Board of Education Regular Meeting

January 31, 2019 7:30 PM Walton-Verona MS/HS Multi-Purpose Room 32 School Road Walton, KY 41094

Attendance Taken at 7:30 PM:

Present Board Members:

Mr. Kyle Art

Ms. Megan Jones

Ms. Heather Stewart

Ms. Stacey Thornberry

Mr. David Turner

The following people were in attendance: Karri Kearns, Adam Nash, Fred Carter, Lincoln Theinert, Jeremy Key, Michelle Gregg, Joanne Nesmith, Lara Messmer, Rob Hartman, Tonya Freeman, Chuck Freeman, Eric Morwessel, Marcia Vanover, Caitlyn R. Sullivan, Kevin Ryan, Kim Chevalier, Jason Reis, and Matt Baker.

- I. Routine Business
- I.A. Call to Order
- I.B. Pledge of Allegiance led by 4th grader Dacy F.
- I.C. Roll Call
- I.D. Approval of the Agenda

Order #19-664 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Mr. Kyle Art.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

II. Informational Items

II.A. Spotlight Report - Lauren Wenstrup and the WVHS Academic Team Due to weather concerns, Mrs. Wenstrup and the Academic Team were unable to attend the meeting. They will reschedule for another meeting.

Marcia Vanover, from Boone County Public Works, was present to announce that Dacy Freeman, a 4^{th} grade student at Walton-Verona Elementary School, had one of the winning slogans for their annual calendar. She presented the Board with copies of the calendar.

II.B. Principals Report see attachments #1-3

- WVES Principal Rob Hartman shared data on feedback from both teachers and parents regarding parent/teacher conferences.
- WVMS Principal Eric Morwessel showed targeted MAP data, including data from gap groups.
- WVHS Principal Joanne Nesmith explained the interventions that have been and are in
 place for juniors who are preparing to take the ACT in March. Ms. Stewart asked about the
 status of applications for IGNITE, the new regional school, and Mrs. Nesmith stated that
 our interested students should find out in February whether or not they have been
 accepted.

II.C. Construction Report Jeremy Key, facilities director

Mr. Key updated the Board concerning progress on the track, the field turf, the paving project bids, the early childhood center (weather has halted outdoor progress, but the interior walls are up, and windows and doors will be set in February), and the middle school renovation project.

II.D. Attendance/Enrollment Report see attachment #4

II.E. Other

- Dr. Baker introduced and welcomed his executive coach, Dr. Fred Carter, who was on hand as part of Dr. Baker's new superintendent training.
- Ms. Jones referenced an email that she received from a preschool parent regarding a training opportunity for teachers.
- Mr. Jones asked what the policy would be for out of district students at the preschool. Dr. Baker reported that the February work session would focus on preschool details.

II.F. Audience of Citizens There was no audience of citizens.

III. Recommended Board Motions

III.A. Approval of Minutes

Order #19-673 - Motion Passed: Approval of the meeting minutes passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Mr. Kyle Art.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.B. Approve Treasurer's Report

Month ending December 31, 2018

Beginning Balance	\$10,491,978.51
Receipts	845,318.80
Expenditures	(1,420,225.88)
Ending Balance	\$ 9,917,071.43
General Fund	6,616,519.44
Fund 2	(192,502.01)

Other Funds 3,493,054.00 **Total All Funds** \$ 9,917,071.43

Order #19-674 - Motion Passed: Approval of the Treasurer's Report passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Ms. Stacey Thornberry. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.C. Approve Orders of the Treasurer (bills)

Order #19-675 - Motion Passed: Approval of Orders of the Treasurer (bills) passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Ms. Heather Stewart.

5 Yeas - 0 Navs.

III.D. Approval of the 2019-2020 Draft Budget

Order #19-676 - Motion Passed: Approval of the 2019-2020 Draft Budget passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Mr. Kyle Art. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.E. Approval of Pay Application 8 for Morel Construction - WV Early Childhood Center

Order #19-677 - Motion Passed: Approval of Pay Application 8 for Morel Construction - WV Early Childhood Center passed with a motion by Mr. Kyle Art and a second by Mr. David Turner. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.F. Approval of construction bids for Walton-Verona Paving Project and award contract to Riegler Blacktop, Inc.

