

## **Board of Education Regular meeting**

Monday, August 15, 2022 6:45 PM

Elementary School  
201 S 3rd St.  
Sharon, OK 73857

Attendance Taken at 6:45 PM.

Bill J. Clem: Present  
Mandy Hedges: Present  
Levi Spencer: Present  
Neal Stephenson: Present  
Eddie White: Present

Present: 5.

Others in attendance: Mr. Thompson, Elementary Principal/  
Superintendent, Mrs. Hopper, HS Principal, Monica  
Stephenson, Mr. Brad Shryock, Mrs. Dustie Shryock, Trisha  
Thompson, Jill Syms, Asst, Elementary Principle, Ms.  
Robinson, Vicki Harzman, Minutes Clerk, Mrs. Nail

### **1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

**The meeting was called to order at 6:46 p.m. by President Bill J Clem**

### **2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

### **3. SALUTE TO THE OKLAHOMA FLAG**

### **4. INNOCATION**

### **5. STANDING RESOLUTIONS**

Motion to approve standing resolutions 1 and 2. This motion, made by Neal Stephenson and seconded by Mandy Hedges, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea  
Mandy Hedges: Yea  
Levi Spencer: Yea  
Neal Stephenson: Yea  
Eddie White: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

### **1. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)**

### **2. SCHEDULE OF BILLS AND REPORTS**

## **6. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: JEFF THOMPSON**

**Mr. Thompson reported on the properties -  
The Town of Mutual has agreed to take the old  
Community Building in Mutual.**

**The person that wanted Moscow Flatt's school  
house has decided against it due to the cost of  
moving it. Mr. Thompson reported that Mr. Marlatt  
takes his history classes there each year and gives  
them the history on it.**

**Mr. Thompson will be getting appraisals done on the  
Rodeo Grounds and Teacherage in Mutual, and begin  
the notification that we are accepting bids for the  
properties to open at the October 12th Board Meeting.**

## **7. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT- JEFF THOMPSON AND TERRI HOPPER**

**Mr. Thompson reported on the Elementary stating  
they have a total of 135 students Pre-K thru 6th.**

**August 17th starts the Cookie Dough Fundraiser.  
He states it is the schools main fundraiser, and  
ask that everyone please try to support it.**

**The teacher's Amazon Pages are open and will  
remain open all year. Usually the teachers are  
allowed to spend \$200.00 on Amazon, on needed  
supplies, the first of every year, but this year it was  
not allowed due to finances being tight.**

**Thank you to the SM PTO for the donation of student  
school supplies, and to the Town of Sharon for the  
new sign in front of the school. We appreciate you  
all for supporting our school and students.**

**The Sharon-Mutual fair will be September 23rd and  
24th, and the Fall Concert will be held October 6th.**

**Mandy Hedges, board member, reported that she  
is trying to get more Community involvement with the fair.**

**Mrs. Hopper reported on the High School stating they  
have a total of 68 students 7th thru 12th grade.**

**Volleyball has a home game against Hennessey  
the 18th, Cross Country has a meet August 30th  
at Timberlake, Football has a scrimmage the 19th,  
and Homecoming will be September 2nd.**

**She stated that the "Meet the Teacher/Enrollment"  
night had the best turnout that it has ever had.**

**Media Night/Community Social was held August  
12th. Everything went well, and a lot of fun was had.**

## **8. LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORT:**

**Nothing to report**

### **9. Board to consider and take action on Alternative Education Agreement with Woodward public Schools for the 2022-2023 school year.**

. This motion, made by Mandy Hedges and seconded by Eddie White, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea

Mandy Hedges: Yea

Levi Spencer: Yea

Neal Stephenson: Yea

Eddie White: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

### **10. Board to consider and take action on Procurement Plan for the 2022-2023 school year.**

. This motion, made by Bill J. Clem and seconded by Mandy Hedges, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea

Mandy Hedges: Yea

Levi Spencer: Yea

Neal Stephenson: Yea

Eddie White: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

### **11. Board to consider and take action on meal prices for 2022-23 school year.**

Meal Prices: Breakfast \$1.75 and Lunch \$3.75. This motion, made by Eddie White and seconded by Mandy Hedges, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea

Mandy Hedges: Yea

Levi Spencer: Yea

Neal Stephenson: Yea

Eddie White: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

### **12. Board to discuss school budget.**

**Mr. Thompson passed out an informational sheet to help start the discussion. He stated this is not political. The budget needs to be balanced, and have an educated look at it. He talked about if school goes over budget it would have to take funds from reserves. To survive the future and keep schools open, changes or cut backs will be necessary, such as cutting staff, taking \$1,000.00 stipend from every employee that gets it, doing away with athletics, going to bus stops instead of routes, or moving to one site. The matter was discussed**

**and Pros and Cons were given.**

**Pros-Stay in business, make more money per kid.**

**Cons-Lose faculty, lose programs, lose students, lose quality. If school was to reorganize it would become more efficient with time, money, staffing, and would be able to offer more services.**

**A bond was discussed to become one site, with board members offering input. After a long discussion, Mr. Thompson ask them to think about this matter, and further discussion would take place at next board meeting.**

### **13. NEW BUSINESS**

**Neal Stephenson, Board Vice-President, asked if the school was having any cell phone issues. The replies from Administration and staff present were no. Phones are taken up in the morning and given back at the end of the day. Mrs. Shryock stated they are also taken up when a student gets on the bus and given back to them at their destination.**

### **14. SIGN DOCUMENTS**

### **15. SCHEDULE OF THE NEXT BOARD MEETING**

**The next board meeting will be Wednesday September 14, 2022**

### **16. ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn at 8:50 P.M. This motion, made by Mandy Hedges and seconded by Eddie White, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea

Mandy Hedges: Yea

Levi Spencer: Yea

Neal Stephenson: Yea

Eddie White: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0