

## Tri-Village Local Schools School of Excellence

Regular Board News Release

The Tri-Village Board of Education met on Monday, May 20, 2013 at 6:00 in the board office.

Mr. Lee Morris, JH/HS Principal commended Gage Berghoff and Casey Puckett for earning a spot in the State Science Fair on May 10, 2014 at The Ohio State University. We wish them the best of luck.

Students will be taking the spring Ohio Achievement Assessments over the next two weeks. During the day of their assessment the teaching staff will be serving breakfast to the students.

Students will participate in Cedar Point Math and Science Days on May 14-15, 2014.

Kelsey Timmerman, author of "Where am I Wearing," will be with us on Thursday May 15, 2014. He will give a general presentation to the entire 7-12 student body concerning ideas from his book and life experiences early in the day. Thank you to Mr. John Beard for organizing his visit.

On April 5 and 6, 2014, the dinner theatre 'Amore' performed and was once again a huge success. Congratulations to Mrs. Geneva Price, Miss Emily Venneman, their students, and all the volunteers who created a wonderful program.

Thanks to the high school student council for organizing and holding a community blood drive on April 9, 2014. Thirty-six participants donated blood.

Sergeant Michael Lewis and Officer Robert Reigle visited the campus to see if there was a way to improve traffic patterns after school in the parking lot and on the playground. They are seeking ways to become more involved in school daily operations.

We are happy to report that we raised \$1,534.13 for the Pennies for Patients Drive. This was sponsored by the National Honor Society.

Mr. Josh Sagester, Superintendent was pleased to report the closeout calculator for the building project is near completion. Mr. Sagester commended Mrs. Kimberly Chowning, Treasurer for a job well done.

Freshman orientation took place on April 8, 2014. Thank you to Mrs. Annette Black, Guidance Counselor and Mr. Morris for organizing this event.

Mr. Sagester discussed how the extended days were going. It is great to get the extended days in before the Ohio Achievement Testing begins.

Mr. Hollinger, Transportation Supervisor reported to Mr. Sagester that the State Highway Patrol inspection went well. All our buses passed inspection with zero red flags. Mr. Sagester commended Mr. Hollinger on keeping the buses road ready.

Mr. Sagester gave a brief legislative update and a third grade reading guarantee update. Currently students in the third grade will need to score a 392 on the Spring OAA or a 190 on the Summer MAP assessment. Mr. Mead is looking at some potential summer school options for students who need more intervention in grades 2 and 3.

Mr. Sagester was pleased to report that the final paperwork to begin processing new computers for our high school lab has been completed. The lab will be enhanced for the 2014-2015 PARCC assessments. This will give the district approximately 100 total hard wired desk-top computers in the district to use for testing.

Fifty students from Miami, Darke, and Champaign Countries competed in the Ohio Academy of Science West District Science Day, held at Central State University, Wilberforce, Ohio on Saturday, March 22, 2014. Over 460 students from seven counties participated in the all day event. Gage Berghoff and Casey Puckett received a superior rating. Emma Campbell, Keenan Fraylick, and Katelyn Hanes received an excellent rating. Keenan received a special award: CSU Biological Society Award, Southwest Ohio Water Environment Association Award and Stockholm Junior Water Prize Regional

Award. Gage & Casey received the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers Dayton Section Award. Of the nineteen students receiving superior ratings at the District Science Day, thirteen were selected to proceed to the State Science Day held at The Ohio State University on May 10, 21014 where 4.5 million in scholarships and special awards will be presented.

The Math Night Carnival was a huge success. "This is a phenomenal evening for our students and parents. I would like to publically thank Mrs. Bergman and host of other teachers for organizing our event. I would also like to thank the many staff members who volunteered their services as well," stated Mr. Sagester.

Mr. Sagester commended Mr. Brian Pohlman and his FFA students for their outstanding job at the annual FFA Banquet.

On behalf of Matt Fraylick, the district will be receiving an IBM grant in the amount of \$2,000 to be split between the STEM and MH programs.

