

***Leipsic Board of Education Meeting Highlights  
Tuesday, July 13, 2010  
High School Library***

The Leipsic Board of Education met for its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, July 13 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school library. All board members were in attendance. Following the roll call, Board members approved the minutes from previous meetings and the financial statements as presented. Treasurer David Miller reported no additional information other than that provided in his written report.

Board guests at the meeting included Assistant Athletic Director Yvette Schroeder. Mrs. Schroeder introduced Chelsea Rogers who will be the Lady Vikes Volleyball Coach for the upcoming season.

The following athletic supplemental contracts were approved per the athletic director's recommendation: Cammie Flores, Junior Varsity Cheerleading; Jon Spurgeon, Assistant Varsity Football; Wesley Schroeder, Assistant Varsity Football; Justin Sonnenberg, Assistant Varsity Football; Jeff Kirkendall, Junior Varsity Football; Kirk Wensink; Junior Varsity Asst. Football; Dana Mangas, Junior Varsity Volleyball; Tammy Wueller, Asst. Varsity Volleyball; Sara Ream, Freshman Volleyball; Scott Maag, Varsity Boys' Basketball; Chris Kuhlman, JV Boys' Basketball; Gary Kreinbrink, Varsity Girls' Basketball; Dana Mangas, Asst. Varsity Girls' Basketball; Dennis Warnecke, JV Girls' Basketball; Trevor Schroeder, Volunteer Football; Johnny Boyd, Volunteer Football; and Lindsey Gerten, Volunteer Varsity Asst. Volleyball.

The first reading of the Board Policies was approved. Those policies include: Policy 0167 – Voting; Policy 0169.1 – Public Participation at Board Meetings; Policy 2260.01 – Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Discrimination Based on Disability; Policy 2370 – Educational Options; Policy 3122.02 – Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee; Policy 3430.01 – FMLA Leave; Policy 4121 – Criminal History Record Check; Policy 4122.02 – Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee; Policy 4430.01 – FMLA Leave; Policy 6320 – Purchases; Policy 8210 – School Calendar; Policy 8462 – Student Abuse and Neglect; and Policy 9143 – Family and Civic Engagement Team.

Board Member Sam Walther asked that a slight change be made to Policy 0160. A line will be added to indicate that Leipsic Local School District provides an official district e-mail address for each individual board member. School board member e-mail addresses are posted on the Leipsic School District website.

A Youth Volleyball Camp planned for August 2 through August 5 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. was approved. This camp is for girls in grades 2 through 8.

The Board went into executive session for the purpose of discussing district superintendent and treasurer evaluations.

When the Board came out of executive session, Board members voted 5-0 in support of a 0% increase for both the superintendent and treasurer. Mike Bute was given an additional \$2,600.00 for his increase in administrative responsibilities for grades 5 and 6. Leipsic administrators do not have any form of an automatic salary step or salary index.

Mrs. Dewar requested and was granted a one-year contract extension for the 2011-2012 school year. The vote was 4 to 1 with Mrs. Marilyn Knueven casting the negative vote.

During Planning and Discussion, Mrs. Dewar highlighted some of the upcoming projects that are to be completed within the next few weeks. She noted that Construction progress meetings are held weekly and a Core Construction meeting is planned for every month throughout the project. Board members expressed concerns about the timeline for project completion. A Partnering Session for Contractors is planned for August 2 at 9:00 a.m. in the high school library. Mrs. Dewar highlighted Board members on the professional development day for teachers set for August 18 at the Fogle Center. Board member Sam Walther volunteered to prepare the all- staff lunch for teacher workday on Thursday, August 19.

The next regularly scheduled Leipsic Board of Education meeting is set for Tuesday, August 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the high school library.