

Board of Education Regular meeting

Wednesday, May 10, 2023 6:45pm

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

Attendance Taken at 6:45 PM.

Bill J. Clem: Present
Daniel Lee: Present
Levi Spencer: Present
Neal Stephenson: Present
Eddie White: Absent

Present: 4, Absent: 1.

Others in attendance: Mr. Thompson, Superintendent/Elementary Principal, Mrs. Hopper, High School Principal, Mrs. Syms, Assistant Elementary Principal, Vicki Harzman, Minutes Clerk, Mrs. Dustie Shryock, Mr. Brad Shryock, Mrs. Nail, Angela Clem, Mrs. Stone, Tecia Spray, Lorrie and Jeremy Baggett, Jennifer Kirkwood.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 6:45 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 Levi Spencer, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

1. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)

2. SCHEDULE OF BILLS AND REPORTS

6. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: JEFF THOMPSON

Mr. Thompson gave the Superintendent's report. The OSSBA Region 2 meeting here at Mutual was a great success. Thank you to Jessica Turner and Marshall Bittner for catering the event, with Mr. Coon and the FFA students serving. He reported on the Educational Issues stating that most of the Educational Legislation is in gridlock. The House and Senate Leadership are currently fighting. The Vouchers/Tax Credits have been passed by the House, but they are holding on to it for leverage, the Tax Credits will go to the Private Schools only, Teacher pay is still being discussed, nothing new has been mentioned on the Board Election Dates, still discussing grocery/income tax cuts, and other issues. Mr. Thompson states the rural funding needs to be done outside of the formula, and encourages everyone to contact our local representative. If anyone would like to go visit the State Capital, let Mr. Thompson know, and he would gladly attend with you.

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

Mr. Thompson presented the Elementary School Report. The enrollment Pre-K thru 6th grade is 143 students. Teacher Amazon Pages are still open and will be available all year. The Book Fair was last week. Bri worked really hard on it. It was BOGO, and went really well. Elementary Graduation will be tomorrow night at 7:00 p.m., Elementary Awards will be Friday at 9:00 a.m., Elementary Talent Show will be May 16th at 1:00 p.m., Field Day will be May 18th at 9:00 a.m., with early release at 1:00 p.m.

April Students of the Month:

PreK- Cassie Dewitt

PreK- Paxton Custar

PreK- Daxton Lee

Kdg- Ranger Bellows

1st- Sofia Hernandez

2nd- Amy Paez

3rd- Crey White

4th- Barrett Coldwater

4th- Leah Oakes

5th- Brody Pierce

6th- Vaughn Weinman

Mrs. Hopper gave the High School Report. The total enrollment is 70 students. State Track at Western Heights was the 5th/6th, FFA Banquet was the 9th at 6:30 p.m. and went well, 5/9/23 Mrs. Green took some students on the STEM Trip, 5/15/23 Letterman's Banquet at 6:30 p.m., 5/16/23 High School Awards Assembly, 5/16/2023 Miss S-M/Mr.

Irresistible at 6:30 p.m., 5/17/2023 Baccalaureate 7:00 p.m., and 5/19/2023 Graduation at 7:00 p.m.

8. LEADERSHIP TEAM REPORT:

Coach Brad Shryock reported that the students that qualified for the State Track Meet did very well and represented our school well.

Mrs. Nail talked about her 6th graders doing research over decades. This included Food, Fashion, Automobiles, TV Shows, Music, Inventions, Political Happenings, etc. The standing posters that the students had made were placed in the library for all to see.

9. Board to consider and take action on applicant for Girl's Coach for FY 2023-2024.

Mr. Thompson made the recommendation to hire Jyllian Pinnell for Girls Volleyball Coach and Girls Basketball Coach. She will also teach at the high school. This motion, made by Bill J. Clem and seconded by Levi Spencer, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

10. Board to consider and take action on applicant for Boy's Coach for FY 2023-2024.

Mr. Thompson made the recommendation to hire Tate Beer as the Boy's Football and Boy's Basketball coach. This motion, made by Levi Spencer and seconded by Neal Stephenson, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

11. Board to consider and take action on applicant for Elementary Teacher for FY 2023-2024.

Mr. Thompson recommended the hiring of Stephanie Wilson for High School teacher. All Board Members voted in favor except for Board member, Daniel Lee. He stated he had questions he wanted to ask and discuss and did not want to do them openly, so made a motion to table this agenda item until Executive Session could be held. The rest of the board was in agreeance, so item was tabled, and a Special Meeting was scheduled for Tuesday May 16th at 8:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at Mutual in the Administration office.

12. Board to consider and take action on applicant for Teacher's Aide for FY 2023-2024.

Mr. Thompson recommended Brad Pinnell for Teacher's aide position. He will do Motor Lab, and assist with PE. This motion, made by Levi Spencer and seconded by Bill J. Clem, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

13. Board to approve and sign Contracts, Extra Duty Contracts, and Addendums.

Mr. Thompson recommended the board approve and sign Contracts, Extra Duty Contracts, and Addendums as presented, except for the Elementary Teacher Contract. This motion, made by Levi Spencer and seconded by Bill J. Clem, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

14. NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Thompson announced the only new business was one change made to the School Calendar for 2023-2024 school year. Spring break dates were changed from March 18th -22nd, to March 11th-15th. Mr. Thompson ask that the calendar be approved as presented. This motion, made by Levi Spencer and seconded by Bill J. Clem, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea
Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

**15. SCHEDULE OF THE NEXT BOARD MEETING
Monday June 12, 2023**

16. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 7:59 p.m. This motion, made by Levi Spencer and seconded by Bill J. Clem, Passed.

Bill J. Clem: Yea

Daniel Lee: Yea
Levi Spencer: Yea
Neal Stephenson: Yea
Eddie White: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1