

## SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

The Avoyelles Parish School Board met in regular session on Tuesday, November 1, 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; Lynn Deloach, Robin Moreau, Stanley Celestine, Jr., Rickey Adams, and Jill Guidry.

Absent: Latisha Small and Chris Lacour.

An Invocation was offered by Board member Lynn Deloach.

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

1. On motion by Robin Moreau, seconded by Stanley Celestine, Jr., the Board adopted the minutes of the regular Board meeting held on Tuesday, October 4, 2022, and the Special Board meeting held on October 18, 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 President Aimee Dupuy read a resolution of respect to the late Madeleine Dubea Sanders, retired secretary.

On motion by Robin Moreau, seconded by Jill Guidry, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Madeleine Dubea Sanders, retired secretary. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

B. Board member Chris Robinson read a resolution of respect to the late Ruth Tagliarino, retired secretary.

On motion by Chris Robinson, seconded by Jill Guidry, the Board adopted the resolution of respect to the late Ruth Tagliarino, retired secretary.

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

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

Kea'Marii Augustine, Bunkie Elementary Learning Academy; Payton Jeansonne, Cottonport Elementary School; Kiya Deshautelle, Lafargue Elementary School; La'niyia Eggins, Marksville Elementary School; Anna Dodge, Plaucheville Elementary School; Jayda Cooper, Riverside Elementary School; Luke Scallan, Avoyelles High School; Chelsie Dauzat, Bunkie Magnet High School; Blane Lacombe, Louisiana School for the Agricultural Sciences; and Travonna Augustine, Marksville High School.

On behalf of the Board, President Aimee Dupuy commended the students on this outstanding achievement.

4. Assistant Superintendent Thelma Prater recognized the Teachers of the Month for October, 2022. She commended the teachers for their dedication, and Superintendent Tutor presented a plaque to each teacher, as follows:

Phyllis Morris, Bunkie Elementary Learning Academy; Tomika Simmons, Cottonport Elementary School; Steve Turner, Lafargue Elementary School; Stacey Duncan, Marksville Elementary School; Kara Lemoine, Plaquemine Elementary School; Shawnita Scott, Riverside Elementary School; Cameron Adams, Avoyelles High School; Sabrina Washington, Bunkie Magnet High School; Summer Anderson, Louisiana School for the Agricultural Sciences; and Tina Anderson, Marksville High School.

On behalf of the Board, President Aimee Dupuy commended the teachers on this outstanding achievement.

5. School Recognition: The National FFA Convention was held in Indianapolis, IN, and three FFA members from LaSAS placed in the Agriscience Fair. Principal Eric Dausat and FFA advisor/ag teacher Summer Anderson recognized the following individuals: Gabrielle Thomas and Lawson Marchand placed 9<sup>th</sup> in Food Products and Processing Systems, and Austin Spencer placed 9<sup>th</sup> in Animal Systems. Each student was presented with a certificate for their exceptional accomplishments.

6. Assistant Superintendent Thelma Prater addressed the Board with a recommendation to approve an Employer Services Agreement between Coal Creek Software, Inc. and the Avoyelles Parish School Board.

On motion by Rickey Adams, seconded by Robin Moreau, the Board approved the Employer Services Agreement between Coal Creek Software, Inc. and the Avoyelles Parish School Board. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

7. Assistant Superintendent Thelma Prater addressed the Board with a recommendation to approve the Special Employment Agreement for welding instructor Bobby Williber at LaSAS.

On motion by Robin Moreau, seconded by Lynn Deloach, the Board approved the Special Employment Agreement for welding instructor Bobby Williber at LaSAS, to be funded with ESSER funds. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

8. Superintendent Karen Tutor addressed the Board with a recommendation to approve an MOU between LSUE and the Avoyelles Parish School Board.