Marcellus School Board Meeting

Board Workshop

March 26th, 2018

Marcellus MS/HS Library

Meeting called to order by President Tim Henry 5:00 p.m.

Butchbacker & Engstrom arrived at 5:02.

Administrators in attendance: Pauley, Bohan, Wagner, Price, Vanderbosch, Anderson

A motion was made by Schuur, supported by Hackenberg, to approve the March 12, 2018 board minutes. Ayes 5, Nays 0.

No comments from guests

Elementary Principal Mindy Bohan presented on the MiBLSi program, Reading Now Network, Academic Literacy Project, instructional focus, M-Step celebrations and challenges, and STAR reading and math scores, and the annual bullying report.

Middle/High Principal Lynn Wagner presented information about the Quiz Bowl Team, band and new digital multimedia course, as well as building demographics, attendance, and local assessment results. Wagner also reported that the middle/high will continue to focus on math achievement and the Academic Literacy Project.

Athletic Director Don Price presented on some hot topics for MHSAA. The association is discussing possible changes for the football payoff criteria. He also reported that participation numbers for fall soccer appear low, that securing volunteer ticket takers continues to be a challenge, and that the SW10 conference is discussing ideas to encourage sportsmanship. Price also gave the annual report on bullying for the MS/High school.

Volinia Director Amy Anderson reported an attendance rate of 89.4, up from 2017 which was 80%. Eighty-seven percent of students are attending and on target to graduate with their Cohort. 100% of last year’s students returned for the current school year. The Maple Fest was a success; revenue was approximately $4575.50. Focus will continue to be recruitment and retention of students, discipline and reward with an emphasis on course completion.

Superintendent Pauley presented on board goals, fund balances, the homeschool program, enrollment, designation of secondary equipment funds provided by LCISD, consideration for remaining bond funds and state assessments.

Dave Vanderbosch presented on scheduled maintenance for all buildings, the new track project, the replacement of old sections of water pipes in the boys locker room and the maintenance/repairs to the roof on the middle school building.

A motion made by Reed to adjourn at 8:29, supported by Butchbaker. All yeas.

Respectfully Submitted

Nicki Hackenberg

Secretary