# SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

The Haywood County Board of Education met for their Regular Session on Monday, September 13, 2021 at the Education Center in Clyde, N.C. at 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Francis called the September 13, 2021 Regular Board Meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Mr. Jimmy Rogers gave the invocation and Chairman Francis led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Chairman Francis made the following announcements:

- The Board sends their condolences to Jimmy Rogers family in the passing of his wife.
- The Board sends their condolences to Bobby Rogers family in the passing of his mother.
- The Board sends their condolences to the Ledford family in the passing of Steve Ledford.
- Attorney Pat Smathers is absent from the meeting due to a prior commitment.
- Next Regular Board Meeting Monday, October 11, 2021 7:00 p.m. Education Center

Agenda adjustments were as follows:

• Add three Building and Grounds Committee items following #25

Approved the September 13, 2021 Regular Board Agenda as presented by Chairman Chuck Francis.

Recognized the following AP Scholar Recipients:

- Pisgah High School
  - AP Scholar Award
    - Christian Basulto, Anthony Blazer, Lucas Cody, Maria Correa, Jackson Holland, Morgan Putnam, William Rhodarmer, Heather Robinson, Riley Seiple, Madison Stewart, Nicholas Sutton
    - AP Scholar Award with Honor
      - Kennedy Barker, Tyra Shuford, Lettie Jo Watson, Susan Zhang
- Tuscola High School

- AP Scholar Award
  - Alexander Georgiev, Anneke Lam, Ella Laursen, Amanda Markley, Truongan Nguyen, Jacob Smith, Kacy Vanden Bergh
- AP Scholar Award with Honor
  - Harper Schwab

Recognized the following Teacher Assistants of the Year

- Bethel Elementary Amber Messer
- Hazelwood Elementary Dianne Bruce
- Junaluska Elementary Grey Ross
- Jonathan Valley Elementary Chris Hill
- Meadowbrook Elementary Kim Ball
- North Canton Elementary Lisa Fisher
- *Riverbend Elementary Kat Moore*

Recognized Chelsea Carpenter as the 2021 Beginning Teacher of the Year.

Jill Barker presented 2020-2021 School Performance Data. Haywood County Schools ranked 10<sup>th</sup> among the state's 115 school districts, based upon the school system's performance composite.

Jill Barker shared Central Haywood High School In-person Re-entry information following Tropical Storm Fred flood damage.

Trevor Putnam provided an update on Shining Rock Classical Academy Meal Service. Haywood County Schools will not be providing meals as stated at a previous board meeting.

The following individuals addressed the Board concerning masks in schools.

• Stephanie Bell, Stephanie Niles

Approved the following minutes as presented by Chuck Francis.

- August 9, 2021 Closed and Regular Session
- August 13, 2021 Emergency Virtual Meeting
- August 19, 2021 Emergency Virtual Meeting
- August 21, 2021 Emergency Virtual Meeting
- September 9, 2021 Closed Session

Walter Lucas requested to address the Board concerning lockers.

Approved the 2021-2022 Middle/High School fees presented by Carol Fox. There are no fees for elementary schools.

Approved the 2021-2022 Title I Plan as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Approved the 2021-2022 Title II Plan as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Approved the 2021-2022 Title IV Plan as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Approved the 2021-2022 Title I Part C Migrant Education Program as presented by Aleasa Glance.

Approved the ESSER III Plan as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Approved the Sole Source Waiver for Elementary Math Staff Development as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Approved the 2021-2022 Education Direction/Central Haywood High school Contract as presented by Lisa Thompson.

Trevor Putnam provided an update on compliance with N.C. Session Law 2021 item#130 related to a mask plan. He presented Policy 4231/5021/7263 Face Coverings to the Board.

Approved the motion to suspend the thirty day rule for Policy 4231/5021/7263 Face Coverings. The Board will present the mask plan at each regular monthly board meeting.

Approved Policy 4231/5021/7263 Face Coverings as presented by Trevor Putnam.

The following polices were tabled for thirty days to allow for public input; presented by Trevor Putnam.

