

March 15, 2016

The Board of Trustees of Platte County School District #2 held their Regular Meeting at 7:00 PM on March 14, 2016. This report covers the major items of business at this meeting. In addition you are given a listing of topics, which will come up for discussion or action at future Board meetings.

1. Staff and Student Recognition –Ms. Hollin was recognized for a great week of Reading tied to Dr. Seuss’s birthday. There was a lot of participation from students and staff.
2. Parks and Rec’s Liaison, Tyler Schiele, addressed the Board regarding the weight room and the equipment. He asked if any upgrades were planned in the future as far as equipment and space. At this time the District has no immediate plans or funding to make any upgrades to the facility. There will be a meeting setup to begin some conversations and planning regarding any upgrading of the weight room.
3. Auditor, Cynthia Olson from Skogen, Cometto & Associates, gave the Trustees the 2014-2015 Audit Report. The board thanked Cynthia for attending and for giving her report. The board also thanked Kim Schrader, Business Manager, for all she does for PCSD#2.
4. The trustees were provided the Transportation Report for July 2015-December 2015. There were no areas of concerns at this time.
5. **Mr. Gunderson– K-12 Principal**
 - ❖ Mr. Gunderson reported that K-12 enrollment is now at 247.
 - ❖ The 8th Grade Honor Band attended a Band Festival in Glenrock on February 29th.
 - ❖ PAWS Testing began on March 8th and will continue through the 24th.
 - ❖ K-12 Attended a PI Celebration, which took place on Monday, March 14th. Mr. Gunderson and Mr. Cook received the most canned goods donations and received the honor of having a “pie in the face”.
 - ❖ High School Track began on Monday March 7th. Junior High Track will begin on April 4th.
 - ❖ Parent Teacher Conferences were held on March 10th and 11th. There was 65% participation in the High School. Some of the Elementary teachers will be finishing their conferences up this week.
 - ❖ State High School FBLA will be held in Cheyenne on March 16-19th. State FCCLA will be held in Cheyenne on March 30th thru April 1st.

- ❖ There were 26 Elementary Students, 10 Junior High Students, and 15 High School Students who had perfect attendance for the 3rd quarter.
- ❖ Spring Break will begin on March 25th and students will return on April 4th.
- ❖ Mr. Gunderson read a letter from Mr. Reichert thanking the Board, Administration, Booster Club and Parents for their support during the girls' basketball season.

6. **Mr. Beard – District & Curriculum**

- ❖ Mr. Beard and Mr. Flaherty will be attending a School Facilities Department meeting on Wednesday, March 16th to update the District's Facility Plan.
- ❖ The NSBA Conference arrangements were discussed. Mr. Beard will make the flight arrangements for all those who will be attending.

The Board of Trustees took the following actions at their meeting; approved the Minutes of February 8, 2016; approved the financial statements and payment of the bills; accepted the 2014-2015 Audit Report from Skogen, Cometto & Associates; reviewed a rough draft of the 2016-2017 Class Schedule; reviewed board policy JED and JED-R on Attendance and recommended changes to be made to the Student Travel Release Form; approved the changing of April 2016's Board Meeting from April 11 to April 18th due to Board members and Superintendent Beard attending the WSBA National Conference in Boston; approved a Special Board Meeting of PCSD#2 on Thursday, March 17, 2016 at 6 PM to discuss personnel; accepted the resignation of Ekho Wyatt as secondary English and Shawna Reichert as the Assistant Girls' Basketball Coach effective at the end of the 2015-2016 School Year.

UPCOMING TOPICS – April 18, 2016

The regular meeting of the Board will be held at 7:00 PM in the Boardroom. Items to be discussed in addition to regular business shall include:

1. Classified Re-Hire
2. Golden Viking
3. Approve 2016 Graduation List
4. Summer Custodial Staff