

Homewood Public Schools District 153 Board of Education Meeting
May 13, 2019

Roll Call: All Members Present

The Board approved the minutes from the Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of April 23, 2019

Future Dates:

- May 13-17 White Pines Trip
- May 16 PMA Pass the Baton Celebration 6:30pm
- May 22 James Hart Family Reading Night 6:30pm
- May 24 Early Dismissal
- May 24 Returning Seniors (James Hart Class of 2015) Party, James Hart 2:00pm
- May 27 No School (Chamber Orchestra and Symphonic Band play in Memorial Day Parade)
- May 31 8th Grade Dance 6:00 pm-9:00pm
- June 3 8th Grade Trip to Navy Pier/Great America
- June 4 8th Grade Graduation 7:00pm HF High School
- June 7 Last Day of School – Early Dismissal

Presentation: None

Audience Participation: None

Response to Questions or Concerns Raised by the Audience at Previous Meetings:
None

Report of Board Committees and Meetings:

- J. Schmidt discussed the Educational Progress Committee report regarding the new Social Studies Curriculum (K-8). The curriculum provides for specific sequencing for technology, up-to-date materials and time for staff planning.

Superintendent's Report: Dr. Mitchell discussed

- The positive results the Administrative Team was getting from the Interview Process.
- The Yearbook will be completed shortly.
- He and Ms. Marks will be attending the White Pines Trip for a day.

Consent Agenda Items: The Board of Education Approved the Following:

- Personnel Report
- Business Official to Pay the Usual and Customary Bills for June 2019
- Outplacement of Student ID #10697 to AAA Academy
- Outplacement of Student ID #24546 to RISE (Hart Student)

Action Agenda Items: The Board of Education Approved the Following:

- Payment of 2019 Bills
- Approval of New Social Studies Curriculum (as reported by J. Schmidt)
- Approval Summer Technology Projects and Updates: Several equipment updates will be made for Safety reasons: ie: Safety Cameras, Intercom System and Cards. (Bids came in lower than projected).
- Employment: Dr. Mitchell indicated that they have interviewed excellent candidates.

Discussion Items:

- Dr. Mitchell commended the staff that has worked on Social Studies Curriculum .

Written Communication

- Greg Lawrence read a Thank you Letter from a Parent 2 Graduates of the District that indicated the students were doing very well.

The Board Adjourned