

Heron Lake Okabena School District #330
Regular Board Meeting
April 15, 2025

The Board of Education of Independent School District #330 held its Regular Board meeting on Tuesday, April 15, 2025. Volk called the meeting to order. In attendance were John Volk, Mark Fest, Annie Rasche, Katie Janssen, Mindy Eidhammer and ex officio Paul Bang. Absent was Travis Hendel. Business Director Tracy Freking was also in attendance. A quorum was declared with majority members present.

Eidhammer moved, seconded by Rasche, to approve the meeting agenda. The motion carried. Fest moved, seconded by Janssen to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. The motion carried. Volk moved, seconded by Janssen, to approve the claims and vendor payments. The motion carried.

Janssen gave the Treasurer's Report. Total disbursements were \$366,812.14; total wires were \$134,371.67; net payroll was \$160,748.74. Eidhammer moved, seconded by Fest to approve the Treasurer's Report. The motion carried.

Bang gave the Activities Director Report. Track has had a pretty good spring so far. Golf has had 3 meets. Baseball record is 1-3. Softball record is 0-3. Resignation for volleyball coaching and hiring for boys' basketball coaching.

Bang gave the Principal Report. End of the quarter is March 21. MCA and ACT April. 5-12 grades to Arnold's Park May 16. Service Learning May 19. Prom is May 3. Graduation is May 23 at 7:00pm.

Bang gave the Superintendent's Report. Enrollment – 247. Staffing discussed. Intent to negotiate received. Adjust the calendar – anticipate last day of school May 29.

Board Member Reports: NCIC – College visits to Kansas City. Facilities – carpet/flooring at elementary. HLOCF – Auction event and awards was on April 5, 2025. Thanks to FCCLA and FACS students and Lisa/Amy for help. Negotiations – intent to negotiate.

Old business – Fundraising letters.

Fest moved, seconded by Eidhammer to approve a 3-year Superintendent contract. The motion carried.

Janssen moved, seconded by Rasche to approve contract with Rachel Sheldahl, Music Teacher. The motion carried.

Fest moved, seconded by Janssen to approve contract with Cory Sheldahl, Math Teacher. The motion carried.

Eidhammer moved, seconded by Fest to approve resignation of Brooke Obermoller, B-Squad volleyball coach. The motion carried.

Janssen moved, seconded by Eidhammer to approve health insurance contract with Medica for staff. The motion carried.

Fest moved, seconded by Janssen to approve donation of \$300 for basketball in memory of Loren Marschel. The motion carried.

Thank you was read from Loren Marshal family.

Janssen moved, seconded by Rasche, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Annie Rasche, Clerk