

**The following are highlights from the Winston County Board of Education meeting on April 26, 2007:**

The Board accepted Payrolls, Expenditures, Bank Reconciliations and Financial Statements for March 2007.

Two sessions of countywide summer school will be held at Meek High School during June and July. Cost is \$180.00 for Winston County Students and \$250.00 for out-of-county students

The following students and/or personnel were commended:

- ~~///~~ Winston County Technical Center Skills USA State Winners: B.J. Flanagin, Jessica Tidwell, Nic Townsend, Ethan Walker, Aaron Snoddy, Ashley Yarbrough, Tyler Vickery, and Timmy Stutts
- ~~///~~ Winston County Technical Center FBLA State Finalist: Holli Jacobs and Margaret Moore
- ~~///~~ Winston County Technical Center DECA State Winners: Randy Hood, Ty Tomlinson, Derrick Lee, Marcus Posey, Ethan Walker, Nic Townsend, Justin Culver, Jan Palko, Holley Noblett, Jenni Burlison, Brooke McCrary, Holli Jacobs, Malarie Beasley, Taylor DeSilvey, Mindy Barbin, Iman Shabaan.
- ~~///~~ Haley Wiggins, Addison High School, for being chosen to represent AHS at the Alabama Youth Leadership Conference in Montgomery in June.
- ~~///~~ Leslie Gaither, Brooke McCain, Meagan Box, Krista Bridgmon, and Haley Wiggins, Addison High School Students, for receiving Summer Honors Scholarships to Wallace State Community College.
- ~~///~~ Nancy Frith, Meek Band Director, received a \$3,000 grant to purchase various software programs for all Band Directors in Winston County Schools.
- ~~///~~ Lynn High School for having 100% of their seniors pass the Exit Exam.

Board Policy Items:

Approve revision to the following policies:

~~///~~ GALD – Salary Schedules for Personnel

~~///~~ DOB – Local School Monthly Financial Record Reconciliation

Consider revision of the following policies:

?? DNB – Local School Accounting and Reporting

?? EIB – Records Retention Schedule

?? GALBH – Annual Leave of Absence for Personnel

Consider new policy GAKHAB – Volunteer Coaches' Guidelines

Personnel Items:

~~///~~ Grant additional one year leave of absence to Cynthia Nuss, teacher at Addison Elementary, for the 2007-2008 school year.

~~///~~ Grant leave of absence to Bonnie Sachs, teacher at Addison Elementary, for the 2007-2008 school year.

~~///~~ Accept resignation of the following personnel at the end of the 2006-2007 school:

- Andrea Hogan, Special Education Teacher at Double Springs Elementary School.
- Sarah Hyché, English/Language Arts Teacher at Double Springs Middle School.

~~///~~ Accept retirement of the following personnel at the end of the 2006-2007 school year:

- Shirley Denson, Lunchroom Worker, Addison Schools
- Pam Willingham, Elementary Teacher, Addison Elementary
- Denita Lee, Librarian, Addison High School

~~///~~ Grant four days professional leave to Philip Cleghorn, C.O. Payroll Clerk, to attend AASBO Meeting, May 15-18, 2007.

Overnight field trips were approved as follows:

- ~~///~~ WCHS Sr. BETA Club Members and Sponsors to attend National BETA Convention in Nashville, TN, June 20-23, 2007.
- ~~///~~ Meek FCCLA/FACS Members and Sponsor to attend Math & Science Day, May 10, 2007, in Bessemer, Alabama. (Will not return until approx. 5:00 p.m.)
- ~~///~~ Gifted Education Classes from Double Springs Elementary, Double Springs Middle School, and Lynn, and Beth Gilbreath, Gifted Education Teacher, to go to the Georgia Aquarium. Grades 3-5 will go April 24, and grades 6-8 will go April 25.
- ~~///~~ Meek Spanish Club and Marla Murrah, Sponsor, to attend Spanish Club State Convention in Tuscaloosa on Friday, April 27, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Other business approved by the Board:

- ~~///~~ Approved releasing payroll checks on May 25, 2007 for all personnel.
- ~~///~~ Approved Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program Amendment
- ~~///~~ Rescinded motion for disposal of surplus technology equipment at Willow Ridge Landfill and approved disposal through Creative Recycling Systems, Inc.
- ~~///~~ Lynn Band to go by charter bus to Six Flags over Georgia on June 2, 2007.

Report from Superintendent – 07-005

The next regular scheduled meeting was set for May 3, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. and a work session was set for May 3, 2007 at 6:30 p.m.

Meeting adjourned.