



Building a Bridge to the Future



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***Class Motto: Chase your dreams,
but always know the road will
lead you home again.***



The Summer Food Service Program will be starting later this year. Please watch for information when the summer food program will be starting.

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Introduction to Culinary Little Kid Lab!

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WHAT'S COMING UP?

6--28—SCHOOL BOARD MEETING



Kindergarten Registration for the 2022-2023 School Year and information regarding the Bridge to Kindergarten program has been mailed out. If you did not receive and have a child starting Kindergarten next school year please contact Amy at the Primary School 507-732-7848

May 9th Work Session Minutes

Member's present: Jason Lohmann, Amanda Peters, Jean Roth, Jim Wendt, Stephanie Miller and Angie Bredehoff.

Also Present: Mr. Harvey and Board Clerk Secretary Amber Rasmussen.

Mr. Lohmann called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

There were no changes to the agenda.

Ms. Bredehoff motioned to adopt the agenda as presented. Mr. Wendt seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Items for Discussion:

1. The ZM Zoom Robotics team demonstrated the robot they built this year. There are currently 17 members on the team. The captains of the team gave a presentation. They are currently \$6000.00 short of their budget and asked the School Board for \$4000.00 to help with expenses.
2. Cherie Johnson from Goodhue County Education District gave a presentation explaining what the education district is. She explained organizational structure, who is on the board and which schools make up the education district. Cherie also talked about the monthly bill, explaining the revenue sources and the different services offered by the education district. Currently there are 393 students enrolled in 5RiversOnline.
3. The following Policies were reviewed: 510 School Activities, 511 Student Fundraising, 523 Policies Incorporated by Reference, 542 Student Assistance Program, 647 Early Kindergarten Entrance, 649 Guidance, 650 Evaluation of the Instructional Program, 651 Program Evaluation, 652 Inclusive Education Plan and 705 Investments.
4. Mr. Wendt motioned to approve the following bids for the school vehicles. \$6789.50 for the 2008 Chrysler Van and \$7223.00 for the

2010 Chevrolet Suburban. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

5. Ms. Buchholz and Mr. Jacobsen gave a presentation of the Spanish Curriculum starting with 8th grade. Spanish 1 and 2 use the SO-MOS curriculum, which is a Comprehension-based, Proficiency-oriented, Acquisition-driven curriculum for Novice learners. Spanish 3 and 4 continues and expands upon the skills developed in Spanish 2. Students read novels in both Spanish 3 and 4.

6. Ms. Oliver and Ms. Langworthy gave a visual art presentation. Ms. Langworthy shared her goal for each grade level and the curriculum she teaches. Ms. Oliver demonstrated how she uses Schoology in the classes to keep the projects consistent.

7. District Strategic Planning. Mr. Harvey said the last strategic plan was in 2014. He explained this is a great time, after construction and Covid, to define who the ZM school district is. Mr. Harvey recommends starting this project in the fall so it can be ready to start the following school year. He will have a presentation at a future meeting.

8. The LTFM draft budget was reviewed. This will be approved at a future meeting.

9. Dental and Life Insurance: Renewal Rates were received from Health Partners with a 3% increase. Standard Insurance is a 7% decrease in cost. Mr. Harvey recommends changing to Standard insurance. This will be brought to the May 23rd meeting for approval.

10. Property, Workman's Compensation and Vehicle Insurance quotes are currently being received. This will be brought to the May 23rd meeting for approval.

11. Mr. Harvey gave a construction update. The band area is on target to be done by the end of the school year. As soon as school is out for summer the rest of construction along with the parking lots will start.

12. Ms. Miller motioned to adjourn the meeting at 9:22 PM. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Community Education Brochure is available on the school website.

Enjoy your summer!



School Board Meeting Minutes:

The ZM School Board met for their regular scheduled meeting on Monday May 23, 2022.

Member's Present: Amanda Peters, Jim Wendt, Jason Lohmann, Jean Roth, Stephanie Miller and Angie Bredehoff

Also Present: Mr. Harvey, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Rasmussen, Ms. Ahern, Scott Marine and Board Clerk Secretary Amber Rasmussen.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mr. Lohmann.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

There was no recognition.

Mr. Wendt motioned to approve the following changes to the agenda. Paraprofessional MOU for June 2022 summer incentive pay and Enterprise Fleet (Vehicle) Management Service Information. Ms. Roth seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Mr. Wendt motioned to adopt the agenda as presented. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Reports:

Mr. Anderson thanked the following people. Katie Kennedy, Jen Klein, Angela Heitmann and student government members for hosting Prom. Officer Kurti for hosting the seatbelt challenge and to the post prom committee. He reports that Spring Concerts were successful. The move into the new building last month was nearly flawless. Dave Starr donated car washes for students that helped with the move. Officer Kurti hosted a school trap shoot competition. NHS hosted a Blood Drive at the High School on May 13. 6th graders came to the HS for orientation on May 13. Senior Scholarship Awards were presented on May 18, thank you to all the generous donors.

Mr. Rasmussen reports that it was warm in the building for a few days, but the dehumidification units made a huge difference. MCA's went well. 5th and 6th grade band/music held concerts in may. 6th grade and 2nd grade orientation went well, thank you to Ms. Stamschror and everyone else involved. Mr. Rasmussen that nked students, teachers and staff who continue to make daily adjustments handling last minute changes. Elementary students' last days will be busy with multiple

field trips.

Ms. Ahern reports ESY and Targeted services will start on June 13. The Goodhue County Gophers Adaptive Bowling Team went to state. Kindergarten Registration/Open House had 94% attendance. Fastbridge testing is complete. Ms. Ahern thanked the ZM Education Foundation and MR. Roth and his construction class for the Gaga Pit. The students love it. Elementary students will also be busy with field trips and activities the last days of school.

