

**Lake Linden-Hubbell Public Schools
Board of Education
Regular Meeting
January 9, 2023**

A Regular Meeting of the Lake Linden-Hubbell Schools Board of Education was held in the Auditorium on Monday, January 9, 2023. The meeting was called to order by President Patricia Burton at 5:42 p.m.

Present: Jeff Dennis, Jennifer Beaudette, Courtney Holzberger, Patricia Burton, Lori Ambuehl, David Anderson, Rob Johnson

Absent: None

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

A motion was made by Courtney Holzberger and supported by David Anderson to accept the agenda. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jennifer Beaudette and supported by Courtney Holzberger to accept the January bills (totaling \$95,386.21), the Treasurer's Report and the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on December 12, 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 Lakes Quiz Bowl Team has advanced to the "Erudite Eight" round for the second year in a row. Their initial match against Westwood will be broadcast on WNMU-TV13 on January 14. The next required lockdown drill is scheduled to take place during lunch this Thursday. The Math tutoring that was implemented is going well. Students are utilizing the service. Our Band will be taking part in the Band Festival this year at Houghton in March. The first semester exam schedule has been posted.

Mr. Jack Johnson gave the Elementary Principal's Report. The first semester will end on January 27. There will be a half day of instruction for students on January 26 and 27 with a half day of inservice and records day in the afternoon. The School Spelling Bee will be held on January 11 and the District Spelling Bee with Dollar Bay-Tamarack City Schools on January 24. The Eagle Radio Can-A-Thon was a big success with the elementary school collecting over 700 items to donate. A Saturday Basketball program for elementary students has begun with Brett Poissant and Brett Gervais. Teachers have been handing out "Rocks" as part of the PBIS Incentives program. Each rock has a numerical value and can be redeemed at the Rock Shop.

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

Mr. Brad Fortin gave a Maintenance Report.

Mr. John Kurkowski gave a Transportation Report.

In observance of School Board Member Recognition Month in Michigan, the Lake Linden-Hubbell Board of Education members were honored for their contributions and commitment to the education of children.

A motion was made by Jennifer Beaudette and supported by David Anderson to approve a Maternity Leave of Absence as requested by Ellen Jarvis. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Jeff Dennis and supported by Courtney Holzberger to approve three days of unpaid leave as requested by Karen Destrampe. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.

Other:

Board members were asked to start thinking about potential graduation speakers for the 2023 Commencement.

The Michigan Association of School Boards is offering CBA259 on January 10. Board members interested in attending should contact the Superintendent's Office right away.

The New Holland tractor that was up for sale has been sold.

There being no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Lori Ambuehl and supported by Courtney Holzberger to adjourn the meeting at 6:28 p.m. Roll call vote. Motion unanimously carried.