School District of Edgar Regular Board Meeting Library Media Center June 29, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Corey Mueller at 6:00 p.m.

Attendance:

- 2 Administrators: Cari Guden, Tom McCarty
- 5 Board members: Corey Mueller, Gary Lewis, Pam Stahel, Becca Normington, Megan Wesolowski
- 5 guests

Recognition of persons wishing to address the Board:

Public participation - None

Staff/Student presentations:

Laura Baranek presented the School Nurse's report - It was a difficult year. More office visits in Edgar than the other schools Baranek serves. She has ideas to improve this trend. Baranek recognized Mandy Myszka's good work, and said she feels supported by Administration.

LMC director's report presented by Mrs. Hamann. Checkout data compared to pre-COVID has been positive. Biggest increase in checkouts is in young adult fiction. Middle school teachers are bringing students in for reading time. Tik Tok book reviews are popular and encourage reading. We will be adding electronic databases to upper middle school and high school. Would like to get high school English teachers to bring students to library on a more regular basis. Working toward 3-year goals presented to Board earlier in the year.

Elementary and MS/HS school Improvement Plan End of Year Reports and Attendance, Behavioral and Assessment Data: Tom McCarty reported. Effects of COVID-related disruptions are higher levels of behavioral issues. Gradual behavioral improvement expected over the next few years.

Administrative Reports

District Administrator: Cari Guden reported on meeting activity, athletic participation numbers and Special Education Board report. She shared a letter from a grandparent of a Class of 2022 graduate complimenting the school district on the good condition of the school building.

Administrators reports:

- Elementary report: 469 students are attending Summer School June 13-July 14. Hallways are busy and we are back to full capacity. Several staff are attending Marathon County Special Education Summer Academy July 18-21. Curriculum week will be August 1-5. Science and Social Studies will be the focus. Ensuring requirements are met. IM training will be August 8-9. District improvement plans will be discussed August 10-11.
- MS/HS report from Tom McCarty: Summer staff learning opportunities Science and social studies teachers are excited to make curriculum updates. Spring student activities: Sports Congratulations to the girls softball team for making it to the state championship tournament for the first time ever. Several students qualified for state track. FFA: Annual fishing trip held in Minnesota. Enjoyed the trip but they can't wait to get back to Canada. 2 FFA students qualified for state proficiency competition. FBLA: 1 student qualified for national competition. Marching band attending full day of 4th of July parades.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Becca Normington, seconded by Gary Lewis, to approve the agenda, minutes, financial statement and bills for payment. Motion carried unanimously.

Personnel

A motion was made by Pam Stahel, seconded by Megan Wesolowski to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

- Staff hires: Amy Hahn high school business education
- Teacher contract addendums for staff with Educator Effectiveness for certifications received.

Policy

- Employee Handbook for 2022-23 a number of changes were made.
- Student Handbooks (elementary, MS/HS) several changes were made. MS and HS handbooks were combined.
- Seclusion and restraint reports for 2021-22

A motion was made by Becca Normington, seconded by Pam Stahel, to approve the updated handbooks and the seclusion and restraint reports. Motion carried unanimously.

Finance

- Open enrollment report: 26 new applications. 8 new students wish top open enroll into the district.
- WIAA membership agreement for 2022-23: Fees waived once again.

A motion was made by Pam Stahel, seconded by Megan Wesolowski, to approve the Open Enrollment report and WIAA membership agreement. Motion carried unanimously.

Information only

Marathon County Special Education hires:

• IDS teacher: Ashley Blenker

Recognition of persons wishing to address the Board - None

Motion to adjourn was made by Becca Normington, seconded by Gary Lewis. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Rebecca Normington, Clerk