Mr. Harvey reports that enrollment remains consistent. The end of the year is busy again this year. Students are enjoying the new spaces in the Middle School/High School building.

There was no Patron Input.

Old Business:

Mr. Wendt motioned to approve the following policies: 510 Student Activities, 511 Student Fundraising, 523 Policies Incorporated by Reference, 542 Student Assistance Program, 647 Early Kindergarten Entrance, 649 Guidance, 651 Evaluation of the Instructional Program, 652 Inclusive Education Plan and 705 Investments. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Ms. Miller motioned to approve Standard Dental and Life Insurance. Ms. Roth seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

Mr. Wendt motioned to approve the Robertson Ryan & Associates Workmen's Compensation insurance quote. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

New Business:

1. Ms. Roth motioned to accept the consent agenda along with the payment of bills. Ms. Miller seconded the agenda. All in favor. Motion carried

 - Approval of Minutes: 4-25-2022 and 5-9- 22
 - Approval of Hires: Julia Anderson, Long Term Substitute, Jennica Hinrichs, Preschool, ECFE Teacher/Coordinator. Kate Stone, Language Arts

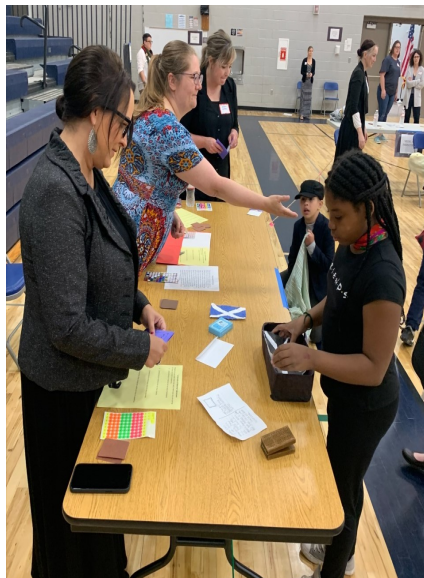
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School Board Meeting Cont.

- Approval of Resignations: Jessica Winters, Special Education Administrative Assistant, Jennifer Klein 7-12 Student Government Advisor, Katie Kennedy 7-12 Student Government Advisor, Nancy Bremer Concession Stand Manager, Jordan Thompson Paraprofessional, Samantha Sheridan Cougar Care
 - Approval of Tenure
 - Approval of Childcare Leave
 - Approval of Terminations
 - Approval of Fundraisers
 - Approval of Donations: Mazeppa Lions Club \$2000 for FCCLA, \$1000 Community Ed Bike Rodeo, Mazeppa Fire Fighters \$3000 for Wrestling Mats
 - Approval of Grants
 - Approval of Lane Changes
 - Approval of Bill consideration: May—Ms. Roth, June— Ms. Bredehoft
2. Mr. Wendt motioned to accept the following bids for the 2022-2023 Construction House excluding HVAC at this time. Mr. Lohmann seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried. *E
 3. Budget Report. Scott Marine reports that revenues are currently at \$322,675 ahead of FY21 pace due to Federal Draws, CARES, more revenue Biennium increase and Construction Revenue. Expenditures are \$711.344 ahead of this time last year because of Construction and CARES funding being spend.
 4. Ms. Roth motioned to adopt the 2022-2023 Budget as presented. Ms. Miller seconded the motioned. All in favor. Motion carried.
 5. Ms. Roth motioned to adopt the 2022-2023 Budget as presented. Ms. Miller seconded the motioned. All in favor. Motion carried.
 6. Mr. Lohmann motioned to approve the 2022-2023 LTFM Budget. Ms. Roth seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.
 7. Mr. Wendt motioned to accept the 2022-2024 Paraprofessional Agreement. Ms. Bredehoft seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.
 8. Mr. Lohmann motioned to call for Milk Quotes. Ms. Bredehoft seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.
 9. Birth to 3 year old Childcare Information: Mr. Harvey spoke about the need for birth to 33 month old child care in the Zumbrota-Mazeppa area. Private entities are not meeting the need. Mr. Harvey has speakend with the city and St. Fences about using the basement at the nursing home for this. The school and city would work with a private entity to run the child care. This is in the beginning stages.
 10. Construction Update: Mr. Harvey reports that demolition is happening now so when school is out construction can start immediately. The parking lot construction in Zumbrota has started. Asbestos removal has started at the Mazeppa house. The Mazeppa Fire Department will use the house as a training exercise.
 11. Ms. Bredehoft motioned to approve the Paraprofessional MOU for June 2022 Summer incentive pay of \$2/hour. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.
 12. Enterprise Fleet (Vehicle) Management Services: Mr. Harvey explained that GCED uses Enterprise for school vehicles. ZM could join with GCED and use Enterprise for our school vehicle needs as they would be more readily available. If the need arises this will be brought back.
 13. Board Comments: Ms. Bredehoft asked where streaming board meetings are at. Mr. Harvey said there are a couple of options, ZOOM or having Grant set up video production equipment in the HS Media Center. Mr. Harvey likes the ZOOM idea. Will possibly get more microphones. Ms. Roth mentioned what the staff at Southeast Service Coop is offering. She said they have staff development opportunities and work with MSBA for workshop opportunities for board members.
 14. Mr. Lohmann motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 PM. Ms. Miller seconded the motion. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

4th Grade Ellis Island





Zumbrota-Mazeppa 1st Graders at the Community Garden. They helped plant honeyberry bushes on Tuesday, May 24.

Minnesota Outdoors class at Nerstrand Big Woods State Park. Our focus was on wildflowers during this trip, but we also learned about the prairie restoration work



ZM Primary Students enjoying the New GAGA Ball Pit