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**December 2017**

These are the UNOFFICIAL DRAFT MINUTES SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND BOARD APPROVAL, 2-6-102,104 MCA of the Regular November 14, 2017 School Board meeting:

Chairman Don Hagan called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m. Roll was taken and it was established that a quorum was present.

* Patrons and visitors were recognized. On motion by Leif Handran, seconded by Tim Tande, the minutes from the regular meeting on October 11, 2017, were approved unanimously as presented.
* The Principal’s report was discussed and is attached and made a part of these minutes by reference.
* The Superintendent’s report was discussed and is attached and made a part of these minutes by reference.
* On motion by Tim Tande, and seconded by Matt Stentoft, the October 7, 2017 – November 11, 2017 claims in the amount of $183,490.54 were approved unanimously as presented.
* On motion by Matt Stentoft and seconded by Leif Handran, the Activities Report for the month of October, 2017 was approved unanimously as presented.
* Tim Tande moved to allow the Scobey Lions Club to sell 50/50 tickets at the home basketball games for the 2017-2018 season. Leif Handran seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Leif Handran moved to enter into a 5 year contract with Blue Rock Distributing dba Pepsi Cola Bottling Co. Matt Stentoft seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Tim Tande moved to extend the terms of the long term substitute contract for Tami Nelson through December 22, 2017. Matt Stentoft seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Leif Handran moved to hire Reagann Dengel to fill the vacated paraprofessional position for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year. Tim Tande seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Matt Stentoft moved to include the following people on the substitute list for the 2017-2018 school year: Diana Yachcik and Laura Schmidt. Tim Tande seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Tim Tande moved to hire Eva Erstad as a route driver for the remainder of the 2017-2018 school year, contingent upon proof of successful completion of all required certificates and licenses. Matt Stentoft seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Matt Stentoft moved to hire the following sub-varsity coaches for the 2017-2018 winter season:

Jr. High Girls: Demi Henderson

Jr. High Boys: Robin Fladager and Cale Handran

Elementary Girls: Lawren Olson

Tim Tande seconded with Matt Stentoft, Tim Tande and Don Hagan all voting Aye and Leif Handran Abstaining, motion passed.

* Leif Handran moved to hire Makayla Hauk as part time janitor for the remainder of the 2017- 2018 school year. Matt Stentoft seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Tim Tande moved to allow 6th grade girls to participate in the Jr. High girls basketball program for the 2017 basketball season. Leif Handran seconded and all present voted in favor.
* Matt Stentoft moved to the first reading to amend Board Policy 1400 Regular Meeting Dates to read: Regular meetings shall take place at 8:00 p.m. on the second Monday for the months of April through October and 7:00 p.m. on the second Monday for the months of November through March. Tim Tande seconded and all present voted in favor.
* There was no action on Agenda item #14: Facility use by outside groups for profit

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned

**SCHOOL LUNCH MENU**

**December 1**

Fri - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, buns, cranberries, sweet potatoes, cucumber sour cream salad, carrots, broccoli and cheese, and pears

**December 4 – 8**

Mon- Sausage egg and cheese on a biscuit or pancakes, sausage, syrup, hashbrowns, oranges, and watermelon

Tues - BBQ meatballs, rice, breadsticks, lettuce, Chinese coleslaw, cucumber sour cream salad, apple cookie salad, carrots, green beans, peaches, and upside down cake with topping

Wed - Grilled chicken teriyaki sandwich, french fries, lettuce, macaroni salad, coleslaw, mandarin orange salad, tomatoes, onion, carrots, stir fried green beans, and chocolate pudding with topping

Thurs - Chicken tenders, honey mustard or sweet & sour sauce, gems, lettuce, baked penne pasta, corn chip salad, vegetable sticks, corn, and yogurt

Fri - Egg rolls, sweet and sour sauce, rice, stir fried chicken and vegetable low-mein, sweet and sour chicken, pumpkin chocolate chip bars, and fortune cookies

**December 11 - 15**

Mon - Hamburger on a bun, potatoes, cheese slices, baked beans, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, chicken yumi salad, cucumber dill salad, vegetable sticks, and fruit cocktail

Tues - Mini corn dogs, pretzel’s, nacho cheese, lettuce, cookie salad, pineapple-mandarin jello, cucumber sour cream salad, vegetable sticks, green beans, and applesauce

Wed - Chicken fettuccini, bread sticks, chicken caesar salad, croutons, apple cookie salad, lettuce, tomatoes, cucumbers, cottage cheese, carrot sticks, celery, cooked carrots, and peaches

Thurs - Sloppy jo’s, cheddar cheese, french fries, lettuce, pasta and grape salad, cottage cheese, coleslaw, peas, strawberry shortcake with topping

Fri - Tuna noodle hot dish, corn bread, muffins, honey butter, lettuce, cookie salad, carrot raisin salad, carrots, celery, corn, and pears

**December 18 - 22**

Mon - Swiss steak dinner, mashed potatoes, gravy, buns, stir fried broccoli and green beans, carrots, celery, apple waldorf salad, and mandarin oranges

Tues - Pizza day, lettuce, chicken caesar salad, croutons, lettuce, mandarin orange salad, cottage cheese, tomatoes, peppers, corn, and pineapple

Wed - Hot ham and cheese sandwich, potatoes, lettuce, tomatoes, grape english toffee salad, jello, broccoli bacon cheese salad, corn, and fruit cocktail

Thurs - Nacho supreme, nacho cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, cheddar cheese, black olives, green peppers, sour cream, salsa, sour cream fruit salad, mixed vegetables, and apricots

Fri - Ham and scalloped potatoes, buns, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, jello salad, carrots, broccoli, cauliflower, corn, and pineapple tid-bits

**SUPERINTENDENT REPORT**

By D. Schmidt

Thank you, in advance, for all of your support during the month of December. With high school and junior high boys’ basketball tipping off, junior high girls’ basketball winding down, and our K-12 musical concert schedule counting off, things in the district do get quite hectic. It is during these busy times that all of us in the building appreciate your efforts to help us keep our school clean and functioning properly. To all of you patrons who utilize this building as a community centerpiece, thank you for your efforts in maintaining the integrity of the building.