Order #19-678 - Motion Passed: Approval of construction bids for Walton-Verona Paving Project and award contract to Reigler Blacktop, Inc. passed with a motion by Mr. Kyle Art and a second by Ms. Stacey Thornberry.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.G. Approval of Revised BG1 for Walton-Verona Paving Project

Order #19-679 - Motion Passed: Approval of Revised BG1 for Walton-Verona Paving Project passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Mr. David Turner. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.H. Approval of Field Trips

Order #19-680 - Motion Passed: Approval of Field Trips passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Mr. Kyle Art. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.I. Approval of 2019-2020 SFCC KETS Offer of Assistance

Order #19-681 - Motion Passed: Approval of 2019-2020 SFCC KETS Offer of Assistance passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Mr. Kyle Art. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.J. Approval of the 2019 Comprehensive District Improvement Plan

Order #19-682 - Motion Passed: Approval of the 2019 Comprehensive District Improvement Plan passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Ms. Stacey Thornberry. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.K. Approval of Amendment to the 2018-2019 School Calendar

Order #19-683 - Motion Passed: Approval of Amendment to the 2018-2019 School Calendar passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Mr. Kyle Art.

4 Yeas - 1 Nays.

Mr. Kyle Art	Yes
Ms. Megan Jones	Yes
Ms. Heather Stewart	Yes
Mrs. Stacey Thornberry	Yes
Mr. David Turner	No

III.L. Adopt a Resolution authorizing the Walton-Verona Independent Schools Finance Corporation to issue Revenue Bonds Lincoln Theinert of Ross, Sinclaire and Associates, LLC, presented the Plan of Financing.

Order #19-684 - Motion Passed: Adopt a Resolution authorizing the Walton-Verona Independent Schools Finance Corporation to issue Revenue Bonds passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Ms. Stacey Thornberry.

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.M. Approval to enter into executive session pursuant to KRS 61.807(1)(c) - Discussions of proposed or pending litigation against or on behalf of the public agency

Order #19-685 - Motion Passed: Approval to enter into executive session at 8:17 PM pursuant to KRS 61.807(1)(c) - Discussions of proposed or pending litigation against or on behalf of the public agency passed with a motion by Mr. Kyle Art and a second by Mr. David Turner. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

III.N. Approval to return to open session

Order #19-686 - Motion Passed: Approval to return to open session passed with a motion by Mr. David Turner and a second by Ms. Heather Stewart.

III.O. Adjournment
Order #19-687 - Motion Passed: Approval to adjourn the meeting at 9:55 PM passed with a motion by Ms. Heather Stewart and a second by Mr. Kyle Art. 5 Yeas - 0 Nays.
Chairperson
Secretary

5 Yeas - 0 Nays.

attachment # 1

WALTON-VERONA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Walton-Verona Elementary School Council Report for Board of Education 1-31-19

On January 8th, 2019, the elementary school worked with NKY Coop for Ed Services (math consultant Kimberly Snowball) on school wide PLC (professional learning community) framework for analyzing classroom common assessment data. Teachers given format to use for disaggregating their own data to find trends and also to determine if test questions match the intended standard. This work will be ongoing throughout the rest of the year and beyond. On the agreed upon day of the week for team meetings, teachers will also use common planning time to make sure everyone on the same page as far as curriculum and when next assessments will be held.

Teachers got to see their own growth and proficiency reports from Winter MAP tests. Teachers can see if they made "expected, less-than-expected, or higher-than-expected" growth in reading and math thus far. Teachers can also use this information to see who among their grade level group was having the most success and use that information as a talking point in their grade level PLC time.

WVES busy at work writing our Read to Achieve (RTA) grant renewal document. This consists of several questions that we have to answer in narrative style along with data points where necessary. This happens every 2 years. Mrs. Jackie Sheaffer (the RTA teacher) was the lead on this project.

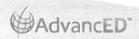
WVES Science Club Fair was held on Monday, January 14th. 4th Grader Avery Turner was our champion and Isabella Sturgeon was our runner up. They will compete at regionals at NKU in a few short weeks.

On February 11th our school will take part in the NKU CINSAM sponsored "fishbowl" experience here on our campus. We will host the NKU teachers as well as reps from 3 other local schools. We view a science lesson in one of our classrooms with our kids. Then the adult participants will be taken to a debriefing area where they discuss what they saw. NKU CINSAM covers the cost of the subs for the teachers who are involved. It is a great learning experience for all involved.

February 9th, WVES hosts the local Governor's Cup competition. This is rotated among several schools in our division each year.

Kindergarten registration blitz for the 2019-2020 school year will take place the week of February 11th. There has been word sent out through various forms of communication. Parents have the whole week to stop in with no appointment necessary and we are also having evening registration on the night of our next AR Night which is going to be 2/12/19.

Staff PD Trip to Wilmore Elementary: See next page.



On January 18th, 5 teachers, as well as Mr. Patterson, traveled to Wilmore, KY for a school visit to Wilmore Elementary School. While in Wilmore, the teachers were given a presentation on Classroom Learning Systems and Professional Learning Communities (PLC's) by Wilmore administration. They followed this up with visiting approximately 8 classrooms to witness firsthand the Classroom Learning Systems approach and concluded the day with a debriefing session with Wilmore Elementary's administrator. Some of the big takeaways from the trip were focusing on standards and assessment alignment, analyzing assessment results, collaboration, and remediation in PLC's through Plan, Do, Study, Act; both teachers and students using data (both individually and as a classroom) to identify best approaches for learning; students taking ownership and personalizing their learning through the use of data tracking in data-binders with both classroom assessments as well as MAP results; and establishing a strong classroom culture to encourage learning for all through the use of Plan, Do, Study, Act.





