

SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

At their August 10, 2009 regular meeting, the Haywood County Board of Education took the following action:

Larry Smith gave the invocation and Chairman Francis led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Francis announced the September Board meeting will be held September 14th at 7:00 p.m. at the Education Center.

Chairman Francis expressed his sorrow regarding the loss of Bill Stamey. Chairman Francis stated this is a loss that will be felt throughout western North Carolina and the state.

There were no agenda adjustments and no requests to address the Board during Open Session.

Approved July 13, 2009 regular and closed session minutes and July 28, 2009 called and closed session minutes.

Matt Wells, HCS Foundation President, gave an update on the Haywood County Schools Foundation. Chairman Francis thanked the Foundation for their support of Haywood County Schools.

Approved the Haywood County Schools Foundation Board of Directors.

Steve Brown discussed the Day of Service and the work provided by several local churches. Chairman Francis thanked Tracy Hargrove and Maintenance Department staff for their hard work in making this a successful event.

Approved 2009-2010 Nursing Agreement between Haywood County Schools and Haywood County Health Department.

Heard a testing update on 2008-2009 test scores from Knox Hardin.

Approved Board Policies P-11 Substitute Teachers and P-17 Personnel Appraisal.

Approved regular monthly financial reports.

Heard the following personnel items and took action as necessary.

I. Transfers

Employee	Position	From	To	Effect
Jane Gladen	Counselor	THS	½ WMS ½ CHHS	8/17/09
Karri Koncizal	Counselor	CHHS	THS	8/17/09
Theresa Heinz	Counselor	JVE	PHS	8/17/09
Rosemary Houston	Counselor	WMS	BMS	8/17/09
Leslie Smith	Counselor	JUN	½ JUN ½ JVE	8/17/09
Gail Williams	Counselor	CES	½ CES ½ MES	8/17/09

II. Separation from Employment

NAME	School	Position	Effective
Kristina Wiggins	Ctywde	Psychologist	8/03/09
Debbie Davis	CO	Mid Sch Sup	11/30/09
Gloria Craig	HWD	Aftersch prog	8/03/09
Michael Hardesty	Central	Bus Driver	8/04/09
Ray Sanford	PHS	Custodian	11/30/09
Maura Morris	CMS	Counselor	8/10/09

III. Leave of Absence

Employee	School	Position	Effective
Laura Earley	JUN	Teacher	10/23/09-1/4/10
Paula Nichols	JUN	Teacher	8/17/09-9/4/09

