

## SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

The Avoyelles Parish School Board met in regular session on Tuesday, April 5, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. at the School Board Office, in Marksville, Louisiana, with the following members present:

Aimee Dupuy, President; Chris Robinson, Vice-President; Latisha Small, Lynn Deloach, Chris Lacour, Robin Moreau, Rickey Adams, and Jill Guidry.

Absent: Stanley Celestine, Jr.

An Invocation was offered by Dexter Compton, Supervisor of Secondary Education.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America led by Board member Rickey Adams.

1. On motion by Jill Guidry, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board adopted the minutes of the regular Board meeting held on Thursday, March 3, 2022, as printed and mailed to Board members and published in The Weekly News, official journal of the Board. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

2. A. Board member Rickey Adams read a resolution of respect to the late Raymond Louis Gauthier, retired custodian.

On motion by Rickey Adams, seconded by Chris Robinson, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Raymond Louis Gauthier, retired custodian. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

B. Board member Latisha Small read a resolution of respect to the late Shirley Mae Jacobs, retired food service technician.

On motion by Latisha Small, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Shirley Mae Jacobs, retired food service technician. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

C. Board member Chris Robinson read a resolution of respect to the late Doretha P. Wade, retired paraprofessional.

On motion by Chris Robinson, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Doretha P. Wade, retired paraprofessional. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

D. Board member Jill Guidry read a resolution of respect to the late Irene Ducote Dufour, retired food service technician.

On motion by Jill Guidry, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Irene Ducote Dufour, retired food service technician. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

E. Board member Rickey Adams read a resolution of respect to the late Nelda F. Gauthier, retired special education paraprofessional.

On motion by Rickey Adams, seconded by Jill Guidry, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Nelda F. Gauthier, retired special education paraprofessional. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

F. Board member Chris Robinson read a resolution of respect to the late Mae Bell Young, retired food service technician.

On motion by Chris Robinson, seconded by Jill Guidry, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Mae Bell Young, retired food service technician. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

G. Board member Chris Lacour read a resolution of respect to the late Ted J. Chatelain, retired band director.

On motion by Chris Lacour, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Ted J. Chatelain, retired band director. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

H. Board member Rickey Adams read a resolution of respect to the late Mae Rena Bordelon, retired food service technician.

On motion by Rickey Adams, seconded by Chris Lacour, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Mae Rena Bordelon, retired food service technician. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

3. Superintendent Karen Tutor recognized the Students of the Month for March, 2022. Mrs. Tutor presented a plaque to each student. Also, each Board member read a short biography detailing the accomplishments of each student.

The Students of the Month at each school are as follows:

Gavin Moore, Bunkie Elementary Learning Academy; Khamdin Fitzgerald, Cottonport Elementary School; Karver Jacobs, Lafargue Elementary School; Cecilia Bailey, Marksville Elementary School; Anniston Frank, Plaucheville Elementary School; Malaysia Lavalais, Riverside Elementary School; Harlee Bordelon, Avoyelles High School; Caleb Wells, Bunkie Magnet High School; Dashawn Jones, Louisiana School for the Agricultural Sciences; and Mya Bonton, Marksville High School.