an overall dollar value of \$105,442.94. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**7. Discuss and possible action to approve Building Fund purchase order encumbrances 37 through 38 with an overall dollar value of \$1,147.00.**

Motion was made to approve Building Fund purchase order encumbrances 37 through 38 with an overall dollar value of \$1,147.00. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**8. Discuss and possible action to approve Child Nutrition purchase order encumbrances 23 through 25 with an overall dollar value of \$141.17.**

Motion was made to approve Child Nutrition encumbrances 23 through 25 with an overall dollar value of \$141.17. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**9. Discussion and possible action to move \$164.71 from Band Booster activity fund account to Chimaleers activity fund account, then rename Chimaleers to STEM.**

Motion was made to approve moving \$164.71 from Band Booster activity fund account to the Chimaleer activity fund account and renaming Chimaleers to STEM. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**10. Discussion and possible action to adopt Chase Morris Sudden Cardiac Arrest Response Plan for the 2025/2026 school year.**

Motion was made to adopt the Chase Morris Sudden Cardiac Arrest Response Plan for the 2025/2026 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**11. Discussion and possible action to approve a contract with Motor Mouth Therapy, LLC for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to approve a contract with Motor Mouth Therapy, LLC for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**12. Discussion and possible action to approve the following policies as recommended by the Oklahoma State School Board Association:**

Motion was made to approve the policies listed on 12a-12c as recommended by the Oklahoma State School Board Association. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.  
Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

- a. BAA Board of Education Powers and Duties
- b. EHBCA-R Extended School Year Program Standards (Regulations)
- c. EHBC-R3 Child Identification, Location, Screening, and Evaluation Notice to Parents

**13. Discussion and possible action to accept a bid for the construction of a classroom building.**

Motion was made to accept a bid of \$85,600 from Green Construction as recommended by Mr. Midkiff for the construction of a classroom building. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Belinda Hunt, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**14. Vote to convene or not convene into proposed executive session as allowed by 25 O.S. Section 307 (B)(1) to discuss**

- Hire twelve-month Support Personnel for the 26/27 school year
- Hire ten-month Support Personnel for the 26/27 school year
- Hire a certified teacher for the 26/27 school year
- Hire a certified teacher for STEM for the 26/27 school year
- Hire a certified special education teacher for the 26/27 school year

Motion was made to convene into proposed executive session as allowed by 25 O.S. Section 307 (B)(1). This motion, made by Alex Young and seconded by Sandy Arroyo, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**15. Acknowledge return to Open Session**

- Executive Session Minutes Compliance Announcement

Executive session minutes compliance announcement. Belinda Hunt announced that the board entered into executive session at 5:54 p.m. to discuss the employment of the twelve-month employees, ten-month employees, Kori Stanley, teacher, Sandra Alexander, teacher, and Patricia Wright, teacher as authorized by 25 O.S. Section 307 (B)(1). Those present in the executive session were Belinda Hunt, board member, Alex Young, board member, Sandy Arroyo, board member & Jason Midkiff, superintendent. No action was taken by the board of education. The board returned to open session at 6:22 p.m.

**16. Discussion and possible action to hire the twelve-month support personnel listed on schedule A, as recommended by Jason Midkiff, for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to hire the twelve-month support personnel listed on schedule A, as recommended by Mr. Midkiff, for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**17. Discussion and possible action to hire the ten-month support personnel listed on schedule A, as recommended by Jason Midkiff, for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to hire ten-month support personnel listed on schedule A, as recommended by Mr. Midkiff, for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**18. Discussion and possible action to hire a certified teacher on a temporary contract for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to hire Kori Stanley, as recommended by Mr. Midkiff, on a temporary certified teacher contract for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

**19. Discussion and possible action to hire a certified teacher for STEM on a temporary contract for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to hire Sandra Alexander, as recommended by Mr. Midkiff, on a temporary certified contract for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

## **20. Discussion and possible action to hire a certified special education teacher on a temporary contract for the 2026/2027 school year.**

Motion was made to hire Patricia Wright, as recommended by Mr. Midkiff, on a temporary certified contract for the 2026/2027 school year. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

## **21. Discussion concerning Ideal Impact.**

Alex Young expressed his concern about the Ideal Impact system. He said the cafeteria and library areas were definitely uncomfortable. Alex said he wants a comfortable working environment for the teachers. Belinda Hunt said it is a new system and adjustments will need to be made. She encouraged the employees to use the chain of command to report any instance of being uncomfortable. Jason said the system can be adjusted by the teachers up or down 3 degrees and, if that is not working, the range could be adjusted. He also said Mr. Vines' room and the cafeteria did have problems with their units and had to be worked on by the HVAC company.

## **22. Superintendent's Report**

- Rosa Hayes was named Teacher of the Year
- Kindergarten Graduation was last week
- Pre-Enrollment went well
- Girls track team are State Runner-Up.
- Had Sports Physicals last Thursday
- Successful Sports Banquet
- Year End Dance
- 8th grade went to Pauls Valley Junior High to tour
- PTO made Teacher Appreciation Week amazing.
- The Air Evac Helicopter came last week and was a big hit.
- **Upcoming Events**
- Graduation tomorrow night Pictures @ 6/ Graduation @ 7
- Senior Walk Through Thursday morning at 8:00
- Awards Assembly is Thursday 9:30- 1st-4th/ 11- for 5th-8th
- Last Day of School is Thursday
- Teachers check out Friday
- The office will be closed the last week of May.
- Summer hours are 8:30am-3pm for the office.
- Summer projects/cleaning will start the week after school is out
- OSSBA FAQ's on Pay Raise and State Question 832
- The next Board Meeting is June 8th.

## **23. Presentation of Board Member Points**

The board members were presented their points.

## **24. New Business**

## **25. Vote to adjourn**

Motion was made to adjourn at 6:40 p.m. This motion, made by Sandy Arroyo and seconded by Alex Young, Passed.

Sandy Arroyo: Yea, Belinda Hunt: Yea, Alex Young: Yea

Respectfully submitted by \_\_\_\_\_