



Lapeer Community Schools Board Action Briefs

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Board of Education Meeting Thursday, September 4, 2014

The following Turrill Elementary Students led the Board and audience in the pledge of allegiance: Marin Readwin, Justin Readwin, Brenden Readwin, Kya Suckow, Mason Suckow, Luca Suckow, Addison Seifferly, Jackson Seifferly, Emily Christian, and Liam Badyrka.

Superintendent Matt Wandrie introduced Barb Bennett to the Board of Education. Barb is the new Associate Principal at the Zemmer Campus.

Turrill Principal Ken Janczarek reviewed the significant increases that have been shown by students in both math and reading. Teacher Bridgette Chaffin reviewed the reading and writing workshop and posted objectives that are being used in the classrooms and teacher Beth Shemanski reviewed the new Math Investigations program that has been implemented in the elementary schools this year.

Teacher Jennifer Christian reviewed the innovative choices that were made available to students during intercession last school year.

The following items were approved by the Board:

- Second reading and adoption of changes to Policy 8600 Transportation and Policy 8640 Transportation for Field Trips and Other District-Sponsored Trips.
- A special meeting for September 18, 2014 at 6:45 PM.
- The 2014 Tax Levy and Form L4029.
- The 2014-2015 Lapeer Transportation Association (LTA) Master Agreement.

Board members thanked Mr. Janczarek and his staff for their presentation.

Board members commented on how pleased they are with the new athletic complex. Mr. Oyster presented some historical information from the original Lapeer Community Schools athletic field that was built in the 1930's.

Board members thanked Lapeer Community School staff for making the first few days of the traditional school year successful for our students.

Superintendent Matt Wandrie commented on the first few days of school and how pleased he is with the support from the staff. He is happy to have the first phase of the athletic complex completed and is looking forward to the future of the district and the community.

Mr. Wandrie attended a meeting that the high school principals, Mr. Lindsay and Mr. Zeeman, had with the student council representatives regarding the date for the homecoming dance. He was pleased to see dialogue that took place and that the administrators listened to the student's concerns. The principals agreed to move the Homecoming dance back to Saturday evening.