• 3610 Counseling Program

- 5210 Distribution and Display of Non-School Material
- 6140 Student Wellness
- 6210 Organization of School Nutrition Services
- 6220 Operation of School Nutrition Services
- 6230 School Meal and Competitive Foods Standards
- 6305 Safety and Student Transportation Services
- 6315 Drivers
- 6321 Bus Routes
- 6450 Purchase of Services
- 7100 Recruitment and Selection of Personnel
- 7130 Licensure
- 7430 Substitute Teachers
- 9020 Facility Design

Approved the following policies as presented by Trevor Putnam.

- 3300 School Calendar and Time for Learning
- 3460 Graduation Requirements

Approved the regular monthly financial reports as presented by Finance Committee.

Approved the motion for Clyde Elementary School to purchase a Freestanding ID sign with Electronic LED Display at a cost of \$23,715.00 paid in full by Clyde Elementary School; presented by Building and Grounds Committee.

Approved the motion to surplus Plasma Cutter from the Tuscola High School drafting program on govdeals.com as presented by Building and Grounds Committee.

Approved the motion for WNC Communities to be named trustee for funds provided by Dogwood Trust pending approval of the Memorandum of Understanding by Haywood County Schools Board Attorney as presented by Building and Grounds Committee.

Approved the Constitution Week Proclamation as presented by Bill Nolte.

Approved the following personnel as presented by Bill Nolte.

Haywood County Schools-Board Meeting 9/13/21 PERSONNEL FOR INFORMATION

# Separation from Employment NAME-POSITION, SITE, REASON

Robert Edwards-TA, CMS, Resignation Pamela Faulkner-Afterschool, MES, Resignation Michelle Romberger-TA, HES, Resignation Joy Willis-TA, RES, Resignation Melissa Jenkins-TA, HES, Resignation Mary Lou Cunningham-CN Asst, CLY, Resignation Tyler Mulligan-Teacher, THS, Resignation Sarah Crume-Teacher, WMS, Resignation Amy White Forga-TIMS Mgr, BUS, Resignation Dewayne Squires-Bus Driver, CMS, Resignation Nathan Weaver-Custodian, THS, Resignation Gwendolyn Riddle-Custodian, CLY, Resignation Jennifer Prouty-CN Asst, WMS, Resignation Russell Amsler-Custodian, CLY, Resignation Tammy Rich-Burgess-CN Asst, HES, Resignation Christopher W Frodsham-Teacher, BMS, Retirement Donna Parton-TA/Bus Driver, THS, Retirement Amy Norman-Title I Tutor, NCE, Resignation Barbara Fowler-Bus Driver, THS, Resignation Kristie Payne- Clerical, Maintenance, Retirement Wendy Garrison-TA, JVE, Resignation

## Employee Status Change NAME-POSITION ,SITE,ADD/MOVE/REMOVE/CHANGE

Nicole Revis-Teacher Title I, BES, Change to 4th replacing Heidi Ashe Glenna Rayburn-Title I Teacher, BES, Change to Title I Classroom Teacher 5th Michelle Plexico-Title I Teacher, HES, Change to 2nd replacing Kari Setser Angela May-Teacher Math, WMS, Move to CMS Math 8th replacing Lori Wright Martha Brown-Teacher Music, THS, Move to JES replacing Stephen Nixon Chris Simson-Custodian, CHHS, Move to THS replacing Laura Harlan Dawn Hyatt-TA ISS, CHHS, Move to CMS replacing Robert Edwards Doris Cogdill-EC Bus Monitor, THS, Move to JES EC Bus Monitor #101

# Student Teacher Intern II NAME-SITE

Carolyna Padilla-MES Rachel Hines-MES

# PERSONNEL FOR APPROVAL

### \*Emergency placement by Superintendent Employment NAME-POSITION ,SITE,REASON

Eugenia Palmer-Title I Teacher, NCE, Title I Teacher 15 hrs/wk Catherine McCracken-Title I Teacher, NCE, Title I Teacher 12 hrs/wk Debra Howell-Title I Teacher, NCE, Title I Teacher 12 hrs/wk Amy Norman-Title I TA, NCE, Title I TA <19.5 hrs/wk Brooke Ashe-TA,CLY,FT 10 mth replacing Mary Annette Ruff Rebecca L Queen-TA PreK ,JVE,FT 10 mth replacing Christopher Hill Chelsea Bolin-TA K,JVE,FT 10 mth replacing Valerie Powell Laura Harkins-TA K,JVE,FT 10 mth replacing McKenzie Vaughn Kirby James-TA,CLY,FT 10 mth replacing Melchor Gamez Jaclyn Aldridge-CN Asst, JES, PT 10 mth 3 hrs/day replacing Heather Taylor Sheri Sutton-Custodian, WMS, FT 12 mth replacing James Aldredge Jordan Pace-TA PreK-Interim, CLY, FT 10 mth Bus #164 AM/PM replacing Barbara Waters April James-CN Asst, THS, PT 10 mth 4 hrs/day replacing Margaret Burris Joshua Drake Franklin-Afterschool/Summer Care, BES, PT 12 mth <15 hrs/wk as needed

