

GLENWOOD SCHOOL BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
November 27, 2017

	<p>Dave Wasgatt Tom Eldred Travis Miller Jake Eldred</p>	<p>Board Members Present</p>																						
	<p>Heather Gimlin, Superintendent Jaecee Hoctor, Business Manager</p>	<p>Staff Present</p>																						
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	<p>Chairman Dave Wasgatt called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.</p>																							
	<p>Mr. Wasgatt acknowledged our visitors and read our complaint procedure to them.</p> <p>Mrs. Emerson stated that 75% of our kids are failing math with Miss Alexander. She said she has been frustrated for the last 5 years and nothing seems to be changing. Mr. Emerson added that this has been an ongoing issue since they moved here. He believes that Miss Alexander is teaching at a college level. Their daughter Brooklyn has decided to transfer to White Salmon if the issue doesn't get resolved. Brooklyn Emerson said that she tries to get help through the online videos, but they don't always help her on the problem that she isn't understanding. She also stays after school for help, but Miss Alexander leaves school right at 3:15 pm.</p> <p>Mr. Gimlin expressed that his son is hammered with homework and Miss Alexander doesn't explain the lessons very well. Mr. Gimlin also said that our new online math curriculum seems to be giving extra work that they aren't getting credit for. Mr. Gimlin voiced that he can't take anymore anyway from his son to motivate him. Mr. Gimlin asked if the math homework could be cut down. Miss Alexander also made a comment to the class that his son, Derek, "isn't going to be eligible [for</p>	<p>Communication to Board</p>																						

basketball] anyways”.

Mrs. Heather Gimlin explained that Miss Alexander groups assignments together and then averages them. She also said that we have had the math position open for over a year. We haven't received any interest. We thought it would be important to get a head start on finding another math teacher since Miss Alexander will be retiring in a few years. Mrs. Heather Gimlin then clarified that when students get the online math problems wrong, the system gives the student more problems that are supposed to help them learn the concept.

Mr. Ryan added that Miss Alexander needs to change her teaching style for the kids who are struggling.

Mrs. Morris stated that Miss Alexander said that she was struggling with the new curriculum herself. Mrs. Morris is confused with the online Readiness Test questions of pre-knowledge. She doesn't think that they should be graded on knowledge that hasn't been taught.

Mrs. Heather Gimlin explained that the new Washington State standards are higher than our old standards and curriculum. With our new curriculum students can make connections through Virtual Nerd and other programs that can help kids at home. She acknowledged that rolling curriculum starts are an option. We could switch the high school students back to the old curriculum and have the younger students start the new curriculum.

Mr. Gimlin is frustrated with the study hall that Miss Alexander is now teaching. His son told him that she will only give them 4 minutes of her time per student. Derek Gimlin added that he isn't getting much help in study hall. Mrs. Heather Gimlin explained to the board that the study hall is on a rotating schedule with History. There are about 14 kids in the study hall period depending on need.

Duly Morris shared that Miss Alexander teaches too fast for him to learn. Everything seems to add up too fast and then we are failing. He also doesn't understand why all the assignments are grouped together for a grade.

Ms. Hernandez believes that with our small class sizes, we shouldn't have students failing.

Ms. Masden asked if we had another teacher or para-pro that could help the kids. Mr. Gimlin asked if Mr. Jay Anderson could join up with Miss Alexander to be able to help the kids understand better. Duly Morris reiterated that Miss Alexander doesn't take the time to teach

	<p>them and that he is able to learn from Mr. Jay Anderson in his class. Mrs. Heather Gimlin answered that Mr. Jay Anderson used to teach pre-algebra. But since the Science standards have rose, he has other classes to teach. Additionally, we have Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Tom Anderson helping students when they can.</p> <p>The board recognizes the parents’ concerns about Miss Alexander and our math classes. The board along with Mrs. Heather Gimlin has posted for the math position, purchased new curriculum, added a study hall period and provided professional development. Mr. Jake Eldred encouraged the parents to stay involved in our board meetings and document and present their issues. Mr. Wasgatt thanked the visitors for coming to the meeting and stated their next step in the complaint process would be a formal letter to the board stating their concerns. In the meantime, Mrs. Heather Gimlin will look into the new math curriculum and how it is grading.</p>	
	<p>Mrs. Gimlin shared the following with the board:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board Training at 6 pm with Tim Merlino, E.S.D. Superintendent before the January 25th regular school board meeting at 7 pm. • E.S.D. STEM has changed to include art, STEAM. Mrs. Gimlin is applying for a grant that would provide professional development for teachers in STEAM. • E.S.D. #112 Risk Coop Agreement also serves our district with investigations and legal services. • NW Rise is for small rural schools and our teachers are able to work with each other on projects. Our next meeting is at the end of June. • Small Schools Conference: March 12th-13th • Book Fair Parent Night: December 5th • Blood Drive: December 6th • Christmas Concert: December 13th • Middle School Basketball home games: 11/30, 12/11, 12/14, 1/8 and 1/11. High School Basketball home games: 12/7, 12/9, 1/5, 1/13 and 1/23. 	<p>Superintendent’s Report</p>
<p>Action</p>	<p>The minutes from the regular October meeting were presented for approval. Mr. Tom Eldred made a motion to <u>approve the minutes as presented</u>, seconded by Mr. Miller and the motion carried.</p>	<p>Approval of Minutes</p>
	<p>Mrs. Hctor reported that the spending for October was 7.20%, bringing the year to date spending to 14.68% of the total budget. The electrical use was 18,400 KWH more than last October. The water use was 3,000 gallons more than last October. October enrollment K-8 was</p>	<p>Budget Summary/P.U.D. Summaries/Enrollment</p>

