

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 195
Randolph, Minnesota 55065

REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

February 16, 2021

- 1) The Randolph School Board met in regular session on Tuesday, February 16, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. in the Commons. Gary Moorhouse called the meeting to order. Directors present: Regina Wernimont, Leah Radman, Jason Podritz, Heather Siebenaler, Gary Moorhouse and Michael Kelley. Director absent: Cory Lorenzen. Administrators present: Benjamin Fisher, Aaron Soule and Patty Riemenschneider. Staff member present: Kathy Stauffer. Guest: Matt Lambert.
- 2) A motion to approve the agenda with the addition of one spring coach– Matt Weber, Junior High Baseball Coach - was made by Jason Podritz, seconded by Leah Radman. All members voting in favor.
- 3) A motion was made by Regina Wernimont, seconded by Jason Podritz to approve the following consent agenda items:
 - 3.1) Minutes of the Regular School Board meeting held January 19, 2021, as presented.
 - 3.2) January 2021, check register/cash & investments.All members voting in favor.
- 4) Member, Regina Wernimont, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF DONATIONS

WHEREAS the following have been generously donated:

- Gemini - \$250.00 for Randolph School Boys Basketball

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member, Jason Podritz.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Randolph School Board to gratefully accept this gift.

Upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

Heather Siebenaler, Jason Podritz, Leah Radman, Regina Wernimont, Gary Moorhouse
(Cory Lorenzen absent)

and the following voted against the same: None

whereupon said resolution was declared and duly passed and adopted.

- 5) A motion was made by Regina Wernimont, seconded by Heather Siebenaler, to approve the 2021-2022 School Calendar. All members voting in favor.
- 6) Benjamin Fisher, High School Principal/Special Ed Director, reported Prom is scheduled for May 1st; High School Play performance will be "Clue" on April 23 & 24; DC/NY Trip – Rich Qualey will be the new trip organizer (LaRae Sachen has stepped down) .
- 7) Aaron Soule, Assistant HS Principal/Activities Director congratulated Megan Erickson, who has now exceeded 1,563 points in basketball - an all new school record! MSHSL constant sports updates; Band Concert will be filmed in March and be able to be viewed virtually; Chris Green will be starting a Bass Fishing Team for students in grades 6-12 – two participants will be allowed per boat with a parent along to drive the boat.
- 8) Matt Rutledge, Elementary Principal, reported the 5th & 6th grade Science Fair will be held March 16-19; Spelling Bee will be held February 23; Title One, along with Star Reading & Math, have changed to a more electronic format – less paper; 4-6 grade basketball scrimmages; hoping to offer babysitting and drama driven community education classes this spring.
- 9) Michael Kelley, Superintendent, gave a construction update; COVID update – constant monitoring, the guidelines handcuff us, families have had great communication with the school, ups and downs; COVID vaccine update – all school employees have had an opportunity to get the vaccine, by mid-March all should have had their second vaccine, approximately half of the staff have been vaccinated; Spanish Trip to Belize is scheduled for June 21-28 (not March); Annual Bus Inspections will be held on March 4; newly elected Minnesota Legislative Senator, Zach Duckworth, visited Randolph School on February 16th – he wanted to see and learn how schools are handling COVID, how Randolph School has been able to stay in session, he hears from MDH - but schools are living it, we pointed out the 14 day guideline which can really affect us - he was not aware of that; it was a good meeting.
- 10) The Finance Committee reported on the meeting held February 16th.
- 11) A motion was made by Jason Podritz, seconded by Heather Siebenaler to approve Mark Woodward's resignation from his Junior High Baseball Coach position. All members voting in favor.

- 12) A motion was made by Leah Radman, seconded by Jason Podritz, to approve the following spring coaches as assigned for 2020-2021:

Head Baseball Coach – Chris Stanton
Assistant Baseball Coaches – Braxton Lindow and Jared Rowan
Junior High Baseball Coaches – Brody Anderson and Matt Weber
Head Softball Coach – Dennis Trom
Assistant Softball Coaches – Chelsi Marks and Ashleigh Lindow
Junior High Softball Coaches – Gabby Geissler and Kaitlen Ellingson
Play/Musical – Deanna Shellen
Assistant Play/Musical – Alisha Ehleringer
Prom/Post Prom Coordinator – Kary Jensen
Math Masters – Brienna Mulvihill
Volunteer Softball Coach – Mike Silk
Volunteer Baseball Coach – Nate Overby

All members voting in favor.

- 13) Mr. Kelley presented the First Reading of the following policy:

722 – Public Data Requests

- 14) Michael Kelley, Superintendent, presented the School Board Members with Certificates of Appreciation as a thank you for all of the support, time and dedication that our Board Members give to our School District. The week of February 22nd is School Board Recognition Week in Minnesota.

- 15) A motion to adjourn was made by Regina Wernimont, seconded by Jason Podritz. All members voting in favor.

Acting Clerk: Regina Wernimont