

# BOARD BRIEFS

Dr. Diane L. Frost, Superintendent



**Asheboro City Schools**

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June 11, 2009

## Opening

Chairman Kidd called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance.

Cadet Major Matthew McLeod, an Asheboro High School rising senior, led the pledge of allegiance.

The Board unanimously approved the meeting agenda.

## Special Recognition and Presentations

Dr. Diane Frost recognized Communities in Schools for their outstanding partnership with Asheboro City Schools. The programs, provided by Communities in Schools, have reached every school in the district. A certificate of recognition was presented to Ms. Sandi Norman, the Communities in Schools Executive Director.

The middle schools and the high school have been involved with the IMPACT model of collaboration with the support of funding through the "Enhancing Education through Technology Competitive Grant: IMPACT IV. Tina Webster, Asheboro High Schools' teacher technology facilitator, shared ways the IMPACT grant has positively influenced the culture of Asheboro High School.

Wendy Rich, math lead teacher, presented Ms. Deanna Ferree, math teacher at Donna L. Loflin, with a certificate recognizing her selection as Asheboro City Schools' North Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics Math Teacher of the Year.

Morgan Neely, an Asheboro High School student, shared his science fair project, "The Impact of Dilution of the Ocean on the Rate at which Sea Ice Forms: An Inquiry into Global Climate Change."

## Public Comments

Chairman Kidd opened the floor to public comments; no one signed up to address the Board.

## Consent Agenda

The following items under the Consent Agenda were approved:

*\*Approval of Minutes – May 14, 2009*

## *\*Personnel*

### Resignations/Retirements/Separations

<u>Name</u>	<u>School /Subject</u>	<u>Date</u>
Kiser-Kling	Teachey/Principal	6/30/09
Dr. Karen Hurley,	South Asheboro	6/12/09
Stephanie	Middle/Business Ed.	

### Appointments

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/Subject</u>	<u>Date</u>
Brock, Dana	Teachey/Sp. Education	8/17/09
Owens, Jonathan	AHS/Special Education	8/17/09
Davidson, Amanda	NAMS/Spanish	8/17/09
Sanders, Marta	ECDC/Speech Lang.	8/17/09
Stanich, Martin	AHS/English as a Second Language	8/17/09
Robertson, Meghan	Balfour/Psychologist Intern	8/17/09
Cope, Jaimie	SAMS/Art	8/17/09
Ross, Nathan	AHS/Mathematics	8/17/09
Helms, Hannah	SAMS/Language Arts/ Social Studies	8/17/09

### Transfers

<u>Name</u>	<u>School/Subject</u>	<u>Date</u>
Whigham, Johnnie	SAMS/Special Ed. to SAMS/Program Facilitator	8/17/09

*\*Title II Application for 2009-2010*

*\*Title IV Application for 2009-2010*

*\*Overnight Field Trip Request for AHS Student Council*

*\*Signature Cards for Charles W. McCrary, North Asheboro Middle and Donna L. Loflin*

*\*School Treasurers for 2009-2010*

### Information, Reports and Recommendations

Dr. Tim Allgood recognized Balfour School with the Employee Workplace Safety Award. Janet Means, principal, Rhonda McHenry, assistant principal, and Dr. Mary Lou Diener, guidance teacher, accepted the certificate of recognition on the school's behalf.