Middle School Matters—Individually we are strong, together we are unstoppable.

January, 2019

Walton Verona Middle School SBDM Wednesday, January 23, 2018 3:00 PM Library Conference Room

- 1. Call To Order
 - a. Roll Call
- 2. Opening Business
 - a. Approval of Agenda
 - b. Approval of Minutes from Last Meetings
- 3. Informational Items
 - a. Good News
 - b. Student Counts by Grade Level
 - c. Gifted and Talented Report
 - d. Resignation of Parent Member
 - e. Election Results
 - f. Welcome New Parent Member
- 4. Audience Of Citizens
- 5. Student Achievement Report/Data
 - a. KPREP/MAP Data Comparisons
- 6. Action Items
 - a. Budget
 - i. YTD Budget Report
 - b. Revised CSIP to include On-Demand Writing Goal
 - c. Club Proposal
- 7. Executive Session
 - a. Personnel (KRS 61.810 (1)(f)
- 8. Items for Next Meeting
- 9. Adjournment



Walton-Verona Middle School January, 2018 Board Report

MAP Data

- Attached are the KPREP Predictor Sheets for Math and Reading based on Winter 2019 Assessments.
- This sheet compares the group of students at each grade level compared to their MAP score last school year and their KPREP performance from this past Spring Assessments.

Science Fair Awards

- WVMS Science Fair was held on Wednesday, January 16th. Below are the winners from each category. Lauren Gosney did an awesome job of organizing this event. Thanks to our PTSA for providing prizes for the event.
- Chemistry: Rylee D.
- Physics & Astronomy: Savana C.
- Energy & Transportation: Evan S.
- Animal Science: Ella S.
- Engineering: Eli B.
- Behavioral & Social Science: Zelah G.
- Plant Science: Valeria T.
- Medicine & Health: Isabella B.
- Environmental Science: Adam B.

Spelling Bee Winners:

- Our annual Spelling Bee was conducted on Friday, January 18th by Tori Schlimm and Missy Wyatt. Grade Level winners and overall winners are listed below.
 - o 5th Grade Makayla T.
 - o 6th Grade Ella M.
 - o 7th Grade Rayne O.
 - o 8th Grade Elliot C.
 - o Overall Winner Rayne O.

Academic Team:

- WVMS was District Runner-Up
- Quick Recall Team placed 2nd place overall and will be moving on to Regionals
- Congratulations to Jennifer Csolkovits and her students.
- Written Assessment and Written Composition had several WVMS students place:
 - o Math Elliot C (4th Place)
 - o Language Arts Addy T (1st Place); Taylor W. (3rd Place)
 - o Arts & Humanities Mary D. (2nd Place); Taylor W. (5th Place)
 - o Science Graeme D (2nd Place); Elliot C. (4th Place)
 - o Written Composition Addy T. (1st Place); Faith W. (2nd Place); Emma D. (3rd Place)

NKY Select Band Auditions:

- Congratulations to the following WVMS students for being selected to the 2019 Northern KY District 6 Select Band
 - o Hannah S.-8th Grade Clarinet
 - o Ben T.-7th Grade Trumpet
 - o Logan P.-7th Grade Trumpet
 - o RJ B.-7th Grade French Horn
 - o Graeme D.-7th Grade Trombone

Noteworthy WVMS Dates: January/February 2019

- February 6 RTI Meetings
- February 6 8th Grade Field Trip to NKU/Gateway
- February 7 Early Release 1:00 pm
- February 8 Algebra Readiness Exam
- February 11 8th Grade Field Trip to Boone Co. Technical School
- February 18 PD Day (No School)
- February 22 Snowball Dance (7th/8th Grades) 6:00-9:00 pm
- February 25 8th Grade HS Scheduling Parent Night 6:30 pm
- March 5 Reality Store
- March 8 5th/6th Grade Dance 3:00-5:30 pm
- March 15 School Closed
- March 18 School Closed
- March 27 SBDM Meeting 3:00 pm

attachment # 3





Walton-Verona High School School Board Report January 2019

All juniors have received information about a "Junior Only" ACT Boot Camp that will be held the two weeks leading up to the state assessed ACT on Tuesday, March 12^{th} . Juniors can sign up for one to four subject areas (English, Mathematics, Reading and Science) and may choose from after school sessions (3:00-4:30) or evening sessions (7:00-8:30). Each subject session will last forty five minutes each day with Math and Science being offered on opposite days of English and Reading. Special thanks to teachers who will be providing these sessions!