IV – Employment

Name	Position	Sch	Reason	Effect
Britney Reynolds	Encore Teacher	WMS	Replacing D. Garber	8/17/09
Darsey Lingle	Teacher –4 th Grd	CES	Replacing A. Huffman	8/17/09
Kevin Drury	Teacher	BES	Rplcng L. Adams Retrmnt	8/17/09
Lisa Cook	EC Teacher Asst	HWD	Rehire - EC	8/17/09
Rosalind Buchanan	Prt-time AIG Tchr	CES	15 hrs/wk PT/tmp 1-yr contract	8/17/09
Cameron Kingshill	Interim Marketing	THS	T. Rich Maternity leave	8/17/09
Eric Sollie	Masonry Teacher	THS	Replcg R. Myers	8/17/09
Meaghann Denkenberge	EC Teacher Asst	CLY	Rehire - EC	8/17/09
Patsy Mills	Title 1 TA (50%)	CLY	Rehire (<19.5 hrs/wk)	8/17/09
Brook Jones	Title 1 TA (50%)	CLY	Rehire (<19.5 hrs/wk)	8/17/09
Shanna Hall	EC Teacher Asst	CLY	Rehire – EC	8/17/09
Holly Curran	Sch Psychologist	PHS/CMS	Fulltime replcg K. Wiggins	8/17/09
Kathy Marie Swanger	Pre-K Teacher	CES	New Position	8/17/09
Heather Mull	Teacher Asst	MES	Rehire – New Position – Title 1	8/03/09
Brooke Atwood	EC Teacher	NCE	Replacing S. Atkinson	8/17/09
Alexandra Leland	Interim EC tchr	NCE	Interim for D.Ramsey mtrnty	8/17/09
Cameron Kingshill	Interim Mrking	THS	Interim for T. Rich maternity	8/17/09
Ginger Pressel	Prt-tm Title1 tutor	JUN	15 hrs/wk PT/tmp 1-yr contract	8/17/09
Hazel McAbee	Prt-tm Title1 tutor	JUN	15hrs/wk PT/tmp 1-yr contract	8/17/09
Beth Wyatt	Prt-tm Title1 tutor	JUN	15hrs/wk PT/tmp 1-yr contract	8/17/09
Dale Hipps	Prt-tm Title1 tutor	JUN	15hrs/wk PT/tmp 1-yr contract	8/17/09
Gina Smith	Bus Driver	JUN	Full-time replcg S. Swanger	8/17/09
Sandra Revis	Bus Driver	BES	Full-time replcg J. Trull	8/17/09
Cindy Moore	Interim Teacher	MES	Interim for A.Duckett mtrnty	8/12/09
Teresa McGaha	Pre-K Tchr Asst	JVE	Rehire Full-time Pre-K asst.	8/17/09
Melanie Ashe	Pre-K Tchr Asst	CES	Rehire Full-time Pre-K asst.	8/17/09
Lori Fox	PE Teacher	CHHS	Full-time replcg O. Armstrong	8/17/09
Greg Owens	LA/SS Teacher	HMA	Full-time replcg B. Hunnicutt	8/17/09
Stan Blackburn	Counselor	PHS	Full-time replcg A. Henry	8/17/09
Travis Hannah	English Techer	PHS	Full-time Replcg N. Nickolson	8/17/09
Laura Turner	Teacher Asst	CES	Rehire – Title 1 Funds	8/17/09
Tina Ann Pope	Teacher Asst	CES	Rehire – Title 1 Funds	8/17/09
Barbara Ann Wilson	Bus Driver	CES	Prt-tm2.72hrsreplcgMHardesty	8/17//09
Juana Cooley	Teacher Asst	CES	Rehire – EC Funds	8/17/09
Betty Brown	PT Title 1 Tutor	JVE	19.5hrs/wkPt/temp ARRA fund	9/14/09
Jane Nicholson	PT Title 1 Tutor	JVE	19.5hrs/wkPt/temp	9/08/09
Joyce Early	PT Title 1 Tutor	JVE	19.5hrs/wkPt/temp	9/14/09
Rhonda Rogers	Remediation Tutor	CMS	Rehire – replcg	8/17/09

V. Coaching Contracts

Name	Purpose	School	Season
Jennifer Smathers	Girls' Tennis	THS	2010
Dana Bell	Head Volleyball	THS	2009
Tonya Shepard	Cross Country	CMS	2009
Lindsey Brown	Cheerleading (Fall & Winter)	CMS	2009-10
Robert Robles	Basketball PA	THS	2009-10
Steve Ledford	Athletic Director	CMS	2009-10
Steve Ledford	Asst. Football	CMS	2009
Steve Ledford	Head Basketball	CMS	2009-10
Gini Jones	Cheerleading (Fall & Winter)	THS	2009-10
Mike Gentry	Softball (rplcg A.Gardner)	THS	2010
Clint McElreath	Asst. Football	PHS	2009
Chris Brookshire	Asst. Football	THS	2009
Stephen Parris	Asst. Volleyball	BMS	2009

VI. Volunteer Coaches

Name	Purpose	School	Season
Adam Walker	Volunteer Football Coach	THS	2009
Mark A. Jackson	Volunteer Football Coach	THS	2009
Ken Picou	Volunteer Cross Ctry/Track	THS	2009-10
Jenny Reynolds	Volunteer Volleyball Coach	PHS	2009
Nicholas Martin	Volunteer Athletic Trainer	PHS	2009-10

VII. Substitutes

Name	Position	Effective
Barbara Wilson	Bus Substitute	8/17/09
Paula Brigman	SFS Substitute	8/17/09
Miranda Griffin	SFS Substitute	8/17/09
Ross Owen	Certified Substitute Teacher	8/17/09
Barbara Bradshaw	Certified Substitute Teacher	8/17/09
Jennifer Standley	Certified Substitute Teacher	8/17/09
Emily Page	Certified Substitute Teacher	8/17/09

VIII. Contracted Services

Name	Purpose	Effective
Vicki Holcombe dba Choices Enterprise	Coach for 3-5 teachers ctywde	08/17/09 – 5/31/09