One important aspect of being a school in the twenty-first century is our ability to adapt our current system and strive to continuously improve what we do. It is not a secret that our everyday lives have changed drastically since the dawn of this century. Look no further than that cell phone you use to keep in contact with your family; my how things have changed. So, too, is it with our school and the education we strive to deliver on a daily basis. While the mission of our work will generally be the same, the direction we go needs to be recalibrated from time to time to make sure we are continuously improving.

That’s why the Scobey School Board is undertaking a new strategic planning approach. The planning, along with establishing a district-wide vision, will ensure the continuous improvement process is alive and well. Our next generations of students need to keep up and eventually get ahead in the 21st Century. The Strategic Plan will help ensure that happens. If you would like for me to keep you in mind as an extra community voice when the time comes, please email me your contact information.

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**OFFICE NOTES**

REMINDER - Items not allowed in school: Please remember that the following items are not allowed in school at any time in any way, shape or form as several students and staff members are allergic to them:

Nuts - not products with nuts (any kind of nut including but not limited to peanuts, walnuts, hazelnuts, almonds, etc.) or peanut butter are allowed

Latex - no balloons, gloves, balls, or other products containing latex

Bananas - no bananas or items made with bananas

Avocados - no avocados or items made with avocado

Thank you for being considerate of others. It is greatly appreciated.

Student Illnesses: There are a few illnesses making the rounds in the community. If your child is ill with vomiting, diarrhea, a fever, or a rash we ask that you please keep your child home a full 24-48 hours after the last incident of vomiting and/or diarrhea or after the fever breaks or rash clears/scabs over. Encourage your child to wash his/her hands with soap and water to help decrease the chances of sharing germs.

Student Absences: We understand that it is necessary for students to miss school occasionally. All absences must be reported to the office by calling 487-2202 and speaking to Judy or Jonna.

\*\*NEW: If your grade 7-12 child has a medical/dental/chiro/counseling appointment, we ask that you bring back documentation of visit when your child returns to school. Please note that this is not the same as an appointment card. The document must show that your child was seen at the doctor/dental office on the day of the absence.

In addition, when picking up or dropping off your child at other than the beginning or end of the school day, you must check in at the office. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

We also understand that parents need to be gone from time to time and leave their children in the care of others. Should you need to be gone and someone else is responsible for your child(ren),

please call the office and let us know. This is necessary so that we may be able to contact someone more readily should an emergency occur.

Student Medications: In addition to every day medication needs, colds, flu, and other ailments make their way through the school population every year. If your child must take medication during the school day, it must be processed through the school office. This includes inhalers. Parents/Guardians are required to come in and sign medication forms. All prescription medication must be in the original bottle with the pharmacy label. Over-the-counter medications must be in the original bottle. Inhalers should have a label on the barrel. Students are NOT allowed to keep medications with them or in their lockers.

Weather: Colder weather is well on its way and we have many students traveling on buses to and from school and for activities. All students traveling on buses for any reason need to have a coat, hat and gloves at the very least. Boots are a good item to have as well. It is also recommended that students not wear shorts and/or flip-flops to school with the colder weather.

Students traveling for activities are required to have a coat, hat, gloves and appropriate footwear. Long pants/sweats and good shoes or boots are also a must. Students may also take blankets for the trips.

Please keep in mind that though we don't plan for bus breakdowns and though they very seldom occur, it is possible and we want our students to be prepared.

In addition, elementary students need to come to school prepared to go outside for recess. Please make sure your child has a coat, hat, gloves and boots. It is highly recommended that your child also have snowpants to wear outside.

If you have any questions about any of these topics, please call the school at 487-2202. Thank you!



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| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2  SnoBall in Commons 9pm  JH GBB @ Harlem TBA |
| 3 | 4 | 5  Elem. Progress Report #2 | 6 | 7  Elem. Christmas Concert @ 7 pm | 8  C/JV/ V GBB/BBB @ Fairview  1:30/3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30 | 9  JH GBB SCOBEY INVITE TBA  JV/V GBB/BBB Froid/Lake @ Froid 3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30 |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14  JH/HS Christmas Concert @ 7 :30 | 15  V GBB/BBB DODSON TBA | 16  JH GBB @ Malta TBA  JV/V GBB/BBB FRAZER 3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30 |
| 17 | 18 | 19  JV/V GBB/BBB @ Lustre 3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30 | 20 | 21  JV/V GBB/BBB WESTBY/GRENORA 3:00/4:30/6:00/7:30 | 22 | 23  **CHRISTMAS BREAK STARTS** |
| 24 | 25  **CHRISTMAS BREAK** | 26  **CHRISTMAS BREAK** | 27  **CHRISTMAS BREAK** | 28  **CHRISTMAS BREAK** | 29  **CHRISTMAS BREAK** | 30 |
| 31 | 01/3/17 – SCHOOL RESUMES | | | | | |