

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

L'ANSE AREA SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

October 18, 2021

1. The Regular Meeting of the L'Anse Area Schools Board of Education was called to order by President, Mrs. Bugni, on October 18, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. in the Board Room of the High School #169.
2. ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:
The following members were in attendance:
Mrs. Paulson, Mr. Fedie, Mrs. Bugni, Mr. Dantes, Mr. Gransell, and Mrs. Waara.
Excused: Mrs. Nordstrom

Administrative personnel in attendance:
Superintendent Ms. Tollefson, Mrs. Scroggs & Mr. Meleen.
3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA:
Motion by Mr. Fedie, supported by Mr. Gransell to approve the Agenda for the October 18, 2021, Regular Board of Education meeting. Motion carried.
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
Motion by Mr. Gransell, supported by Mr. Dantes to approve the minutes for the Regular Board of Educating meeting held on September 20, 2021. Motion carried.
5. HORNET HIGHLIGHTS:
Mrs. Scroggs introduced Marcie Carlisle, *Long Term Sub for Special Education* in the elementary; David Hunter, *4th Grade Teacher*; and Jamie Oger, *CTE Instructor, Machine Woods & Metal Fabrication Teacher* at the I.E. Building.
6. STUDENT REPORTS: Kayla Kujansuu reported Homecoming was a success! Y.I.G. will be going to Northern Michigan University this week; Parents Night for Volleyball, Football and Cheer was held on Friday, Oct. 15; SLACK will hold their first meeting at the school this month; Veteran's Day breakfast and assembly are being planned.
7. EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH: October ~ Sonya Evans, *Library Director & Substitute Teacher*
8. STAFF PARTICIPATION: None
9. FINANCES:
Motion by Mr. Fedie, supported by Mrs. Paulson approve the payment of bills as presented. Motion carried.
10. NEW BUSINESS:
 - A. Motion by Mrs. Waara, supported by Mr. Fedie to approve the Resolution to Impose a Summer Tax Levy to collect 100% of annual school property taxes. Motion carried.
 - B. Hires: *None*
Resigned: Laura Webb – *JSH Special Education Aide*
 - C. COVID Response Plan was reviewed.
 - D. Annual budget reports from Booster Club, Band Boosters and LAS Foundation were reviewed. Report from PTO is expected in November.

11. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS: *were presented in packet*

- A. Alternative School
- B. Maintenance-Custodial-Transportation Supervisor
~ Mr. Meleen commented on the success of Homecoming week; students were thankful for all the events. Also working with Student Support Coordinator.
- C. K-12 Principal
- D. Superintendent – also thanked Theresa Bianco, Business Manager, with the audit. Discussed a letter sent to Baraga Area Schools.

12. BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- A. Education Resources –did not meet
- B. Extra-curricular – will meet following Board meeting
- C. Community School Advisory Board – met on Wednesday
- D. Finance – will meet this month
- E. Library Advisory Board – did not meet
- F. CCASB – will meet Oct. 20
- G. CCISD – will meet on Oct. 15
- H. Wellness Committee – did not meet
- I. L.A.S. Foundation – met in last week
- J. L.E.A. – did not meet

13. STUDENT COMMENTS: Mr. Meleen thanked Kayla Kujansuu for all her hard work with homecoming and other events.

14. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None

15. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:

Mr. Fedie thanked Kayla Kujansuu for continuing the Veteran's Day breakfast and assembly; it is greatly appreciated by veterans.

16. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Mr. Fedie, supported by Mr. Gransell to adjourn the meeting at 5:53 p.m.
Motion carried.


KATIE WAARA, *Secretary*


JOAN BUGNI, *President*