

A motion was made by T. Edwards with a second by J. Hanks to approve a one-year contract extension for Dr. Shelli Nafziger.

Roll Call Vote: Yeas – T. Edwards, J. Hanks, L. Hanson, E. McAllister and J. Hunt
Motion passed with 5 votes

A motion was made by L. Hanson with a second by T. Edwards to approve hiring Jen Lucas, Kassidy Facker, and Mikayla Harvey beginning with the 2022-23 school year.

Roll Call Vote: Yeas – T. Edwards, J. Hanks, L. Hanson, E. McAllister and J. Hunt
Motion passed with 5 votes

A motion was made by E. McAllister with a second by L. Hanson direct the Superintendent to plan a referendum for issuing bonds for the athletic complex and a referendum to increase the education fund tax rate with both being on the November 2022 ballot.

Roll Call Vote: Yeas – T. Edwards, J. Hanks, L. Hanson, E. McAllister and J. Hunt
Motion passed with 5 votes

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PRINCIPALS REPORT

Germantown Hills Elementary Principal's Report

March 14, 2022
Dr. Shelli Nafziger

- **Curriculum/Staff:**

- **Pre-Planning Meetings for 2022-23:**

- Always at this time of year, we are very busy holding meetings to discuss student progress as well as discussions about next year's schedule, etc.

- **4th-grade Teacher Candidate:**

- I am very pleased to recommend Mikayla Harvey for the 4th-grade teaching position beginning the 2022-23 school year. Mikayla is a Metamora High School and SIUE graduate. She will be replacing Mrs. Goins.

- **Special Education Candidate:**

- I am very pleased to recommend Kassidy Facker for a Special Education teaching position for the 2022-23 school year. Kassidy will be replacing Mrs. O'Shea.

- **Annual Reviews:**

- I want to thank Michelle DuBois (WCSEA Administrator) as well as my special education staff for preparing for IEP annual reviews. The partnership between parents, regular education teachers, and the special education staff helps to create a very rewarding education for each student.

- **Student Information:**

- **Fun Activities for Kids:**

- All School Cupid Shuffle Dance - it was supposed to be held on 2-22-22 for 2 minutes, 22 seconds, but we had no internet that day, so we re-scheduled it. The kids had a great time and so did the adults.
- Read Across America Week - Rachel Poole, our amazing librarian helped me to create a special week for “Read Across America” to celebrate our love of reading and to engage our students with special dress-up days as well as a Read-a-Thon day where the kids read over 25,000 pages to earn a faculty vs student “capture the pin” game. In addition, we shared a “whodunit” riddle every day for the kids to guess which book character stole Dr. N’s stapler. It was a really exciting week.

- **Cafeteria Transition:**

A huge thank you goes to our kitchen staff, Tammy Penny, and our faculty/staff for helping to transition our students back to eating lunch in the cafeteria. A big thank you, especially to Lowell for having everything ready for us every day!

- **Current Enrollment:**

- ECE - 16
- K - 85
- 1st - 83
- 2nd - 93
- 3rd - 97
- 4th - 80
- Enrolled Out - 7
- *TOTAL ECE-Grade 4 Enrollment=461 students*

- **2022-23 Kindergarten Registration:**

At this time we have 67 kiddos registered.

Germantown Hills Middle School Principal’s Report

March 14, 2022

Ms. Kate Williams

Curriculum/Staff

- Thank you to Mr. Loring and Dr. Greer for planning and running our Large Group Picture Day, which will be on March 23rd.
- The middle school will begin IAR testing on Monday, March 21st. They will take the ELA tests before Spring Break and the Math tests when we return.
- I am working on finalizing next year’s schedule. This is a giant undertaking. Thank you to my SPED and Leadership teams for their help with this process!
- We are excited to welcome Jen Lucas to our SPED team. She is going to be a great asset to our program next year!
- Our next School Improvement Day, April 8th, will be Career Day. A number of local professionals will be coming in to discuss potential career paths with our students. Thank you to Mrs. Hensley and Mrs. Davis for their work on this event.

