SBDM Council

Dawson Springs Junior/Senior High School

Minutes of Regular Meeting: June 21, 2017

Meeting called to order. Members present: Kyle Chappell, Kati Griffin, Wayne Simpson, Keli Tolbert, and Kevin Stockman. Also present DeNell Storms (Secretary) and Katie Hess (*The Progress*). Member absent: Lisa Littlejohn.

Agenda:

* Approved agenda. Motion – Ms. Griffin. Second – Mr. Chappell. 4-0

Minutes:

* Approved minutes from May 10, 2017. Motion – Ms. Tolbert. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0

Budget:

* Approved the 2016-2017 budget with a final balance of $7,110.31. Motion – Mr. Chappell. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0
* Approved rolling the 2016-2017 budget balance over to 2017-2018. Motion – Mr. Chappell. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0

Old Business:

* NONE

New Business:

* Approved entering a Special Session to discuss Personnel. Motion - Ms. Tolbert. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0
* Approved re-entering Regular Session. Motion – Ms. Tolbert. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0
* Approved recommending to the Principal the following hire for 2017-2018: Van ‘Steve’ Head, Middle School Exceptional Child LBD Resource Co-Teacher. Motion - Mr. Chappell. Second - Ms. Tolbert. 2-0 with 2 abstaining.
* Approved recommending to the Principal the following hire for 2017-2018: Summer Burgett, Instructional Assistant – Moderate/Severe Disabilities Classroom. Motion – Mr. Chappell. Second – Ms. Griffin. 3-0 with 1 abstaining.
* Approved the 2017-2018 Code of Acceptable Behavior. Motion – Ms. Griffin. Second – Mr. Chappell. 4-0
* Approved the 2017-2018 Certified Evaluation Plan. Motion – Ms. Griffin. Second – Ms. Tolbert. 4-0

Adjourn: Approved – Motion – Ms. Tolbert. Second – Ms. Griffin. 4-0

Next SBDM meeting is scheduled for 3:30pm on July 19, 2017.

**Adjustments to the Code of Acceptable Behavior for 2017-2018**

**Rule 11. Dress and Grooming Code (Page 40)**

3.  Hair shall be clean and neatly groomed.  Hair color and style shall not interfere with the educational process in the reasonable discretion of the principal or designee.  ~~Only natural hair color is acceptable for Elementary School students.~~

10. The length of skirts/dresses and shorts shall reflect modesty and good taste and be monitored by regulations enforced at each school.  Skirts/dresses, cover-ups, and shorts must extend to at least half way between finger tips and the top of the knees when arms are extended at sides.  ~~within at least three (3) inches of the top of the knee.~~  Material three inches or more above the knee must be free of any alterations.  All holes three inches or more above the knee should be permanently patched with fabric on the outside of the garment.  Tape is unacceptable.

**Rule 12. Electronic Devices (Page 42)**

Student possession of Electronic Devices on Jr/Sr High School grounds and school buses is a privilege for communication with parents and/or law enforcement and/or for the purpose of school work related research.  Electronic Devices include but are not limited to the following: Portable music devices; Cell phones; Computers; Pagers; Portable game units; Other mechanisms that enable users to communicate electronically person-to-person or through internet social networking sites such as Facebook, ~~MySpace,~~ Snap Chat, Instagram, and Twitter.  In order to preserve the proper educational environment and prevent disturbances, the following conditions must be observed.

**Rule 18. Gangs, Secret Societies, Illegal Assembly or Inciting Others (Page 44)**

No student on or about school property or at any school activity –

1. Shall wear, possess, use, distribute, display or sell any clothing, bandanas, jewelry, emblem, badge, symbol, sign or other thing which is evidence of membership in or affiliation with any gang.

**Rule 33. Attendance (Page 52)**

A student is considered truant with 3 unexcused absent or tardy events and a habitual truant with 6 unexcused absent or tardy events.  Absences are cumulative for the year and include any absences transferred from another school district.

**Excessive Absences/Tardies (Page 55)**

Once a student has accumulated 10 or more unexcused events ~~absences and/or tardies~~, the student’s driving/parking privileges will be revoked.  In addition, the privileges of attending Prom, Homecoming, pep rallies, window painting and any other activity determined by the principal will be withheld.

**EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY ATTENDANCE POLICY   (Page 18)**

* Guests must be 20 years of age or younger on the date of the event and must show proof of age at least TWO DAYS prior to the event.  A copy of a photo ID showing birth date must be provided with the verification form.  Also, the photo ID will be checked at the door prior to gaining admission to the event.

**Dance Attire Guidelines (Page 17)**

GIRLS (Applies to ALL Dances):

* Dress length for short dresses-No shorter than 3 inches above the knee
* Neckline-No plunging necklines-cannot be below the bra line.  If plunging occurs, mesh or flesh colored material must cover the open space.
* Slits may extend to half way between finger tips and the top of the knees when arms are extended at sides. ~~No slits more than three (3) inches above the knee.~~
* Back-Cannot scoop lower than the bend of the waist.
* Cut-outs on sides of dress-No cut-outs below the waist.  Any cut-outs along the side need to follow the “back” guidelines and not drop below the bend of the waist nor may they extend toward the front of the dress any farther than the midline (seam) on each side of the dress.  Any openings can be covered with mesh or flesh colored material to meet guidelines.
* Two-piece dresses-The top and bottom must meet~~.  No skin is to show unless there is mesh or flesh colored material.~~

**COMPETITIVE FOODS (Page 7)**

**Commercially prepared/restaurant foods or drinks shall not be brought into school by students nor shall they be sold and/or delivered to students ~~There shall be no sale and/or delivery of commercially prepared/restaurant foods to students~~ at school before or during the school’s designated breakfast and/or lunch serving period other than those provided by the school cafeteria.  In addition, students shall not bring bottled or canned carbonated beverages to be consumed during the lunch period.**

**Matrix (Page 69)**

Change Petty Theft from $300 to $500.

**Certified Evaluation Plan**

TWO Admin Observations and ONE Peer Observation instead of THREE and ONE.

Student Growth no longer included.

Observer Certification and Calibration no longer required.

**2017-2018 Personnel (Pending completion of hiring process)**

Van ‘Steve’ Head – Exceptional Child LBD Resource/Co-Teacher Grade K-8

Summer Burgett – Instructional Assistant – Moderate/Severe Disabilities Classroom

Brannigan Ethridge – Middle School Mathematics Teacher

Carol Niswonger – High School English/Language Arts Teacher

Kyle Chappell - HS Boys Basketball Assistant/JV Coach (1/2)

Eric Peyton – HS Boys Basketball Assistant/JV Coach (1/2)

Charles Pace – HS Boys Basketball Assistant/9th Grade Coach

Van ‘Steve’ Head – MS Boys Basketball Coach

Kevin ‘Scott’ Clark – MS Girls Basketball Coach