On Thursday April 10, the district hosted Capital City Percussion, and instrumental group from Columbus, Ohio. They were in town for the winter Guard International WGI World Championships, which took place at the University of Dayton Arena, April 11-13, 2014.

Mr. Sagester congratulated Mrs. Karen Friar for being honored as the Teacher of the Year for Tri-Village. The Darke County Retired Teachers Association will recognize her at the yearend banquet.

Kindergarten registration is currently taking place. If you have any questions regarding signing your child up for kindergarten, please call the school at 996-1511.

## Next Board Meeting: Monday May 19, 2014 @ 6:00 p.m. in the board office.

## PERSONNEL

- A. Employ the following individuals as summer help.
  - Dave Brewer Lorraine Holzapfel Dawn Reed Dawn Green Cliff Pearson Haedon Schlechty Matthew Werner
- B. Issue a two year (2014-2015 and 2015-2016) limited certified contract to Emily Venneman, Multi Age (P-12) Music Teacher.
- C. Issue a two year (2014-2015 and 2015-2016) limited certified contract to Geneva Price, Special All Grades (K-12) Music Teacher.
- D. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited contract to James Foreman Jr., as a seasonal help employee (grounds maintenance).
- E. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Geneva Price, Vocal Music Director.
- F. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Emily Venneman, Band Director.
- G. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Catherine McNew, Color Guard Advisor.
- H. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Sharon Anderson, Academic Activity Advisor.
- I. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Debbie Frech, Junior High Student Council.
- J. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Shellie Francis, Senior Class Advisor.
- K. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Heather Stump, High School Student Council.
- L. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Angela Thomas, co-IAT Chair Elementary School.
- M. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Amanda Pohl, co-IAT Chair Elementary School.
- N. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Dana Heckman, IAT Chair High School.
- O. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Julian Grasso, Yearbook Advisor.
- P. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Jerry Hollinger, Transportation Supervisor.
- Q. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Josh Sagester, Head Boys Basketball Coach.
- R. Recognize Mick Sagester, Volunteer Boys Basketball Coach for the 2014-2015 season.
- S. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Logan Brubaker, Assistant Boys Basketball Coach.
- T. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Mark Wheeler, 7th Grade Boys Basketball Coach.
- U. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Steve Brewer, 8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach.
- V. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Brad Gray, Head Girls Basketball Coach.

