

Regular Board Minutes
April 10, 2012

Meeting called to order by President Kevin Thomas at 6:30pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call Taken: Evan Ruach, Robert Doty, Lisa Nannie, Angi Schalk, Steve Tiezzi,
Kevin Thomas

Absent: Tracey Koenig

Others Present: Joe Blessman, Dianne Maxheimer, Joy Spacht-Ruach, Pam Morpew,
Theresa Hovick-Thomas, Valerie Thomas, Emily Dawson, Jeanne Blessman, Rob
Matthews, Jeff Bayer, Regina Schmillen, Kim Pycz.

Consent Items

Motioned by Robert Doty, 2nd by Angi Schalk to approve the following minutes:

Regular minutes from March 13, 2012

Regular minutes from April 2, 2012

Executive Session minutes from March 6, 2012

Executive Session minutes from March 13, 2012 1st and 2nd session

Executive Session minutes from April 2, 2012

Ayes: 5

Nays: 0

Abstain: 1

Motion Carried.

Motioned by Steve Tiezzi, 2nd by Evan Ruach to approve the Financial Reports

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

Absent: 1

Motion Carried.

Motioned by Angi Schalk, 2nd by Lisa Nannie to approve the payment of the monthly bills.

Ayes: Evan Ruach, Robert Doty, Lisa Nannie, Angi Schalk, Steve Tiezzi, Kevin Thomas.

Nays: None

Absent: Tracey Koenig

Motion Carried

Motioned by Steve Tiezzi, 2nd by Lisa Nannie to approve the reimbursement of the Imprest Fund.

Ayes: Angi Schalk, Steve Tiezzi, Kevin Thomas, Evan Ruach, Robert Doty, Lisa Nannie.

Nays: None

Absent: Tracey Koenig

Motion Carried.

Recognition of Visitors

Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that on March 15 he received a phone call from Germantown Hills school that one of our students had an asthma attack, turned blue, had CPR performed on her by two St. Mary's parents and was being transported to the emergency room. Mr. Blessman stated that he was on the phone with one of our teachers regarding this student when the teacher's child spilled hot food on their bare legs causing them to go to the hospital. Then Mr. Blessman stated that on the way to the hospital another teacher called and stated that another Scholastic Bowl student had an asthma attack and is also being transported to the hospital. Mr. Blessman stated that the two parents who performed CPR are here at the meeting and he wanted to thank them for being there and helping out. Valerie Thomas read a poem about not taking things for granted.

Principal/Superintendent Report

A. Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that Thursday, April 12th is Art/Science Night from 6-8pm. This is the first time that they have been combined together.

B. Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that Saturday, April 14th is the School Carnival from 4-7pm.

C. Mr. Blessman stated Bright Beginnings has 13 children that will be promoted to Kindergarten next year and there have been 4 other students have pre-registered for Kindergarten.

D. Mr. Blessman stated that the summer hours for the office since he has been as Superintendent has been Monday through Thursday 6am – 4pm. Mr. Blessman also stated that most of the other schools are not open as much as Riverview.

E. Mr. Blessman handed out a copy of the webinar that Dianne watched regarding pricing for the paid lunches. The power point states that the price for paid lunches will have to be increased to match up to what the Federal Government pays the schools.

F. Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that he received a quote from Springfield Electric that had a different grant for gym lighting.

G. Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that he is working with the Architects for a grant that would match dollar for dollar up to \$50,000 for new windows which are needed badly. The Architects think the caulk and/or the sealant on the windows possibly have asbestos.

H. Mr. Blessman handed out a pamphlet from the IASA Job Bank about IASA conducting the executive search for a new superintendent/principal. The school board agreed to post the job on the IASA Job Bank and have all potential candidates submit their application to a standard email to RGSboard@rgschool.com. Robert, Kevin, Steve, and Angi all stated that they wanted to be on the superintendent search committee. The board agreed the last day to submit application for the position will be May 11, 2012. Angi Schalk stated that she would like to have a couple teachers and maybe a non-certified staff member on the committee as well. Mr. Blessman stated that Rob Matthews is a viable candidate who would have their superintendent certificate at the end of the calendar year.

Action Items

A. Motioned by Robert Doty, 2nd by Kevin Thomas to accept Amy Ward's resignation at the part-time art teacher and Volleyball coach.

Ayes: 6

Nays: None

Absent: 1

Motion Carried.

B. Motioned by Robert Doty, 2nd by Kevin Thomas to accept Joe Blessman's resignation as Superintendent/Principal with great sadness.

Ayes: 6

Nays: 0

Absent: 1

Motion Carried.

Committee Reports

Transportation – Mr. Blessman informed the School Board that the wheel chair bus was in for repair over break.

District Board Policy – Formed a new committee to make sure the District Board Policy has the proper terminology and updates. School Board members that are on the committee are Evan Ruach and Tracey Koenig.

Building – Mr. Blessman informed that there has been some vandalism on all 3 slides and the electrical box by the south end doors. The word "HAVOC" has been written with permanent marker.

Motioned by Steve Tiezzi, 2nd by Evan Ruach to adjourn meeting at 8:39pm.

Ayes: 6

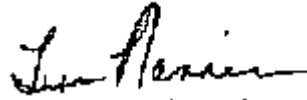
Nays: None

Absent: 1

Motion Carried.

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Kevin Thomas, President
Riverview Board of Education

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Lisa Nannie, Board Member
Riverview Board of Education