

BELLBROOK – SUGARCREEK SCHOOLS

BOARD BITS

A Review of the Regular Board Meeting

March 10, 2022

7:00 p.m.

Bellbrook Middle School

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President David Carpenter.

Roll Call was taken with board members Heidi Anderson, David Carpenter, Audra Dorn, Mike Kinsey, and Kevin Price in attendance.

The Board heard a report or acted upon the following:

- Approved the minutes from the meetings of February 10 and February 24, 2022.
- Approved the Treasurer's Report for the month of February 2022.
- Approved amendments to the 2021-2022 Fiscal Year final appropriations for an increase of \$313,818.32 for three additional grant receipts.
- Approved tax rates set by the Greene County Budget Commission placing the rates at 4.8 mills for the Emergency Levy and 4.31 mills for Bond Retirement.
- Approved moving JROTC instructor Christine Gangaware to MA+30, Step 14 on the teacher salary scale effective January 1, 2022 (required to comply with program standards as set forth by the U.S. Air Force).
- Dr. Cozad discussed information for the 2022-2023 school year. The high school bus ridership survey just concluded and he will be meeting with the transportation team to refine bus routing for the upcoming school year; included will be a review of the building schedules and student drop times.
- The Ohio Department of Health just released updated guidance effective March 10, that schools are no longer required to report positive cases of COVID-19 to their local health board and schools do not have to notify parents of positive COVID-19 cases among staff, students, or coaches.
- Mrs. Dorn reviewed the Superintendent's Advisory Committee recommendation to reformat the *Community Chats*. The committee is recommending a more informal format which would occur more frequently at locations such as Sugar Maple Festival, the Color Run, and community activities at Sackett Wright Park.
- Approved supplemental duty coaches/pupil activity advisors/stipends for the 2021-2022 school year.
- Approved substitute teachers and support staff for the remainder of the current school year.

- Approved a resignation from elementary teacher Ali Frueauf effective May 2022.
- Approved summer 2022 athletic camps for Youth Girls Basketball, Youth Soccer, and Youth Cross Country.
- Approved the 2022-2023 service agreement with the Greene County Educational Service Center at \$2.1 million.
- Accepted a donation *with gratitude* from the David Wayne Vanderhorst Trust for use by the Stephen Bell resource room.
- Approved an agreement with Sugarcreek Township for School Resource Officer services for the 2022-2023 school year.
- Reviewed draft changes to board of education policy. Approval to occur at a future meeting.
- Mr. Price discussed the status of the Feedwire Road traffic zone monitors. Sugarcreek Township, the Greene County Engineers Office, and the Ohio Department of Transportation will be conducting a full review and follow-up with recommendations to make the school zone a safer place.

Adjournment at 7:39 p.m.

FUTURE MEETINGS -

Thursday, April 14, 2022
 7:00 p.m.
 Bellbrook Middle School
 Group Meeting Room
 3600 Feedwire Rd
 Bellbrook

Thursday, April 28, 2022
 7:00 p.m.
 Bellbrook High School
 Cafeteria
 3737 Upper Bellbrook Rd
 Bellbrook