

SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

At their June 8, 2009 regular meeting, the Haywood County Board of Education took the following action:

Jay Meadows gave the invocation and led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Francis announced information regarding this week's graduation events.

Chairman Francis announced the regular July meeting will be held Monday, July 13, 2009 at the Education Center in Clyde. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. instead of 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Francis announced Steven Kirkpatrick was absent due to personal reasons and Walt Leatherwood was absent due to being honored at a softball banquet.

Recognized Frank Pollifrone, Ron Hundley and WMS students, Kayleigh McAlister and Lindsay Kihnel, who addressed the Board regarding PEACE JAM.

Jacque Sherrill addressed the Board during open session regarding policies involving tobacco and leave requests.

Yolanda Ferguson addressed the Board regarding the termination policy.

Approved May 11, 2009 regular and closed session minutes.

Approved the following Board Policies: *P-07 Professional Personnel – Reduction in Force; P-16 Dismissing a Bus Driver; SA-11 Student Promotion; and SA-13 Student Accountability.*

Tabled the following policies until the next regular meeting to allow for public input: *P-24 Recruitment, Selection, Retention & Non-renewal of Licensed Personnel; A-43 Child Nutrition Charge Policy.*

Approved the 2009-2010 Title IV Safe and Drug Free Schools Application as presented by Dr. Anne Garrett.

Approved the 2009-2010 Title I Application as presented by Fred Trantham.

Approved the 2009-2010 Title II Application as presented by Carol Douglas.

Approved the 2009-2010 CTE Application as presented by Aleasa Glance.

Approved the 2009-2010 Migrant Application as presented by Aleasa Glance.

Heard an NCSBA legislative update from Jimmy Rogers.

Appointed Michael McConnell to the Haywood Community College Board of Trustees.

Approved acceptance of a bid for \$1800.00 for the surplus mini bus.

Approved replacement of swings at Jonathan Valley Elementary at no cost to the system.

Approved the church sponsored community volunteer day of August 8, 2009, with Tracy Hargrove and the maintenance staff coordinating events.

Approved pursuing a long-term low cost lease with the state of North Carolina for the land adjacent to Tuscola High School's baseball/softball fields for the purpose of additional parking.

Approved regular monthly financial reports and local, state and federal budget revisions and amendments.

Heard the following personnel items and took action as necessary:

Separation from Employment

| Name | Position | School | Effective |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| Suzanne Ames | HR Asst/Clerical | CO | 6/30/09 |
| Beverly Ketner | Teacher – 3rd | HWD | 6/30/09 |
| Diane Williams | Lead Teacher | JUN | 6/30/09 |
| Effie Yarborough | Custodian/Bus Drv | HWD | 6/30/09 |
| Elizabeth Garlington | Teacher - Interim | CES | 6/11/09 |
| Amy White | Teacher - 5 th | CES | 6/11/09 |
| Shawna Taylor | Asst. Principal | WMS | 6/26/09 |
| Chris Milner | Custodian/Bus Drv | WMS | 5/13/09 |
| Tyler Rentz | Teacher – 6 th | CMS | 6/30/09 |
| Meghan Wimpey | Interim Teacher | NCE | 5/29/09 |
| Shelly Rhinehart | After-school care | MES | 6/01/09 |
| William James | Custodian | THS | 6/02/09 |
| Eva Hayes | Teacher | CES | 6/11/09 |
| Ron Baldwin | Science Teacher | WMS | 6/11/09 |
| April Huffman | 5 th Grade Teacher | CES | 6/11/09 |

Contract Non-renewal (eligible for rehire)

| Name | School | Effective |
|-------------------|---------|-----------|
| Heather Morgan | MES | 6/11/09 |
| Blake Kerby | MES | 6/11/09 |
| Howard Tew | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Leigh Hyett | RES | 6/11/09 |
| Cameron Kingshill | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Ross Owen | WMS | 6/11/09 |
| Kelly Justice | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Stephanie Zach | JVE | 6/11/09 |
| Kevin Drury | NCE | 6/11/09 |
| Mike Jones | PHS | 6/11/09 |
| Larry Goodwin | BMS | 6/11/09 |
| Carolyn Breece | PHS | 6/11/09 |
| Twila Medford | MES | 6/11/09 |
| Jeannie Teague | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Vicki Gordan | CLY | 6/11/09 |
| Kathy Wyatt | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Tanna Timbes | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Michael Joe Holt | CHHS | 6/11/09 |
| Betty Driver | HEC | 6/11/09 |
| Howard Buchanan | CMS | 6/11/09 |
| Amber Porter | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Ronald Myers | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Tracey Rich | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Suzanne Johnson | CMS | 6/11/09 |
| Cindy Margiotta | CMS | 6/11/09 |
| Caroline Ottinger | BES/CLY | 6/11/09 |
| Brooke Nickol | CES | 6/11/09 |
| Barclay Taylor | CHHS | 6/11/09 |
| Christi Huskison | BMS | 6/11/09 |
| Stephanie Morgan | PHS | 6/11/09 |
| Johnathan Allen | THS | 6/11/09 |
| Dayna Gerlach | WMS | 6/11/09 |
| John McGuire | WMS | 6/11/09 |
| Lindsey M. Brown | CMS | 6/11/09 |