Stephanie Parris-CN Asst, THS, PT 10 mth Interim replacing Ellen White Haleigh Miller-TA EC, RES, FT 10 mth replacing Joy Willis Carolina Watson-Afterschool/Summer Care, BES, PT 12 mth <15 hrs/wk as needed Sarah Willis-Afterschool/Summer Care, BES, PT 12 mth <15 hrs/wk as needed Cora Raya-Custodian, CLY, PT 12 mth replacing John Paul Thomas Barbara Walls-CN Asst, RES, PT 10 mth 3 hrs/day replacing Keisha Lanning Amanda Garrett-Afterschool/Summer Care, BES, PT 12 mth <15 hrs/wk as needed Emily Webb-Teacher 4th, JES, FT 10 mth replacing Hayley Prince Laura Cory-CN Asst, NCE, PT 10 mth 3 hrs/day replacing Erin Cole Jeffrey Franks-Custodian, CLY, FT 12 replacing Gwendolyn Riddle Mary Jesse-Title I Tutor, JES, PT 10 mth <19.5 hrs/wk Beverly Ketner-Title I Tutor, JES, PT 10 mth <19.5 hrs/wk Angela Glavich-Title I Tutor, MES, PT 10 mth <29.5 hrs/wk Tina Masciarelli-Title I Tutor, MES, PT 10 mth <29.5 hrs/wk Rosemary Houston-Counselor Interim, HES, FT 10 mth Interim for C Linder Anthony Mathis-TA EC, WMS, FT 10 mth replacing Susie Thomas Dana Smith-Title I Tutor, JES, PT 10 mth <19.5 hr/wk Gracie Mann-Afterschool/Summer Care, NCE, PT 12 mth <19.5 hrs/wk as needed Patricia Schandevel-Title I Tutor, JES, PT 10 mth <19.5 hr/wk Suzanne Wilson-Title I Tutor TA,NCE,PT 19.5 hrs/wk replacing Amy Norman Ashley Purcell-TA,CLY,FT 10 mth replacing Kisha Bryson Renee Corbin-Teacher Art, BMS, PT 10 mth replacing Anna Rose Garrett Renee Mackey-Payroll Specialist, CO, FT 12 mth replacing Sheena Stevens Tamara Singleton-CN Asst, WMS, PT 10 mth 5.5 hrs/day replacing Jennifer Prouty Deloras Rathbone-Afterschool/Summer Care, JVE, PT 12 mth <19 hrs/wk Katherine Fielden-Data Manager, HES, FT 10 mth replacing Ashley Nesbitt

# **Employee Status Change**

# NAME-POSITION,SITE,ADD/MOVE/REMOVE/CHANGE

Karen Chambers-Teacher EC, CO, Change from 29 hrs/week to 19.5 hrs/wk Mark Ethridge-Teacher Science, HCLC, Change from 11 mth to 10 mth April Wilson-Occupational Therapist, CO, Change from PT 4 days/ wk to FT 10 mth Teresa Shaw-Teacher Sub, WMS, Change to FT 10 mth Interim 7th EC Math replacing Daniyelle Hyatt Barbara West-Teacher Sub, PHS, Change to FT 10 mth Interim Animal Science/Horticulture replacing Courtney Smith Sandra Curry-CN Asst, CLY, Change to Interim CN Mgr CLY 8 hrs/day replacing Lou Ann Wyatt Jennifer Franklin-CN Asst, JES, Move from WMS to JES FT 10 mth 7 hrs/day replacing Carol Wilson Rita Guy-Bus Driver, PHS, Change from Bus #32 AM/PM to Bus #168 PM Route replacing Amanda Morgan Amanda Morgan-Bus Driver, PHS, Change from Bus #168 PM to Bus #32 AM/PM replacing Rita Guy Dustin Tate-Custodian, JVE, Add Sub Bus Driver Dannie Conard-Custodian, CMS, Add Bus #10 AM/PM replacing Dwayne Squires Lisa Griffin-Afterschool Care, BES, Rate of Pay Increase Angela Michelle Mull-Afterschool Director, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Kelly Hall-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Tonya Greene-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Ashley Caldwell-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Rachel Rizoti-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Wendy Garrison-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase

Christopher Hill-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Haven Guver-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Merrilyn Waldron-Afterschool Care, JVE, Rate of Pay Increase Jane Newmeyer-Teacher Sub, CO, Move to WMS FT 10 mth EC TA Shadow replacing Misty Morris Fritzie Wise-Bus Sub, THS, Add CMS Interim Chorus Kaylan Morris-TA, NCE, Add Afterschool/Summer Camp Director <19.5 hrs/wk Hayley Prince-Teacher, JES, Change to JES Lead Teacher replacing Cecilia Ruth Marcus Donna Lyle-Teacher Sub, CO, Move to MES FT 10 TA replacing Amanda Caldwell Cindy Vaughn-Teacher, THS, Add HEC EC services <5 hrs/wk Fritzie Wise-Bus Sub, THS, Add FT Teacher Interim for Martha Brown Paige Wood-Teacher, HES, Add Afterschool Care <19.5 hrs/wk Zelva Lee-TA ISS, BMS, Change from Teacher Sub to FT 10 mth TA replacing Sarah Hundley Travis Varner-Custodian, WMS, Add Bus Driver #4 replacing James Aldredge Sylvia Donnahoe-CN Asst, RES, Add 4 hours After school and Pay Rate Increase Ashley Nesbitt-Data Mgr, HES, Change to FT 10 mth TA replacing Melissa Jenkins Casey Lutz-Title I TA, CLY, Change to FT 10 mth Teacher K New Position Lisa Fisher-TA K, NCE, Add TA 1st-5th Kaylan Morris-TA K, NCE, Add TA 1st-5th Linda Henson-TA K, NCE, Add TA 1st-5th Peyton Willis-TA 1st, NCE, Add TA K, 2nd-5th Stacy Freeman-TA 1st, NCE, Add TA K, 2nd-5th Carol Harkins-TA 1st, NCE, Add TA K, 2nd-5th Jessica Igwe-Afterschool Care, NCE, Rate of Pay Increase Lavna Cope-Asst Principal, PHS, Add Bus Sub as needed Paula Nichols-Teacher Sub, CO, Add Title I Tutor JVE <19.5 hrs/wk Jeffrey Foster-Teacher, HCLC, Change from 24 hrs/wk to 20 hrs/wk Mark Ethridge-Teacher, HCLC, Change from 24 hrs/wk to 20 hrs/wk Maggie Christy-TA Title I, CLY, Add TA K-5 Tonya Shepard-Lead Teacher, CMS, Add National Board Supplement (Local) William Cochran-Bus Sub, CO, Add JES Bus Sub as needed Katelyn Harris-Teacher, JVE, Add After school/Summer Care <15 hrs/wk Tamera Ensley-TA, PHS, Change to Clerical-Guidance replacing Kristy Tench Jaclyn Aldridge-CN Asst, JES, Add Afterschool Care <14 hrs/wk replacing Will Nolte MIsty Morris-TA, CLY, Add Afterschool Care Sub as needed Rachel Duncan - Teacher, HES, Add After school/Summer Care <15 hrs/wk Elizabeth Funderbunk-Teacher Sub, CO, Add Title I Tutor JES <19.5 hrs/wk James Gardner-Bus Sub, CO, Add HES Bus Sub as needed William Cochran-Bus Sub, CO, Add HES Bus Sub as needed Angela Ray-Bus Sub, CO, Add HES Bus Sub as needed Lloyd Messer-Bus Sub, CO, Add HES Bus Sub as needed Darby Warren-Teacher Sub, CO, Add MES FT 10 mth Teacher Interim for Danielian Darby Warren-Teacher Sub, CO, Add MES FT 10 mth Teacher Interim for Williams Amanda Robinson -Payroll Specialist, CO, Change to Lead Payroll Specialist <29.5 hrs/wk Stephanie Gunter Rice-Afterschool Director, MES, Rate of Pay Increase Rachel Medford-Afterschool Care, MES, Rate of Pay Increase Jennifer N Rogers-Teacher Sub, CO, Change to FT 10 mth TA 1st and 5th replacing Michelle Romberger Jessica Coward-Teacher, THS, Add Bus Driver Sub HES as needed Barbara Bradley-CN Asst Sub, CN, Change to HES Interim PT 10 mth 5 hrs/day replacing Tammy Burgess Dorothea Stewart-Teacher, CO, Add Bus Sub PHS As Needed Cassidy Bridges-TA, MES, Add TA K-5th

