

Board of Education Meeting

District Administrative Office
Thursday, November 19, 2020
6:30pm - 10:30pm

1 Mission

Mr. Brad Schneider

The mission of the Big Walnut Local Schools is to inspire and guide each student to his or her maximum potential.

2 Vision

Mr. Brad Schneider

In order to realize our mission, we will strive to achieve and maintain our vision of:

- Student-focused, professional, collaborative staff
- Student-focused, challenging and current curriculum
- Supportive, involved and informed community
- Safe, respectful and welcoming environment

3 President

Mr. Brad Schneider

- Call to Order
- Pledge of Allegiance

4 District Goals

- Improve academic achievement
- Improve communication
- Plan for growth (facility plan)
- Financial responsibility

5 Minutes

Mr. Brad Schneider

It is recommended the Board approve the minutes for the October 15, 2020 Board meeting.

6 Superintendent's Report

Mrs. Angie Hamberg

6.1 District Goal: Improve Communication

- Healthy Child Act
- COVID-19 Update
- 2021 recommended Board of Education meeting dates

6.2 District Goals: Student Academic Achievement

- BWHS Building Presentation - Mr. Andy Jados
- BWHS CIP Update - Mr. Andy Jados
- Academic Update - Mrs. Jen Young

6.3 District Goal: Planning for Growth

- Construction Update - Mr. Doug Swartz

7 Recognitions

Mr. Brad Schneider

- Grace Weber, BWHS Student of the Month - Mr. Doug Crowl
- Jonah Kildoo, PRE Student of the Month - Mr. Steve Fujii

8 Treasurer's Report

Mr. Jeremy Buskirk

8.1 District Goal: Financial Responsibility

- Monthly Financial Statement
- Fair Funding Formula Plan

9 Selected Board Policy

Mr. Brad Schneider

First reading of the following policy revisions:

1530 - Evaluation of Principals and Other Administrators

2270 - Religion in the Curriculum

2464 - Gifted Education and Identification

3120.05 - Employment of Personnel in Summer School and Adult Education Programs

4162 - Drug and Alcohol Testing of CDL License Holders and Other Employees Who Perform Safety-Sensitive Functions

6107 - Authorization to Accept and Distribute Electronic Records and to use Electronic Signatures

10 Board Members Items of Interest

Mr. Brad Schneider

11 Public Participation

Mr. Brad Schneider

This is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not considered a public community meeting. This is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated in the agenda. (Please reference criteria for Public Participation, which is attached to the agenda.)

12 Business Items

12.1 .

Mr. Jeremy Buskirk

It is recommended the Board approve the November 2020 Five-Year Forecast and the Assumptions.

Attachments:

[Big Walnut 046748.pdf](#)

12.2 .

Mrs. Jen Young

It is recommended the Board approve the Big Walnut Local School District's graduation seals.

Attachments:

[Graduation Seals.pdf](#)

12.3 .

Mrs. Jen Young

It is recommended the Board approve the following Big Walnut High School course additions:

- Introduction to Engineering Design
- Leadership for Life
- Honors Global Studies I & II
- Fibers, Wire & Specialty Clays
- STEM Physics
- Introduction to Economics

12.4 .

Mr. Mark Cooper

It is recommended the Board approve the Resolution Declaring Transportation to be Impractical for Certain Identified Schools.

Attachments:

[transportation impractical resolution 11.19.pdf](#)

12.5 .

Mr. Brad Schneider

It is recommended the Board approve the following donations:

- \$100 donated to BWHS Athletics, donated by Urban Homes, Inc. Henderson donation - BWHS Athletics Fund # 300-9501
- \$75 donated to BWMS, donated by Western Governors University - District Student Teaching Fund #022-9401
- Landscaping at the ELC (labor & supplies - value \$1,150), donated by Meyers Green Services
- \$400 donated to GRE, donated by CNC Life Insurance (Favorite Teacher Contest - winner Abbey Okoneski GRE Teacher) - GRE Principal Fund #018-9008
- \$800 donated to BWHS FFA, donated by PJ's Family Restaurant - BWHS FFA Fund #200-9330
- \$668 donated to BWLSD Food Service, donated by Neighborhood Bridges - BWLSD Food Service Fund #006-0000
- \$352 donated to BWHS FFA, donated by BW FFA Alumni - BWHS FFA Fund # 200-9330
- \$900 donated to BWHS FFA, donated by National FFA Foundation - BWHS FFA Fund # 200-9330

13 Human Resources

Mr. Mark Cooper

Human Resources Update

13.1 .

It is recommended the Board approve the increase the substitute teacher daily rate for subbing from \$95/day to \$100/day, and the rate for the 31st -60th consecutive days from \$100/day to \$105/day, effective December 6, 2020.

13.2 .

It is recommended the Board approve the following athletic supplemental contracts for the 2020/2021 school year pending receipt of successful background checks, verification of experience, and completion of all necessary documentation:

- Kelly Robinson, BWMS, (.5) athletic facilities manager, group 3 step 0
- Judah Armbrust, BWHS, volunteer swim coach
- Jennifer Blackburn, BWHS, volunteer swim coach
- Josey Sweeney, BWHS, volunteer swim coach
- Molly McCloskey, BWMS, volunteer girls' basketball
- Mahlon Spangler, BWHS, varsity assistant coach, girls' basketball, group 2 step 0
- Patrick Flanagan, BWHS, assistant coach, girls' basketball, group 4 step 3
- Ryan Balaz, boys' tennis head coach, group 2 step 11

- Ryan Borland, boys' track head coach, group 2 step 11
- Joe Evener, girls' track head coach, group 2 step 11
- Jerry Hatcher, softball head coach, group 2 step 11
- Steve Palmer, girls' lacrosse head coach, group 2 step 11
- Zeid Rahwaneh, boys' lacrosse (boys) head coach, group 2 step 3
- Jack Schone, baseball head coach, group 2 step 11

13.3 .

It is recommended the Board approve a 90-day classified contract for Tim Smith, 2nd shift custodian, PRE, step 0 effective November 24, 2020.

13.4 .

It is recommended the Board approve the change in employment for Nichole Hall, from 3 hrs/day PRE food service to 5 hrs/day BWHS food service, effective November 2, 2020.

13.5 .

It is recommended the Board approve an unpaid leave of absence for Gene Simpkins, BWHS custodian, beginning September 24 and ending approximately December 23, 2020.

13.6 .

It is recommended the Board accept the following resignations:

- Angie Snyder, Building Secretary, General Rosecrans Elementary, effective November 24, 2020
- Jon Mills, 2nd shift custodian, PRE, effective at the end of the day on November 10, 2020

14 Scheduling of Next Board Meeting

Mr. Brad Schneider

Regularly Scheduled Meetings:

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December 3, 2020

7:30 am

District Administrative Office

December 10, 2020

6:30 pm

District Administrative Office

Streaming will be made available on the District website.

15 Executive Session

Mr. Brad Schneider

It is recommended the Board enter Executive Session to consider the employment/appointment of a public employee/official.

16 Adjourn

Mr. Brad Schneider

It is recommended the Board exit Executive Session and the meeting adjourns.