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| Josh Simmons | CMS | 6/11/09 |
| Daniel Atwood | WMS | 6/11/09 |
| Lisa Neff Brown | BMS | 6/11/09 |
| Ashley Queen | Ctywde | 6/11/09 |
| Heather Duncan | CLY | 6/11/09 |
| Kathryn Gobel | NCE | 6/11/09 |
| Sarah Atkinson | NCE | 6/11/09 |
| Meredith Sims | NCE | 6/11/09 |
| Mandy Allen | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Sandra Thompson | JUN | 6/11/09 |
| Holly Holcombe | CLY | 6/11/09 |
| Tammi Beck | CLY | 6/11/09 |
| Jennifer Smith | JUN | 6/11/09 |
| Emily Fleenor | JUN | 6/11/09 |
| Sarah Souderes | HWD | 6/11/09 |
| Laura Beth Gibson | BES | 6/11/09 |
| Miranda Woody | MES | 6/11/09 |
| Megan Crume | HWD | 6/11/09 |
| Melinda Daniels | BMS | 6/11/09 |
| Anna Kate Shook | RES | 6/11/09 |

Tenure

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| Maria Miller | BES |
| Nicole Revis | BES |
| Emily Fama | BMS |
| Joyia James | CES |
| Jennifer Worley | CHHS |
| Renee White | CLY |
| Lucy Cogdill | CLY |
| Penny Caldwell | CLY |
| Angela Ray | CLY |
| Amy Tucker | CLY |
| Jean Ann Yates | CLY |
| Jan West | CLY |
| Martha Early | CMS |
| Carol German | CMS |
| Debra Wright | CMS |
| Pam Davis | HEC |
| Armando Basulto | HWD |
| Carol Clarke | HWD |
| Rebecca Massie | HWD |
| Deborah Pressley | HWD |
| Ann Trader | HWD |
| Rebekah Wilson | HWD |
| Julie Thompson | HWD |
| Marsha Kay Beall | JUN |
| Kristie Easler | JUN |
| Wendy Ebaugh | JUN |
| Donna Fox | JUN |
| Angela Duckett | MBK |
| William Hicks | NCE |
| Bonnie Hall | PHS |
| Tiffany Hamm | PHS |
| Adrienne Howell | PHS |
| Jennifer Lytton | PHS |
| Cristina Marra | PHS |
| Lori Mills | PHS |
| Greg Tucker | PHS |

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| Tiffany Turner | PHS |
| Jeannine Carter | RES |
| Cindy Allen | THS |
| Kari Francouer | THS |
| Ethan Rhinehart | THS |
| Jessica Tucker | THS |
| Janna Brendel | WMS |
| Danielle Capps | WMS |
| Jennifer Cooke | WMS |
| Erman D'Alesandro | WMS |
| Faron Charles Edwards | WMS |
| Patrice McCoy | WMS |
| Jewel Scharf | WMS |
| Jackie Roten | WMS |
| John Wheeler | WMS |
| Candice Wheeler | WMS |

Employee Status Change

| Employee | Position | Sch | To | Effect |
|----------------|----------|-----|--------------------|---------|
| Nancy Ferguson | Teacher | NCE | Return to Position | 8/15/09 |

Employment

| Name | Position | Sch | Effect |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------|---------|
| Zack Nicholson | Speech-Lang -Pathologist | Ctywde | 8/17/09 |
| Alda Smith | Speech-Lang -Pathologist | Ctywde | 7/14/09 |
| *Missy Jenkins | Aftersch/summer daycare | HWD | 6/15/09 |
| W.C. Godfrey | Teacher-CTE Pulp/Paper | PHS | 8/15/09 |
| *Andrea Riddle | Tchr Asst. | MES | 6/08/09 |

*currently employed in other capacity

Contracts

| Name | Purpose | Sch | Reason | Effective |
|----------------|-------------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------|
| Melinda Rogers | Psychologist Internship | Ctywd | Paid Internship | 4/06/09 |

Volunteers

| Name | Purpose | Effective | School | Season |
|-----------------|--------------------|-----------|--------|--------|
| Gary Albrecht | Vol.Track Coach | 3/05/09 | 2009 | Spring |
| Charles Kielson | Vol.Football Coach | 8/01/09 | 2009 | Fall |

Substitutes

| Name | Status | Position |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| William Vanderberg | Non-Certified | Substitute Teacher |
| Tamara Miller | NA | SFS Substitute |
| Rebecca Green | NA | SFS substitute |
| Sandra Christopher | Non-certified | Substitute Teacher |