

PARSHALL SCHOOL DISTRICT #3
Regular School Board Meeting
November 12, 2020

The Regular Meeting of the Parshall School Board was held on Thursday, November 12th 2020 in the Conference Room at the H.S. and via ZOOM. The meeting was called to order at 5:45 p.m. by Pres. M. Hoff. Board members present were: Clauson, Young Bird, Jarski, Onstad and Hoff.

A motion was made by Jarski; seconded by Clauson to approve agenda with addition of cleaning equipment under New Business F.

All in Favor

Motion made by Young Bird; seconded by Jarski to Approve Consent Agenda.

All in Favor

Motion made by Clauson; seconded by Onstad to Approve Minutes.

All in Favor

Motion made by Young Bird; seconded by Jarski to Approve Bills for Payment.

All in Favor

Motion made by Jarski seconded by Clauson to Approve Financial Report.

All in Favor

Superintendent Report:

We are getting close to the end of construction of the Sports Complex. Hopefully we will be able to start our book study. We are looking at English/Literature curriculum for grades 6-12 for next year.

Continuing to update Board Policies. We are thinking of doing something for staff appreciation. We are looking at getting iPads and Swivels for the teachers. This will provide more mobility in the classroom.

We would also like to get teachers a second monitor. This would come from CARES funding

Waiting to hear back from North Country about storing our track and field equipment.

We lost about \$50,000 in Transportation Aid when we shut down in March.

Chairman Fox and Councilman Mervin Packineau came to meeting to update the Board on what the Three Affiliated Tribe is doing regarding Covid 19, along with a Covid task force member. The Tribe itself is going to take some bold measures to try to reduce Covid. The main concern is lack of hospital beds for those who need them. Ft. Berthold does not have their own hospital. The numbers are way worse than they were in March and April. The problem is not with the children in school. It is after school, when children are children and want to play with their friends. Many students are being raised by their Grandparents, Tribal Elders who are in the high risk group. On Ft. Berthold, underlying conditions are more prevalent, which makes the Elders more vulnerable. Ft Berthold has a mandatory mask mandate. There will be enforcement when this mandate is not followed. Chairman Fox commended Parshall School for all they have done in response to this virus. At the present, with the increase of positive cases, every effort to mitigate needs to be used.

High School Principal:

Working on evaluations. This is not a good strategy when teaching online. Teachers are doing excellent work engaging students. We had 2 deer hunting contests online. Attendance is fairly good. Teachers have been reporting when students are not online. It's better face to face, but when parents are contacted, more get online. We are thinking of doing a Saturday school. We have started power hour virtually for those who want help. We are offering buy back classes up to 10 hours. Mr. Klever has tutoring classes after school to help students get caught up. We are needing computers. Aims results are in. Current sophomores have 2 students at high risk and 11 average. Most are proficient in English. Same class in math have 13 average and above and 7 slightly below average. We have new Science books.

Elementary Principal:

Enrollment is 156. Attendance is 88% for October. Pre-K is not online virtually right now. We are working out a plan. SFA (our intervention program) was here and went into classrooms. Teachers are under estimating themselves. They are doing a good job. Met with SCRL grant people. Working on Targeted Support grant. We need a core program for ELA. We had a Masked Singer event.

Old Business:

Motion was made by Jarski; seconded by Young Bird to Approve 2nd reading of Policy FFB ~ Attendance Absences (Required)

Roll:

Onstad – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U

Motion was made by; seconded by Onstad to Approve 2nd reading of Policy FFD ~ Carrying Weapons (Required)

Roll:

Clauson – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Motion was made by Young Bird; seconded by Jarski to Approve 2nd reading of Policies:

FFE ~ Extra-Curricular Requirements (Required)

FFK ~ Suspension Expulsion (Required)

GABAA ~ English Learners (Required)

GABDB ~ Title Disputes (Required)

Roll:

Young Bird – Aye
Clauson - Aye
Onstad – Aye

Jarski – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Building Updates:

The small gym in the sports complex is not done. There are scratches that need to be removed and painting touchups. The shot put and javelin areas are not completed as well as the fence under the bleachers.

New Business:

Motion made by Onstad; seconded by Jarski to Approve the Superintendent evaluation as satisfactory.

Roll:

Clauson – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U

Motion made by Young Bird; seconded by Clauson to Approve 1st Reading of Policy ABEA ~ Wellness (Required)

Roll:

Jarski – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U

Motion made by Onstad; seconded by Young Bird to Approve 1st Reading of Policy GCC ~ Student Surveys(Required)

Roll:

Jarski – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Motion made by Young Bird; seconded by Jarski to Approve 1st Reading of Policy HBAA ~ Federal Fiscal Compliance (Required)

Roll:

Onstad – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Hoff – Aye

M.C.U.

Motion made by Young Bird; seconded by Clauson to Approve 1st Reading of Policy IDC ~ Data Protection & Security Breaches. (Required)

Roll:

Clauson – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U

Motion made by Clauson; seconded by Jarski to Approve 2019/2020 Financial Report.

Roll:

Onstad – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

At the Board Retreat on October 28th, the main discussion was on Covid and staffing.

Parent who had concern about White Shield bus route did not show.

Motion was made by Young Bird; seconded by Jarski to Approve the Pre-K tuition waiver.

Roll:

Onstad – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Commented [JT1]:

Motion was made by Jarski; seconded by Clauson to Deny the Resignation of Henry Klever.

Roll:

Onstad – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Motion was made by Onstad; seconded by Clauson to Deny the Resignation of Lee Lopez.

Roll:

Young Bird – Aye
Clauson – Aye
Jarski – Aye

Onstad – Aye
Hoff – Aye
M.C.U.

Motion was made by Jarski; seconded by Young Bird to Approve Distant Learning through the end of the semester.

Roll:
Clauson – Aye
Jarski – Aye
Onstad – Aye
Young Bird – Aye
Hoff – Nay
M.C

Motion by Young Bird to Approve December 8th at 5:30 pm.
All in Favor

Motion made by Young Bird to Adjourn.
All in Favor

Meeting adjourned at 9:58 pm.

Michelle Hoff, President

Joani Tucker, Business Manager