



Prairie Heights Community School Corporation
Board of Education Meeting

February 17, 2025

Administration Office

MINUTES

The Prairie Heights Community Schools Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, February 17, 2025 at 6:00 pm. The meeting was held in the administration office. Those in attendance were as follows: Jeff Reed, Todd Perkins, Aaron Pfafman, Jesslyn Senecal, Heather Culler, and Jamie Staton. The meeting was called to order by President Todd Perkins at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.

Public Comments: None

A motion was made by Jamie Staton to approve the following consent items:

- Approval of the January 9, 2025 minutes
- Approval of the January 9, 2025, January 24, 2025, and February 10, 2025 Payroll
- Approval of the January 2025 and February 2025 Claims
- Approval of Employment
 - New Hires: Brandon Ewing – Varsity Assistant Boys Track Coach (volunteer), Stacy Smith – Varsity Assistant Softball Coach (volunteer), Kamden Leedy – Junior Varsity Assistant Baseball Coach (volunteer)
 - Reassignments: Lee Fry – Varsity Assistant Wrestling Coach (paid) to Varsity Assistant Wrestling Coach (volunteer), Isiah Levitz – Varsity Assistant Wrestling Coach (volunteer) to Varsity Assistant Wrestling Coach (paid), Stephanie Glasgo – Varsity Girls Assistant Track Coach (volunteer) to Varsity Girls Assistant Track Coach (paid)
 - Resignations: Allison Hall – Varsity Girls Golf Coach
 - Retirements:

The motion was seconded by Aaron Pfafman and approval was 5-0.

There were no Action Items:

Mr. Reed discussed the following:

- We had discussed last summer about the possibility of offering free lunches to all students starting with the 2025-2026 school year. Unfortunately, we will not be able to do that. Currently, our numbers would not be high enough to qualify. Our food service department estimates that we would lose approximately \$30,000-\$40,000 if we did this. We will still be able to provide free breakfast for all students.
- We will be setting the graduation date at the March Board meeting.
- Discussed the press release from the Indiana Department of Education regarding Indiana's results on the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP).
- Discussed the case load for our part-time social worker. She works two days per week. A total of twenty-seven students have been referred and she meets with seventeen on a regular basis. She also meets with an elementary group for social skills.
- Discussed pending property tax legislation and the impact that would have on our operations fund.
- Our winter ADM was 1352. Fall ADM was 1353.

Adjournment was at 6:12 pm.

Documents were signed.

Executive Session I.C. 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(2)(C) to discuss the implementation of security systems immediately following the regular meeting.

Start Time: 6:20

End Time: 7:45