- W. Issue a one year (2014–2015) limited supplemental contract to Mike Fisherback, Assistant Girls Basketball Coach.
- X. Issue a one year (2014–2015) limited supplemental contract to Chelsea Halderman, 8th Grade Girls Basketball Coach.
- Y. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Mike Albright, 7th Grade Girls Basketball Coach.
- Z. Issue a one year (2014–2015) limited supplemental contract to Rebecca Rother, Head Volleyball Coach.
- AA. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Amanda Pohl, Assistant Volleyball Coach.
- BB. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Tammy Foreman, 8th Grade Volleyball Coach.
- CC. Issue a one year (2014–2015) limited supplemental contract to Holly Beam, 7th Grade Volleyball Coach.
- DD. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Roger Frese, Head Boys Golf Coach.
- EE. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Dave Westfall, Head Girls Golf Coach.
- FF. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Chris Pearson, Fall Sports Coordinator.
- GG. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Scott Warren, Cross Country Coach.
- HH. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Christy Sarver, Assistant Cross Country Coach.
- II. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Danielle Bourne, Varsity Cheerleading Coach.
- JJ. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Ronda Wilson, Junior High Cheerleading Coach.
- KK. Employ Tracy Brown, Volunteer Power Lifting Coach for the 2014–2015 school year. (This program will operate without any expenses to the district.)
- LL. Employ Brent Fourman, Volunteer Bowling Coach for the 2014–2015 school year. (This program will operate without any expenses to the district.)
- MM. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited supplemental contract to Chris Pearson, Winter Sports Coordinator.
- NN. Employ Jamie Dohme, classified substitutes for the 2013-2014 school year.
- OO. Accept the resignation of Leesa Fokerth, Administrative Position for K-6 online Blended Learning Academy effective July 1, 2014.
- PP. Issue a five year (2014-2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, and 2018-2019) limited certified contract to Derek Flatter, Middle Childhood (4-9) Science & Social Studies Teacher.
- QQ. Issue a three year (2014-2015, 2015-2016, and 2016-2017) limited certified contract to Heather Stump, Integrated 7- 12 Mathematics Teacher.
- RR. Issue a two year (2014-2015 and 2015-2016) limited certified contract to Shaughn Bingham, Adolescence to Young Adult Life Sciences (Grades 7-12) Teacher.
- SS. Issue a two year (2014-2015 and 2015-2016) limited certified contract to Logan Brubaker, Adolescence to Young Adult (7-12) Integrated Language Arts Teacher.
- TT. Issue a two year (2014-2015 and 2015-2016) limited certified contract to Christy Cassel, Intervention Specialist Mild Moderate (K-12) Teacher.
- UU. Issue a one year (2014-2015) limited certified contract to Julian Grasso, Integrated Language Arts 7-12 Teacher.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Adopt the revised school calendar and revised school contingency plan.
- B. Accept the receipt of two \$200.00 American Express gift cards as presented by the Treasurer.
- C. Accept the following donations.
  - 1. \$4000.00 from First Rate Industries to the Athletic Department (Scoreboard Project)
  - 2. \$75.00 from Desiray Tuinstra to the FFA.
  - 3. New Pretzel Warmer from Cedar Grove Church to benefit the concession stand.
  - 4. \$92.41 from Kroger to benefit the Backpack Program.
  - 5. \$25.00 from Mark & Sondra Edger to the Kindergarten Club Fund.
  - 6. \$100.00 from Joanne Stocksdale to PATS to benefit the Backpack Program.
  - 7. \$100.00 from Farmers State Bank to Elementary Principals Fund to support OAA activities.
- D. Accept the following donations to the High School Boys Basketball Team.
  - 1. \$500.00 from Flory Landscaping
  - 2. \$1,000.00 from Craig & Lori White
  - 3. \$500.00 from Red Front Inn
  - 4. \$100.00 from Marty McCabe, McCabe Painting

- 5. \$500.00 from Rick & Julia Bell
- 6. \$321.00 from Masonic Temple
- 7. \$200.00 from New Madison Kiwanis Club
- 8. \$350.00 from Blue Pacific/Falknor Family
- 9. \$50.00 Ketring Locker Service
- 10. \$50.00 from Greg & Jane Eley
- 11. \$50.00 from Flaig Lumber
- 12. \$100.00 from Ludy's Greenhouse
- 13. \$150.00 from Braund Pope Funeral Home
- 14. \$500.00 from First Rate Industries
- 15. \$100.00 from Downing Fruit Farm
- 16. \$25.00 from Rismiller Auctioneer
- 17. \$300.00 from Florida Production
- 18. \$150.00 from Ford Transmission
- 19. \$50.00 from William and Betty Riegle
- 20. \$100.00 from Tracy Frech
- 21. \$300.00 from Jim Buchy
- 22. \$200.00 from Greenville Technology Inc.
- 23. \$55.13 from Uno Pizzeria
- E. Approve for graduation those members of the class of 2014 pending completion of all State and Local requirements.
- F. Appoint Lee Morris, JH/HS Principal to the TVEA negotiating team for the negotiating year beginning FY2015.
- G. Approve that all employees (regular and substitutes) will receive direct deposit notifications by electronic mail effective May 9, 2014, as recommended by the Treasurer.
- H. Approve the revised board policies.
- I. Approve the new board policies.
- J. Approve deleted board policy 2423 (School to Work Program).
- K. Clarify board motion 14–172 to read the Board of Education approve an overnight field trip for select FFA members to attend the State FFA Convention in Columbus, OH from May 1–2, 2014 under the direction of Brian Pohlman.
- L. Approve an overnight field trip for select FFA members to attend the State FFA Camp in Carrollton, OH from June 16, 2014 to June 20, 2014, under the direction of Mr. Brian Pohlman.