

**Lake Linden-Hubbell Public Schools
Board of Education
Regular Meeting
May 9, 2022**

A Regular Meeting of the Lake Linden-Hubbell Schools Board of Education was held in the Auditorium on Monday, May 9, 2022. The meeting was called to order by President Patricia Burton at 5:30 p.m.

Present: Jeff Dennis, Jennifer Beaudette, Courtney Holzberger, Patricia Burton, Lori Ambuehl, Ivan Niemi, Rob Johnson

Absent: None

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

There was one addition to the agenda. Under item number 6, a faculty report by the MTSS Team was added. There being no other changes to the agenda, a motion was made by Jennifer Beaudette and supported by Rob Johnson to accept the agenda. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Rob Johnson and supported by Courtney Holzberger to accept the May bills (totaling \$103,918.30), the Treasurer's Report, the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on April 11, 2022 and the minutes of the Board of Education Scholarship Committee meeting held on May 5, 2022. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

There were no expressions from the public.

Mr. Brad Codere gave a Superintendent/K-12 Principal Report. The Spring Band Concert was held on April 28 under the direction of Mrs. DeLong. The M-Step testing has started as well as other end of year assessments. Open House took place on the evening of May 5. We were notified that we have been awarded just over \$62,000 from the Michigan State Police for safety upgrades. Troy Corrigan has been named the Class of 2022 Valedictorian. Co-Salutatorians are Ariana Jeffery and Marcus Sutherland. The Prom will be held on May 14 and is the first one in three years. The Senior class schedule of events leading up to graduation was shared with the Board.

Mr. Jack Johnson gave the Elementary Coordinator's Report. Progress Reports were sent home last week. Current enrollment for the 2022-23 Preschool is 13 students and Kindergarten is 38 students. Registration for both programs is ongoing. The elementary school picnic will be held on the last day of school. Grades Y5-2 will go the Lake Linden Village Park and Grades 3-5 will spend the day at Chutes & Ladders in Houghton. Sixth Grade students will be leaving for Camp Nesbit on May 18. Kindergarten graduation has been scheduled for June 7 in the auditorium. Elementary Track & Field Days will take place on June 1-2.

Mr. Jack Kumpula gave an Athletic Director's Report.

Mr. Brad Fortin gave a Maintenance Report.

Mr. John Kurkowski gave a Transportation Report.

The MTSS Team gave a faculty report on the work they've done during the 2021-2022 school year.

Patricia Burton gave a report on the Board of Education Scholarship Committee meeting that was held on May 5, 2022.

A motion was made by Jennifer Beaudette and supported by Rob Johnson to approve the attendance of Superintendent Brad Codere at the U.P. Administrator's Academy to be held in Harris, Michigan, on August 1-2, 2022. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Lori Ambuehl and supported by Courtney Holzberger to establish the first instructional day of the 2022-2023 school year as Tuesday, September 6, 2022. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jeff Dennis and supported by Jennifer Beaudette to approve the 2021-2022 scholarship awards as presented by the Board of Education Scholarship Committee. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jeff Dennis and supported by Lori Ambuehl to review, discuss and act upon the Copper Country Intermediate School Board of Education proposed budget for 2022-2023 in accordance with Section 624 of the Revised School Code and submit pertinent objections and proposed changes to the budget no later than June 1, 2022 to the Intermediate Board or its Superintendent. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jennifer Beaudette and supported by Courtney Holzberger to approve the Michigan High School Athletic Association Cooperative Agreement as presented with the Houghton-Portage Township Schools for the sports of skiing and swimming. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jeff Dennis and supported by Courtney Holzberger to accept the letter of retirement resignation as presented by Tina Dupuis from her position as Elementary Teacher. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Courtney Holzberger and supported by Rob Johnson to accept the letter of resignation as presented by Jessica Mills from her position as Elementary Paraprofessional. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Rob Johnson and supported by Lori Ambuehl to accept the letter of resignation as presented by Sierra Solomonson from her position as Food Service Worker. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Lori Ambuehl and supported by Jennifer Beaudette to accept the letter of resignation as presented by Jack Johnson from his position as Varsity Girls Basketball Coach and Eighth Grade Girls Basketball Coach. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Other:

A Negotiations Committee meeting needs to be scheduled. Committee members will be contacted to set a date and time.

The End of the Year Social will take place on Friday, June 10, 2022. Board members are invited to attend.

A grant, applied for in cooperation with Upper Great Lakes Family Health, to create a school based clinic has been approved. This project will involve renovating a classroom in the elementary building into a medical office to provide services in our school.

A summer school program is being planned with Hancock Public Schools again this year. The program will be very similar to the one last summer.

There being no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Courtney Holzberger and supported by Lori Ambuehl to adjourn the meeting at 6:51 p.m. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.