Dr. Hazel Frick presented the following policies for 30-day review: Policy 3225/4312/7320, Technology Acceptable Use – Formally named Internet and the Educational Program. The policy has been updated to broaden its scope from a focus totally on Internet use to

one that addresses acceptable use of various school technology resources. A section dealing with “Privacy and Personal Website” has also been added to give students and employees notice of what types of activities on personal websites might lead to disciplinary action by the school district; (New) Policy 3227/7322, Web Page Development – Because the use of web pages as an instructional and communication tool has become commonplace within schools, this policy governs standards that must be followed for the development of all district-related websites has been added. It provides a definition of a district-related website, establishes editorial control, and creates standards dealing with website appearance, copyright, external links, and accessibility. It also includes a regulation that provides specific guidelines for creating and maintaining individual school websites; and (New) Policy 4318, Use of Wireless Communication Devices replaces Policy 4326, Wireless Communication Devices and Laser Pointers. It is intended to govern the use of cellular phones and other wireless communication devices. Regulations contained within the policy permit the possession of these devices as long as they are not activated, used, displayed or visible during the instructional day. Also included are sections containing information on authorized use, consequences for unauthorized use, and liability.

**Action Items**

The Board approved Teachers Eligible for Career Status by a vote of 8 to 1 with Mr. Lamb voting against the motion.

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Subject Area</u></b>
<b><u>Balfour School</u></b>	
Golding, Melanie	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Hamm, Jennifer	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade
Langbeen, Desiree	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade
McClosky, Kristen	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade
Roberson, Reagina	Kindergarten
<b><u>Charles W. McCrary School</u></b>	
Coleman, Billie	Reading
Holland, Laura	Media
Palm, Leslie	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade
<b><u>Donna Lee Loflin School</u></b>	
Johnson, Laura	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade
Mattiuz, Danielle	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Player, Darlene	Reading
Vang, Sheral	Technology

**Early Childhood Development Center**

Sims, Tracy Pre-K

**Guy B. Teachey School**

Allred, Melissa Reading

Durham, Victoria Reading

Scott, Angela 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Lindley Park School**

Jones, Rebecca Special Education

Salabak, Cassandra ESL

**North Asheboro Middle School**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Subject Area</u></b>
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Benhart, Scott	Music
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Card, Craig	Social Studies
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Eason, Maria	ESL
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Rush, Mary	Guidance
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Stone, Connie	Science
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**South Asheboro Middle School**

Barber, Barry	Technology
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Rembert, Charles	Social Studies
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Smith, LaBreeska	Special Education
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Smith-Moore, Leslie	Guidance
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Wilburn, Heather	Physical Education
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**Asheboro High School**

Adams, Ellen	Mathematics
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Allen, Tammy	Mathematics
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Fleming, Edwin	Technology
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Langdon, Julie	Family & Con. Sci.
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Hart, William	Technology
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Moore, Jared	Business Education
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Newby, Faith	Mathematics
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Varner, Cheryll	English
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Brad Rice presented the Safe Schools Plan for 2009-2010. The Board unanimously approved the plan as presented.

The Board approved the 2009 Graduation Guarantee as presented by Dr. Diane Frost which states that if an employer is not satisfied with a graduate’s basic skills then the graduate would be offered free additional coursework.

After 30-day review, the Board unanimously approved Policy 3220 – Technology in the Educational Program.

Harold Blair requested board approval of a 2009-2010 interim budget. The Board unanimously approved the request.

The Board unanimously approved a request to award the Child Nutrition contract to Sodexo for the 2009-2010 school year.

Budget Amendment S-06, representing state changes in funding, was unanimously approved by the Board.

Superintendent Frost shared the Calendar of Events highlighting the following: Budget Presentation to County Commissioners beginning at 2:00 p.m., June 15; County Commissioners' Public Hearing, June 15, 7:00 p.m.; County Commissioners' Adoption of Budget, June 22; Board of Education meeting at 7:30 p.m., July 9; and Board of Education 2009-2010 Goal Setting, 5:30 p.m., July 30.

Dr. Frost presented the following *Points of Pride*: Asheboro High School seniors earning \$1,887,768 in scholarships; Of the 245 graduates: 22 NC Scholars, 36 Distinguished Graduates, and 50 Honor Graduates; and 7 students graduating from the NOVA Academy.

#### **Board Operations**

Board members unanimously approved a newly revised superintendent evaluation form presented by board member, Chris Yow.

#### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

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