	47, 9-12 was 21.42, non-vocational running start was .67 and total headcount preschool through 12 was 76.	
Action	<p>The board asked several questions of Lee Ann Burgin on her intentions, priorities and board communications. Ms. Burgin stated that she has children in the school and went to school here herself. She wants to help the district with the future of her children. Ms. Burgin believes that we do well financially and that our children are very fortunate to be able to do the activities that we do. Most schools have to fundraise for field trips and other activities that our school pays for. Ms. Burgin said that she would direct community members to ask questions in open board meetings. She has had a lot of recent training through the postal service and has learned the importance of confidentiality.</p> <p>Mr. Jake Eldred made a motion to <u>appoint Lee Ann Burgin for board position #5</u>, seconded by Mr. Miller and the motion carried.</p> <p>Mrs. Dillenburg and Ms. Burgin will be sworn in to their board positions at the next board meeting. The school board thanked Mr. Tom Eldred for his service on the school board, as a teacher and a coach.</p>	Board Position #5 Interview
Action	<p>Mrs. Gimlin informed the board on the new legislation House Bill 2242 (McCleary) that was passed. The big schools of Washington sued the State for not fully funding education and won. With the changes set forth in House Bill 2242, small schools are negatively being affected by some of the policies.</p> <p>Currently, we receive \$110,000 through our local levy and Local Effort Assistance provides approximately an additional \$200,000. However, in 2019 our funding will decrease significantly. Legislatures have capped schools at \$1,500 per student and not more than \$1.50 per \$1,000 assessed valuation for their local levies. Small schools and their E.S.D.s are making known the financial impacts this will do to our schools and are hoping for a revision. E.S.D #112 recommended doing a one year levy for our normal \$110,000 at \$2.25 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. E.S.D. #112 also stated that many schools are still running two-year levies. If legislative changes are not made we will automatically be rolled back to \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. The board discussed the pros and cons of having only a one-year levy vs. a two-year levy. Ultimately, they thought it would be best for our school and community to stick with a two year levy.</p> <p>The 2019 & 2020 Levy Resolution #177 was presented to the Board for</p>	Levy Resolution #177

	<p>approval. The \$110,000 levy will cost about \$2.25 per \$1,000 of assessed value based on the current property values.</p> <p>Mr. Miller made a motion to <u>approve Levy Resolution #177 as presented</u>, seconded by Mr. Jake Eldred and the motion carried.</p>											
Action	<p>Mrs. Gimlin reported that we have 2 teachers teaching outside their endorsed area for the 2017-2018 school year. At this time, we need board approval to do so. Due to our small class sizes, we have a hard time aligning teacher endorsements with the subjects we want to offer.</p> <p>Mr. Tom Eldred made a <u>motion to approve 2017-2018 Teacher Non-Matched Endorsements</u>, seconded by Mr. Jake Eldred and the motion carried.</p>	2017-18 Approval of Teacher Non-matched Endorsements										
Action	<p>Mrs. Gimlin presented the first reading Policy Pages #2410-3115. Mrs. Gimlin reported that Policy #2410 includes some graduation requirement changes for the Class of 2021 and beyond. Policy #3115 states we must provide equal access to appropriate education for homeless students. Mrs. Gimlin would recommend revising the policy to not include the informed consent for health care section. This section allows the school to take students to doctor appointments.</p> <p>Mr. Jake Eldred made a motion to <u>approve and revise Policy Pages #2410-3115 as presented</u>, seconded by Mr. Miller and the motion carried.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="289 1182 1192 1371"> <thead> <tr> <th>Policy #</th> <th>Policy Name</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2410</td> <td>Graduation Requirements</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2410P</td> <td>Graduation Requirements Procedure</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3115</td> <td>Homeless Students- Enrollment Rights and Services</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Policy #	Policy Name	2410	Graduation Requirements	2410P	Graduation Requirements Procedure	3115	Homeless Students- Enrollment Rights and Services			First Reading Policy Pages: #2410-3115
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Action	<p>The 2017-18 ½ H.S. Volleyball Post Contract was presented for approval. Mr. Miller made a motion to <u>approve the supplemental contracts as presented</u>, seconded by Mr. Tom Eldred and the motion carried</p>	½ H.S. Volleyball Post Season Contract: Jaecee Hctor										
Action	<p>The bills and payroll for November were presented for approval. After some review, Mr. Tom Eldred made a motion to <u>approve the bills and payroll as presented</u>, seconded by Mr. Jake Eldred and the motion carried.</p> <p>A.S.B. Fund 11/2017: \$150.13 Capital Projects Fund 11/2017: \$0 General Fund 11/2017: \$71,649.10 Payroll for November 2017 in the amount of \$136,612.22</p>	Bills & Payroll										

	<p>A motion was made, seconded, and carried to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 PM.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Chairman of the Board Secretary of the Board</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Board Member Board Member</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Board Member Board Member</p>	