

**MARION LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION
TECHNOLOGY REPORT
May 9, 2022**

Professional Development

- A list of sessions is available at <http://www.marionlocal.org/in-service-schedule.html>
- Attended staff meetings at the elementary. Discussed classroom technology for the end of the school year.

Technology Purchases

- 5 Laptops for the high school art classroom

Technology Issues/Concerns/Miscellaneous

- Category 1 funding for the 2022-2023 school year has been approved. We will receive discounts on our internet charges.
- Working on your new website. We hope to go live with the new site in early summer. Click [HERE](#) to view.

Marion Local Board of Education
High School Principal's Report
Mr. Tim Goodwin
May 9, 2022

Prom:

Prom was held on April 23rd . Thanks to the Junior Class and Mrs. Sue Bruns for coordinating this event. Congratulations to Kevin Partington and Olivia DeMange for being named this year's king and queen.

Musical:

Congratulations to Connie Brunswick, Mandy Koenig, Stephanie Kramer and all of the students for a wonderful rendition of *Shrek, the Musical*. An enormous amount of time and effort went into this production and it is much appreciated.

FFA:

Congratulations to Amanda Homan and Amber Wendel for earning their state degrees.

Teacher Appreciation Week:

We recently celebrated this week and I would like to thank our teachers for their talents and their every-day dedication to our students.

Upcoming events:

May 11	Senior Awards
May 18	Spring Arts Festival
May 20	Seniors last day/graduation practice
May 22	Graduation
May 24,25	Final Exams
May 25	Students last day
May 26	Teacher Records Day/Staff appreciation lunch

Marion Local Board of Education
Elementary Principal's Report
Monday, May 9, 2022

1. State testing: was completed on April 29th. The students worked incredibly hard and were well prepared. I would like to thank Carol Bornhorst, our building testing coordinator who made sure all details with the tests were in place, Sue Bruns who had all of our special education accommodations ready, and all the staff for their preparation and providing a conducive environment for the kids.
2. Teacher appreciation week: was last week, we have a very dedicated staff who work countless hours for the kids. They are true professionals. Our community is lucky to have all of them working with our kids each day.
3. Drama production: We had numerous 4th, 7th and 8th graders participate in Shrek. I would like to thank Connie Brunswick, Mandy Koenig, and Stephanie Kramer for all their work preparing the students. Their performances were awesome!
4. Hope Week: Our building hope Squad is celebrating Hope Week next week with some fun dress up days. The Hope Squad was a grant sponsored program started at the end of last year with training of students who were identified by their peers to be trustworthy individuals who would be alert to signs of student distress. They are trained to listen and report concerns to adults in hopes of preventing student suicide.
5. Newsdepth: Marion Local Elementary was an A+ school this past week as determined by Newsdepth which is an on-line student news program our 5th graders watch each week. They highlighted our "Be Kind" program.

Upcoming:

May 13: 5th grade wax museum, 8:30-10:00, football field

May 23: 8th grade graduation and awards assembly, 8:30am, elementary gym

May 25: Field day, noon

Treasurer's Report

May 09, 2022

Motion Items

Approve New Fund

- Class of 2027 (200-4670-9827) for expense and revenue accounts.

Additional Motion Items

Five Year Forecast/ Estimated Resources & Permanent Appropriations

- I will put the forecast along with my assumptions in the Google Drive for you to review before the meeting.
- I reviewed the appropriation and revenue accounts to determine where adjustments were needed. The majority of the revenue changes were in real estate taxes collected, state funding due to the funding changes. As for expenses, there aren't significant changes from the fall filing. Other accounts could be increased or decreased but I am not going to make any changes at this point. I will continue to monitor the forecast as changes become known.

Summer Camps & Coaches

- Motion to approve summer camps and coaches.

Wellness Committee Request

- Last month I presented the Wellness Committee request for the board to consider paying \$50 to any employee who participates and completes the Wellness Initiative challenge again for June 1, 2022 – May 31, 2023.
 - The plan will be the same as last year.