Enrollment/Attendance/Discipline

- Current Enrollment Numbers: 376
- 5th - 89
- 6th - 96
- 7th - 95
- 8th - 94

Extracurriculars/Events

- The 6th grade boys basketball season concluded on Saturday, March 5th. While the wins were few this season, Mr. Matthews is so proud of his team. There was a lot of individual and team progress and they were playing their best ball the last couple of days of the season. The team really gelled and they were awesome at supporting each other, both on the court and from the bench. Mr. Matthews already misses the team and wishes them the best in the years to come!
- Rehearsals for this year's spring play, *The Ax of Murder*, are underway! The cast is made up of 20 6th - 8th graders. Performances are April 22nd and 23rd at Great Oaks Church.
- The volleyball season is winding down. The 6th grade finished with a final record of 12 wins and 1 loss. The 7th grade finished with a final record of 21 wins and 2 losses. They captured Conference and Regional Championships. The 8th grade team is currently 19--3. The just captured the Regional Championship and will play for the Sectional Championship Monday -vs-Dee-Mack.
- Our Scholastic Bowl season is well underway! After successfully hosting the Tazwood Conference on March 5th, the team has less than five matches left before Regionals at the end of April.
- Track is up and running (ha!). We have about 50 students who are excited to work hard and have fun. We have just finished our first week of practice and are getting ready to practice outside when the weather is a little warmer.
- Student Council has chosen the Ocean Conservancy as their main charity for the rest of the school year. Currently, students are raising money to pie teachers in the face at the first all-school assembly in 2 years. Our goal is to raise \$1000! Students are supporting the cause with different dress-up days. They have also raised money to clean up the bathrooms in both the 7th and 8th-grade hallways. The goal is to purchase locks for the stalls missing them, add some air fresheners, put up more positive quotes, and possibly do some painting. They are planning a Talent Show and school movie night for April as well as a canned food drive to donate food to the local food pantries. In December we had a very successful Salvation Army Drive providing Christmas for four families in the Peoria area.
- Awesome job this year to the Chess Team!
 - Mitchell Hohulin medaled at the Mark Bills Tournament and added to our amazing points accumulation at State.
 - State Results for the 7th grade team: Top Points Getter: Dominic Signore [5-and was one win away from a Bronze!], and main points contributors of Nate Alonso [4.5 pts] & Joe Doyle [4 pts], with Evan Enderle, Jaxson Dingedine and Jose Masson all earning points, our 7th grade team finished 8th ! This is our highest finish yet of any team we have sent to State! We are so excited for next year!
 - State Results for 8th Grade: Evie Morris was on fire, but Evie and 3 others, had to bow out of 2 matches to attend the Band Concert. The good news is that they are planning on competing at MTHS!
 - We are SO going to miss our 8th graders: Evie Morris, Trevor Heil, Max Russell, Austin Wagner, Derek Hover, Nico Kraisin, & Josiah Roton. Great job and thank you for being awesome leaders! Some of them went outside of their comfort zone just to compete, and they did a great job as they grew and learned this game.

Amended FY22 Budget – Included in the board packet is the amended FY22 Expenditure Budget as well as the updated net activity. The only changes from March 5th are the moving of payments to Heart Technologies from the Ed. Fund to the O&M Fund. The amended budget will be available for review in the Superintendent’s office for 30 days and will be on the agenda for approval at the April 19, 2022 meeting.

Assistant Principal Proposal –The superintendent shared a salary proposal as well as a tentative job description for the assistant principal position. He also shared that there will be discussion regarding the administrative configuration once Dr. Nafziger retires. The pros and cons of going to a one principal and two assistant principal configuration will be considered. He also shared that the primary duties for the AP next year will be to assist with discipline. The District’s admin to student ratio was shared. It was pointed out that Germantown Hills is the highest in the region and well above the state average.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by L. Hanson with a second by T. Edwards to adjourn the board meeting at 7:29 p.m.

Voice Vote – Motion Passed

President
Jason Hunt

Secretary
Trish Edwards