

Alvord ISD Community News

Alvord ISD Family – I have some highlights for you from the February 24 school board meeting:

Band Program Update – Alvord ISD Band Director Josh McDaniel gave an update on the successes and highlights of our middle school and high school band programs.

Facilities Update – Director of Operations Charlie Mann gave the board an update on the Ag Barn capacity and showed them concepts for potentially reconfiguring and/or adding on to the Ag Barn to create more capacity. The board will look further at pricing for potential ag barn projects at a future board meeting.

Weightroom Equipment – the board approved a budget amendment of \$101,019 for the purchase of new equipment for the weightroom. The equipment will be used frequently by all middle school and high school girls and boys in athletics. Currently we have 230 students in the athletic program. This new equipment will significantly increase the amount of work our athletes can complete within the limited time and space available. The projected lifespan of this equipment is approximately 20 years, we hope to get the equipment installed before the end of the school year.

2025-2026 Calendar - The District Educational Improvement Committee (DEIC) has been working on calendar options for several months now as has been reported in the previous board meeting highlights. The board approved the 2025-2026 calendar developed by the DEIC committee, this calendar will be sent out to everyone soon.

2024-2025 Board Goals – The board has been reviewing and discussing board goals for several months, the board approved the revised board goals which will also be sent out to everyone soon.

Administrator Contracts – The board extended the contracts of Elementary Principal Jamie Mitchell, Intermediate School Principal and Assistant Superintendent Jessica Bull, Middle School Principal Brandy Mayfield, High School Principal Aaron Tefertiller, Director of Operations Charlie Mann, and Director of Safety and Security and Chief of Police Tony Vo. We have a great admin team, we are thankful for their dedication to and support of our students and staff.

Staffing – due to enrollment and the needs of our students we are adding a 5th grade teaching position and an elementary special education teaching position for next school year. Alvord ISD employment opportunities can be found at <https://www.alvordisd.net/employment>

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