As a result of the parent feedback in the development of our School Improvement Plan, we will be hosting parent informational sessions on the interpretation of ACT score reports, opportunities we have in place for students to improve their ACT scores, benchmark scores to be college ready vs. possible higher benchmark scores for college entrance and how those scores impact dual enrollment and scholarship opportunities. These sessions will be provided with results of the Mock ACT we provide for freshmen and sophomores as well as the "Real" ACT juniors take for state accountability. There will be a morning and evening session provided to accommodate parent schedules.

Scheduling of Classes for the 2019-20 school year will begin the month of February. Each grade level will have a large group session with Mrs. Hester, Counselor, with scheduling taking place during English classes for our current juniors, sophomores and freshmen and during science class for our current eighth graders.

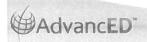
On Tuesday, January 29th, our school community was invited to attend a session regarding IGNITE Institute. IGNITE Institute is a new high school that is opening in August 2019 in the former Toyota building in Erlanger. The school has three pillars: personalized learning, project based learning and college and career preparation. Students who choose to apply select their area of interest from the following selections: Design College, Engineering College, Computer Science College, Biomedical College or Education College. There will be two additional areas added in August of 2020 including Logistics College and Construction College. Students must turn in applications by February 19th if interested in attending during the 2019-20 school year. Jerome Gels, Co-Principal of IGNITE gave the presentation. Special thanks to Heather Stewart for helping secure additional seats as we outgrew our seating in the library and for getting the library back in order as I answered questions from our parents!





WALTON-VERONA HIGH SCHOOL UPCOMING DATES

Feb. 7	NKU Dual Enrollment Presentation for Parents/Guardians 6:30 p.m.
March 21-23	School Musical; The Addams Family, 7:00 p.m.
March 26	Mock ACT Parent Session, 9:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m.; Multi-Purpose Room
	Presentation for parents/guardians of 9th and 10th grade students
	Mock ACT results given to parents/guard. with an explanation of scores
April 11	High School Gallery Night; 6:00-8:00 p.m.; HS Hallways
April 26	Senior Walk
April 26	Prom; 9:00 p.m. – midnight, Prickel Barn
April 27	Project Prom; Midnight – 4:00 a.m., WVHS
May 1	Senior Awards Breakfast - 7:30 a.m 9:00 a.m.
May 3	Talent Show – 7:00-8:30 p.m.; Commons
May 4	Wake-Up Walton-Verona! – 8:30 a.m. – Noon
May 7	Junior ACT Parent Session – 9:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m.; Multi-Purpose Room
=	ACT results from March test will be distributed with an explanation of scores



Board of Education Data Report



WALTON-VERONA HIGH SCHOOL

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January

Meetings Group Gab

Teachers of Juniors

Student Gap Group Meeting Agenda

Monday, January 28 / 11:10 - 12:00 / Blancher, Hummeldorf, Trame, Ryan Friday, February 1 / 10:00 - 10:45 / Sampson, Schutzman Friday, February 1 / 9:00 - 9:45 / Turner, Hartman Monday, January 28 / 12:00 - 12:45 / C Peterson Wednesday, January 30 / 8:30 - 9:10 / Mahoney

School Report Card

- 1. Highlight GAP students on your rosters
 - a. Provide list of Gap Students
- Revisit Data Release Slides Slide 2 - Scoring
- Slide 3 Cut Scores
- Slide 5 Demographic Performance
- Instructional Strategies to target GAP students Distribution of ACT scores for class of 2020 ei 4 €
 - Novice Reduction Strategies

Upcoming PLC meeting Dates:

January 30th - Department Meetings (ELA and Math scheduling assignments) February 6 - Department Meetings (ELA and Math scheduling assignments) February 20 - ACT Question Development and Bell Ringers February 7 - Early Release - GAP Group work



The ACT Cut Scores				
Subject	Novice	Apprentice	Proficient	Distinguished
Reading	0-15	16-19	20-26	27-36
Mathematics	0-15	16-18	19-26	27-36
Science	0-15	16-21	22-26	27-36
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Cut Scores

and Scoring

Proficiency Score:

Novice (N) = 0

Apprentice (A) = .5

Proficient (P)= 1

Distinguished (D) =1.25



Mock ACT

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Best Practices

- Bell ringers
- Seminar extensions for ACT
- Bubble students & all inclusive
- **ACT Boot Camps**
- ELA teachers working with SS teachers on reading strategies
- SS teachers increasing primary source document usage
- Teachers re-teaching MOCK ACT questions
- PLATO and ACT Academy
- Senior remediation classes in ELA and math
- Streamlined math scope and sequence



Walton-Verona Independent 2018-19 Enrollment

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ADM = Average Daily Membership (total number of students enrolled)

ADA = Average Daily Attendance (Funding)