#### Donna Lyle-TA, MES, Add TA K-5th

Tracy Fowler-Teacher Sub, BES, Add Title I Tutor <10 hrs/wk Madalyn Loffredo-Teacher , JVE, Add After School/Summer Camp <19 hrs/wk Shannon Herley-Bookkeeper, CLY, Add Clerical ESSER Bonus Harrison Muse-Custodian, HES, Add Bus Driver #5 replacing Cliff Sowa Robert Phillips-Finance Asst, CO, Change to Hourly As Needed

#### Contracted Services NAME-HOURS,SITE,REASON

Lisa Cook -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Jeanelle Jones-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Ashlee Jones -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Stephanie Kuykendall -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Tammy Ensley -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Taylor Clark -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Kristi Sorrells - As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Darlene Dills -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Barbara West -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Beth Easton -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Charles Styles -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Dorene Styles -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Charles Jones -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Deborah Flynn -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics June Mathis -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Marsha Garnes -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Shayne Wheeler -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Tammy Inman -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Tracy Phillips -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Gail Rose -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Joe Cassada-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Sheila Rogers -As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Tammy Ensley-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Lisa Cook-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Jeanelle Jones-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Ashlee Jones-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Stephanie Kuykendall-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Lisa Frazier-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Taylor Clark-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Charly Inman-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Elizabeth Sellers-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Martha Early-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Andrew Burton-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Lori Mills-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Whitney Haas-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Charissa Ponder-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Jill Robinson-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Sharon Marshall-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Joanna Sayblack-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Ashley Pace-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Barry Lance-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics

Dorothea Stewart-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics Kim Hendricks-As Needed, PHS, Ticket Taker paid by PHS Athletics

#### Substitutes

#### NAME-STATUS, POSITION, EFFECTIVE

Deborah Koontz-Certified Teacher Sub Jeffrey Haynes-Non-Certified Teacher Sub Amanda Garrett-Non-Certified Teacher Sub Emily Gaddy-Certified Teacher Sub Gracie Mann-Non-Certified Teacher Sub

#### Employee Coach NAME-POSITION, HEAD/ASSISTANT, BOYS/GIRLS

Arthur Holt-Football, Assistant, Boys , THS Edward Davies-Assistant Athletic Director, Assistant, Boys/Girls , WMS Cam Bass-Athletic Director, Head , Boys/Girls, WMS Zachary Shepherd-Gym Supervisor, Head, Boys/Girls, THS Samuel Messer-Stadium Supervisor, Head, Boys/Girls, THS Chris Brookshire-Fall Weights, Head, Boys, THS Joshua Simmons-Basketball, Head, Girls, CMS Joshua Simmons-Athletic Director, Head, Boys/Girls, CMS Heather Boyd Wilson-Cheerleading, Head, Girls, CMS

# Non-Employee Coach NAME-POSITION, HEAD/ASSISTANT, BOYS/GIRLS

Scott Simmons-Swim, Head , Boys/Girls , PHS Daniel Haynes-Soccer, Assistant, Boys , WMS Brittany Cook-Cheerleading, Assistant, Girls, PHS Jose Nieves-Wrestling, Head, Boys, BMS Andrew Johnson-Tennis, Head, Girls, THS

#### **Volunteer Services**

### NAME-POSITION, HEAD/ASSISTANT, BOYS/GIRLS

Kimberly Ball-Cheer, Assistant, Girls, CMS David Ponder-Soccer, Assistant, Boys, PHS Brent Rathbone-Football, Assistant, Boys, THS Joanna Rinker-Cross Country, Assistant, Boys/Girls, THS Hugh Caldwell III-Wrestling, N/A, Boys, WMS Kevin Lowery-Basketball, Assistant, Girls, CMS

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:16 p.m.