BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF OAKFIELD

OAKFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Monday, November 10, 2014

* Meeting called to order by President Kottke at 5:30 p.m.
* Roll call
  + Members:  P. Kottke, P. Dercks, J. Nyhuis, M. Murphy-Steinke, T. Marcoe, A. Patterson; Absent – E. Kraft
  + Staff:  S. Green, B. Doyle, J. Hungerford, C. Klassy, M. Liebelt, S. O’Malley, R. Arkens, L. Garriety, B. Wessel, J. Wessel, S. Gurno, D. Schell, G. Kaer, L. Heider
  + Others:  L. Ott, D. Redman, S. Laning
* Mr. Nyhuis, seconded by Mr. Dercks, moved to approve the October 27, 2014 school board minutes as presented. Motion carried: 6 ayes, 0 noes, 1 absent.
* Financial report has been filed with the clerk.
* Mrs. Kottke, seconded by Mrs. Patterson, moved to approve the warrants through November 10, 2014. Motion carried:  6 ayes, 0 noes, 1 absent.
* There was no public input.
* Administrator Green introduced Dan Redman and Larry Ott from the Village of Oakfield and wanted to thank them for donating and replacing some trees on the district property. Mr. Redman shared some history on how they started the tree
* Rachael Arkens, Physics and Chemistry Teacher at the MS/HS. In her physics class, discussing how the laws of physics really affect us, she decided to do a mock accident to learn more about reaction time. Part of this class they will be watching the video of the Campbellsport accident. Mrs. Arkens is working very closely with the fire department, sheriffs officeShe is working with area resources in order to make this seem like a real accident.
* Administrator Green thanked the school board for their time and dedication to our students and district and shared a thank you letter to the board from John Ashley, WASB executive director. The week of October 5 – 11 was board appreciation week. Administrator Green also shared some thank you notes to the board from some students at the elementary school and acknowledged John Nyhuis for his level three award that he received at the WASB Regional Meeting.
* Mr. Mock reviewed with the Board some bids he had received for improvements on the shed. Board discussion took place and it has been requested to get more bids on this project.
* Ms. Belanger, Music Teacher, presented information for a music trip to New York City in June of 2015. This is open to music students, parents and staff. The students will be able to fundraise to help pay for this trip. Mr. Dercks, seconded by Mr. Kraft, moved to approve the music trip to New York City as presented. Motion carried: 7 ayes, 0 noes, 0 absent.
* Mrs. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Dercks, move to approve the parent transportation contracts as presented. Motion carried: 7 ayes, 0 noes, 0 absent.
* Administrator Green reviewed the third Friday count, open enrollment and the free and reduced figures for the 2014-2015 school year.
* Administrator Green presented the Board with a rough draft copy of the support staff handbook. This will be put on the next agenda for discussion and approval.
* At 6:30 p.m. the regular board meeting has been interrupted to begin the 2014-2015 budget and annual meeting.
* The school board meeting reconvened at 7:10 p.m.
* Administrator Green shared her attendance at the Super intent Conference that she attended. It is very important that everyone gets the word out there that we are very proud of our public schools.

Administrator Green also shared that the Oakfield Elementary School received the Title One High Progress Recognition Award at a ceremony earlier in the day at the State Capital in Madison. Principal Doyle was also present to receive the award. Congratulations to our students and staff.

* Principal Doyle will be having their annual fire prevention week. The students will have their annual training with the fire department and two mornings selected students will get to ride the fire truck to school. It is also homecoming week and they will have a pep rally with the homecoming court.
* Principal Klassy shared the Middle School Pop Concert will be on Wednesday, October 15, 2014. The homecoming activities have begun, powder puff was on Sunday along with the window painting, there will be activities and dress up all week in both schools, the pep rally is Thursday at 7:00 with the bonfire to following and the parade in on Friday at 4:15 with the Booster Club brat fry to follow at the Fireman’s Park and the game at 7:00.
* Mr. Mock, Dean of Students/Athletic Director, shared the fall sports are wrapping up and they are still looking for a Middle School 7th Grade Boys Basketball coach.
* Mr. Dercks, seconded by Mrs. Patterson, moved to adjourn at 8:26 p.m.  Motion carried: 6 ayes, 0 noes, 1 absent.

Respectfully submitted by,

Jackie Hungerford, School Board Secretary