



## WPS BOARD BRIEFS

### Regular Board Meeting

March 27, 2023 ~ 5:00 PM

03/13/23 Board Minutes:  
**Action Item – Approved**

The Board reviewed and approved the minutes of the regular session WPS Board of Education meeting held at 6:00 PM on Monday, March 13, 2023.

Personnel Transactions:  
**Action Item – Approved**

The Board reviewed and approved the following personnel transactions:

#### **New Hires:**

Michael Burde, Director of Secondary Teaching & Learning, Effective 4/10/23

Dat Nguyen, Network and Technology Support Specialist, Effective 4/10/23

#### **Leaves of Absence:**

Counselor - District, FMLA, 3/01/23 - 4/28/23

#### **Retirements / Resignations:**

Cheri Arend, Food Service, Effective 3/20/23

Bernice Oliver, Paraprofessional, Effective 3/30/23

Tara Truskoski, Teacher - WHS, Effective 8/14/23

Mykiea Tyner, Food Service, Effective 3/20/23

Eloise West, Food Service, Effective 2/28/23

Superintendent Evaluation  
Sections D & E:

Following the committee meeting, the Board met to work through Section D, Business & Finance, and Section E, Instructional Leadership, of Superintendent Hoekstra's 2022-23 evaluation. The group will use the superintendent evaluation tool provided by MASB.

School News Network Article  
Analytics:

The Board reviewed analytics, provided by the School News Network, on the past 25 WPS SNN stories. The data provided shows that the article on Huntington Woods Early Childhood Center Paraprofessional Jerry Campbell saw the most traffic with 1,353 page views as of March 15<sup>th</sup>.

KIASB Legislative Dinner –  
April 27, 2023

The Board was reminded of the upcoming KIASB Legislative Dinner which will be held at KCTC on Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM.

February 2023 Finance  
Reports:  
**Action Item – Approved**

The Board reviewed and approved the February 2023 check register and budget to actual report.

<p>Chromebook Purchase: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the quote associated with the purchase of 925 Chromebooks with the Google Chrome Education Upgrade from CDW in the amount of \$275,650.</p>
<p>State Assessment Family Letter:</p>	<p>The State assessment window is April 10 through May 24. Building principals are working at the building level to create building testing schedules.</p>
<p>2023-24 WHS Curriculum Guide – Special Education Course Updates: <b>Action Item - Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the proposed updates to special education courses offered at WHS.</p>
<p>WHS Club Proposal – Yu-Gi-Oh: <b>Action Item - Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the Yu-Gi-Oh club proposal submitted by Wyoming High School. The club will provide an opportunity for scholars to play a popular card game and connect with others who have a similar interest.</p>
<p>WHS Trip Request – BPA: <b>Action Item - Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the Wyoming High School scholar trip request for travel to and from the BPA National Leadership Conference in Anaheim, California from April 26<sup>th</sup> through the 30<sup>th</sup>. Those attending will attend workshops and community service activities and compete in the national competition.</p>
<p>WHS Trip Request – Science Olympiad: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the Wyoming High School scholar trip request for travel to and from the Science Olympiad held at Grand Valley State University on March 18, 2023.</p>
<p>WHS Trip Request – Calvin University: <b>Action Item – Approved</b></p>	<p>The Board reviewed and approved the Wyoming High School scholar trip request for members of the Sophomore Class to travel to and from Calvin University on April 13, 2023.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Scholar 2223.07: <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>A recommendation was made for the expulsion of the student known as #2223.07 for 180 days. Reinstatement of this student would depend on specific criteria being met for re-enrollment of the student in March of 2024.</p>
<p>Suspension / Expulsion of Scholar 2223.08: <b>Action Item – Expelled</b></p>	<p>A recommendation was made for the expulsion of the student known as #2223.08 for 180 days. Reinstatement of this student would depend on specific criteria being met for re-enrollment of the student in March of 2024.</p>
<p><b><u>Upcoming Events:</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Board Committee Work Session</u></b> Thursday, April 20, 2023 – 4:30 PM Thursday, May 4, 2023 – 4:30 PM</p>

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**Board Meetings:**

Monday, April 24, 2023 – 5 PM

Monday, May 8, 2023 – 5 PM

**Other:**

Oriole Park Literacy Night – Oriole Park – March 28, 2023 – 6 PM

Spring Break – March 31, 2023 – April 7, 2023

Feeding America Food Pantry – Gladiola – April 24, 2023 – 5 PM

K-8 BoE Scholar Citizenship Awards – April 24, 2023 – 5 PM

KIASB Legislative Dinner – KCTC – April 27, 2023 – 6 PM

2022-23 WPS Retiree Celebration – May 18, 2023 – 6 PM

WHS Class of 2023 Graduation – May 24, 2023 – 6:30 PM