

KISD Bulletin

School Board Meeting Notes from May 2009

Superintendent's Office

RECOGNITION:

Unit TX-20063 at Tivy High School was recognized as one of 393 units out of 879 high school units to receive the 2008-2009 Air Force Junior ROTC Distinguished Unit Award. The award recognizes AFJROTC units that have performed above and beyond normal expectations and have distinguished themselves through outstanding service to their school and community.

The HPMS 8th Grade Girls Track Team was recognized as Hill Country Conference District Track Champions. Coach: Jan Anderson.

HPMS 1st place individual awards in the Hill Country Conference District Track Meet were: 7th grade-Bethany Brown, Nicole Fowler, Connor Gawryszewski, Meredith Lutz, Adrian Medran, Hunter Miears, and Shannon O'Bryant. 8th grade-Olivia Bates, Caroline Freedle, Morgan Hale, Jesse Hernandez, Emma Kelly, Jill Palmer, Cecily Real, Beth Rodriguez, and Shelby Stewart. Junior High Coordinator: Gary Jones. Coach: Dana Gruver.

Tivy High School District 27-4A Girls Track Regional Qualifiers and Academic All-District were: Effie Bates, Hannah Chambers, Rebekah Collins, Brook Hamilton, Jamie Jenschke, Ainsly Johnson, Kagny Kordzik, Connie Lidiak, Mattie McCullar, Kelsie McKenzie, Katie Muehlstein, Stephenie Nagy, and Miranda Reagan. Coach: Kevin Pope

Tivy High School District 27-4A Boys Track Regional Qualifiers and Academic All-District were: Andrew Anderson, Matt Ayala, Marcus Fifer, Keller Fornes, Quincy Kibbett, Ranon Maxson, Daniel Mohnke, Colton Palmer, and Brian Sherman. Coach: Grant Palmer.

Tivy High School Choir UIL Concert and Sight-Reading Sweepstakes Award participants were: Elizabeth Arias, Kelly Ayala, Amber Ball, Ian Banchs, Brianna Behrens, Paige Box, Eun Hee Cho, Cameron Cook, Joleen Conejo, Samantha Conner, Rachael Cramer, Martha Danielson, Guadalupe DeLuna, Noah Doran, Victoria Dry, Michael Garrett, Amanda Garza, Jon Erik Garza, Hunter Kanady, Kendra Larson, Alyssa Lee, Savannah Leonard, Moriah McMinn, Jessica Mejia, Donald Nowlin, Jayme Ozuna, Danlee Parr, Leah Phillips, Rebecca Phillips, Justin Radkiewicz, April Ramirez, Nastacia Robles, Shelby Seiler, Casey Sigerman, Bishop Springs, Lauryn Stephens, Jackie Stevens, and Jess Washburn. Director: David Custer.

INFORMATION ITEMS:

1. TASB Policy Service Update 85 Report

The administration recommends that the Board consider for first reading and adoption in June the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) Localized Policy Manual Update 85. Board members received copies of the TASB Localized Policy Manual Update 85 Vantage Points, Explanatory Notes and current and proposed local policies on May 1, 2009. Local policies within Update 85 are:

CNB (Local)	Transportation Management: District Vehicles
CQ (Local)	Electronic Communication and Data Management
DBB (Local)	Employment Requirements and Restrictions: Medical Examinations and Communicable Diseases
FL (Local)	Student Records
GRA (Local)	Relations with Governmental Entities: Local Governmental Authorities

2. Annual Review of Investment Policy and Investment Strategies Report

The Board reviewed the legal requirements of the act detailed in Policy CDA (Legal) and our local investment policy and investment strategies contained in Policy CDA (Local). A resolution stating that the Board has reviewed these policies and strategies will be submitted to the Board in June.

3. Technology Infrastructure Report

The administration reviewed with the Board the proposed upgrades to the network infrastructure.

4. 2009-2010 Budget Draft No. 1 Report

Budget Draft No. 1 for the 2009-2010 school year was presented to the Board. These estimates will be refined and presented at the June meeting with final adoption of the budget in July.

5. Financial Reports

The Board reviewed the following monthly financial reports:

- General Operating Expenditure Report
- Investment Report
- Property Tax Collection Report

6. Board of Trustees Readings: School District Mandates-Cost Drivers in Public Education Report

The Board received "Report on School District Mandates: Cost Drivers in Public Education" in the Friday Report dated January 16, 2009. The section titled "Safe Schools" was discussed at this meeting.

ACTION ITEMS:

1. Consider Budget Amendments

The Board approved the budget amendments.

2. Consider Personnel, including but not limited to Resignations, Retirements, Professional Appointments, Request for Leave of Absence, and Substitute Teacher List [This item may be discussed in closed session pursuant to Section 551.074.]

a. Consider Appointment of Tivy High School Assistant Principal

The Board reviewed the professional resignations and retirement and approved the professional appointments. Professional resignations: Resignations: Teresa Cleghorn (6-2-09), Kelly Doster (7-9-09) Donnie Leach (6-2-09), and Jenifer Yanko (6-2-09). Retirement: Debbie Cummings (6-2-09). Professional Appointments: Carin Chesser-BTW Functional Living Unit Teacher, Anne Goette-THS Nurse/Coordinator, Rebecca Huchton-Pre-School Center Pre-K Teacher, Katherine Lewis-unassigned Elementary Teacher, Hayley Perez-Tally Fourth Grade Teacher, Karon Reed-Nimitz Art Teacher, and Kayla Schmidt-Pre-School Center Pre-K Teacher.

The Board approved the appointment of Christopher Cook to Assistant Principal of Tivy High School for the 2009-2010 school year.

THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING WILL BE AT 6:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2009.