

Hampton District One

Minutes

Meeting Type: Board Meeting

Location:

Date: 5/26/2015 7:00:00 PM

The Hampton School District One Board of Trustees took the following action at the May 26, 2015 Board meeting:

- 1) Approved the minutes of April 27, 2015 as presented.
- 2) Approved an overnight field trip for the NJROTC of WHHS to visit the Naval Station in Mayport, Fla. July 29-30, 2015.
- 3) Approved the location of the 2015-2016 Board meetings.
- 4) Agreed that student #1 will remain in Alternative School for the remainder of the 2014-2015 school year and through the first semester of the 2015-2016 school year. Any Level II or higher infraction will result in automatic expulsion.
- 5) Approved the recommendation of Bonnie Wilson to hire Jason Ward as English teacher and Pooja Gehani as teacher at Wade Hampton High School.
- 6) Approved the recommendation of the Superintendent to hire Ervin Manigo as band director at Wade Hampton High School.
- 7) Approved the recommendation of Donna Kinard to hire Kerri Loadholt as teacher at Varnville Elementary School.

Board Listens

Concerned parents spoke to the Board members in regards to the stability of a Football Coach at Wade Hampton High School and English I and Algebra I at the Middle School.

Mr. Jenkins called the meeting to order and Mr. Theodore V. Murdaugh gave the invocation.

In accordance with the SC Code of Laws, 1976, Section 30-4-80 (d), as amended, the media has been notified of the time, date and place of this meeting (WBHC Radio Station and the Hampton County Guardian). In addition, the official agenda has been posted at the District Office.

Mr. Jenkins welcomed the public to the board meeting. There was no media present.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Jenkins.

The agenda was approved as presented.

The minutes of April 27, 2015 were approved as presented.

Public Participation

There was no public participation.

Unfinished Business

There was no unfinished business.

New Business

Mrs. Priester moved to approve an overnight field trip for the WHHS NJROTC to visit the Naval Station in Mayport, Fla. July 29-30, 2015. Mrs. Murdaugh seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mrs. Murdaugh moved to approve the second reading of the 2015-2016 budget as presented. Mr. Murdaugh seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Murdaugh moved to approve the location of the 2015-2016 Board meetings. Mrs. Priester seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Superintendent's Report

As of today our fund balance is just over \$1 million.

Dr. McTeer explained internal discussions concerning moving all English I and Algebra I classes to Wade Hampton. It has been decided that it is not in the best interest of the children to move Algebra I. (After informal Board discussions, it was decided that English I would also remain at North District Middle for the 2015-2016 school year, but would likely be replaced with a writing course that carries high school credit for the 2016-2017 school year.)

Mrs. Priester moved to enter into executive session to discuss a student discipline matter, personnel matter, and a legal issue. Mr. Strother seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

The Board voted to convene in Open Session.

Open Session

Mrs. Murdaugh moved for student #1 to remain in Alternative School for the remainder of the 2014-2015 school year and through the first semester of the 2015-2016 school year. If the student commits a Level II or higher infraction, the student will automatically be expelled. Mrs. Priester seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mrs. Murdaugh moved to accept Bonnie Wilson's recommendation to hire Jason Ward and Pooja Gehani as teachers at Wade Hampton High School. Mr. Strother seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mrs. Murdaugh moved to accept the Superintendent's recommendation to hire Ervin Manigo as band director at Wade Hampton High School. Mr. Murdaugh seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mrs. Murdaugh moved to accept the recommendation of Donna Kinard to hire Kerri Loadholt as a teacher at Varnville Elementary School. Mrs. Priester seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Murdaugh moved to adjourn. Mrs. Priester seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously.