

# *East Lycoming School District*



## *School Board Update:*

### *NOTES AND INFORMATION FROM THE December 17, 2013 REGULAR BOARD MEETING*

The meeting convened at 7:00 p.m. and adjourned at approximately 8:00 pm. There were no public comments about the agenda.

#### **Administrative and Board Committee Reports:**

- Mr. Pawlik announced the following student successes:  
Lydia Getgen and Rilynn Temple were recognized for being selected for District Band and Lydia was also recognized for being selected for District Orchestra. Our Varsity Cheerleaders were recognized for their contribution to winning the “Pink Glove” video. The video, produced in conjunction with Geisinger, was selected as a National “Pink Glove” winner.
- Mr. Pawlik reviewed the changes in the A.U.P. involved with the iPad mini program. If a student loses or damages their iPad, they will be financially responsible. Parent meetings will be held in January to offer information and answer any questions.
- Mr. Pawlik thanked our retiring teachers for all of their years of service to the students of the East Lycoming School District.

#### **Board Policy:**

- **The board approved the following Board Policy updates:**
  - Approved updates to Board Policies 222, 323, and 904 to encompass electronic cigarettes. Electronic cigarettes will not be allowed on district property during the day or at any after school events.
  - Approved updates to Board Policy 246 to be in compliance with the “Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act”.
  - Approved updates to Board Policy 121 to include the management of student medications while students are on field trips.

#### **Educational Matters:**

- **The board approved the following Education Items:**
  - Educational Reports: Staff Attendance, Student Attendance, Enrollment, Discipline, Guidance, College & Career, School Psychologist, School Resource Officer, Nurse, and Driver Ed.

- Approved various field trips for District Band, District Chorus, annual FLBA competition and County Band students. Also the annual trip to Penn College for our Plastics class.

**Personnel:**

- **The board approved the following Personnel Items:**
  - Accepted the retirement resignations of Mr. Bill Carroll, Miss Pam Lamb, and Mr. Jan Mostowy.
  - Approved the coaching resignations of Andy Brown, Jeremy Edkin, Mindy Hyde, and Theresa Knott as Cheerleading Coach.
  - Approved the resignation of LeAnn DeSciscio as a supervisory aide and security worker.
  - Approved Rosa Shaner and Rebecca Minier as supervisory aides.
  - Approved transfer of Crystal Falk to the part-time High School Building Secretary.
  - Approved Tyler Morton as a substitute teacher.
  - Approved the following coaches: Troy Charles as Head Jr. High Wrestling, Adam Gehr as Jr. High Boys Basketball, Tom Brokaw and Dave Adams reappointment as basketball coaches, and Matt Yoder as a volunteer track coach.
  - Approved Ethan Showers as a Fitness Center Worker.
  - Approved Penney Boyer and Tammy Springman as Odyssey of the Mind volunteers.

**Business/Financial Items:**

- **The board approved the following business/financial items:**
  - Treasurer's Report, Bills for Payment, Act 24 Reform, Capitol Projects, and Student Activities.
  - Support Staff contract beginning July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2016.
  - iPad initiative four year lease for 1,150 iPad minis.

The next public meeting is scheduled January 14, 2014.

*Mike*