Other Informational Items

2021 - 2022 Book Bills

- 100% of K-8 and high school book bills have been paid for the 2021-2022 school year.

Superintendent's Report

A. Executive Sessions

The Board and its committees and subcommittees reserve the right to meet privately in executive session solely to discuss one (1) or more of the following issues exempted from public sessions:

- A. consideration of the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee, official, or student
- B. investigation of charges or complaints against a public employee, official, licensee, or student unless such employee, official, licensee or student requests a public meeting; except that consideration of the discipline of a Board member for conduct related to the performance of his/her duties or his/her removal from office shall not be held in executive session
- C. consideration of the purchase of property or sale of property at competitive bidding, if premature disclosure or information would give an unfair competitive or bargaining advantage to a person whose personal, private interest is adverse to the general public interest
- D. discussion, with the Board's legal counsel, of disputes involving the Board that are the subject of pending or imminent court action
- E. preparing for, conducting, or reviewing negotiations or bargaining sessions with public employees concerning their compensation or other terms and conditions of employment
- F. matters required to be confidential by Federal law or rules or State statutes
- G. specialized details of security arrangements where disclosure might reveal information that could be used for the purpose of committing or avoiding prosecution for a violation of law

No official action may be taken in executive session. R.C. 121.22

Collective bargaining meetings between employers and employee organizations are private and not subject to R.C. 121.22. R.C. 4117.21

An executive session will be held only at a regular or special meeting. After the meeting is convened, any member may make a motion for an executive session, and must state the purpose or purposes of the session by citing one (1) or more of the reasons set forth above. If the session is to discuss a personnel matter listed in paragraph A above, the particular subject for which the session has been called must be identified in the motion. The motion does not need to name the person. Upon receiving a second to the motion and a majority roll-call vote of those present and voting, the chairperson shall declare the Board in executive session.

In keeping with the confidential nature of executive sessions, no member of the Board, committee or subcommittee shall disclose the content of discussions that take place during such sessions.

All members of the Board, committee or subcommittee are entitled to attend executive sessions. The Board, committee or subcommittee may invite any other person to attend an executive session.

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B. Motion Items May 2022

1. STAFFING

On the consent agenda is a motion to accept the resignation of Erica Ranly as head j.h. volleyball coach, resignation of Ben Salazar as head j.h. girls’ basketball coach, resignation of Paula Hemmelgarn as Freshman class advisor, and the resignation of Amanda Wendel as teacher, elementary assistant principal, and j.h. student council advisor. It is recommended to hire Sophia Hoelscher as an Ag. Teacher, approve Sara Wizniak as a volunteer for the cheerleading program, approve Becky Bruns for running the track meet timing system, and approve the extended service days for the employees listed on the consent agenda.

2. CAREER TECH.

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve that Marion Local will not be offering Middle School career technical programming in the 7th grade but will in the 8th grade for the 22-23 school year.

3. WELLNESS

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve payment of \$50 for employees who complete the wellness initiative program for 22-23.

4. HANDBOOK REVISIONS

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve changes to the student handbooks for the 22-23 school year.

5. FIELD TRIP

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve the FFA field trip for the Ohio FFA camp in Carrollton on July 12-16, approve the Disney World, Florida trip for the band, and the Washington D.C. trip for next years 8th grade class.

6. CAMPS

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve the Flyer Football camp, the Lady flyer Basketball camp, Summer Hoops Basketball camp, and the Volleyball camp. You are also asked to approve the list of camp advisors as listed on the consent agenda for each camp.

7. DONATION

On the consent agenda is a motion to accept a donation of \$400 to the drama club.

8. ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

On the consent agenda is a motion to approve the assistive technology contract for the 22-23 school year for a cost of \$900.

C. Advisory Items

None

D. Informational Items

1. GRADUATION

We will have graduation ceremonies on May 22nd at 1:00 p.m. in the high school gym. We will be graduating 70 seniors.

2. LAST DAY

The students last day will be May 25th and teacher work day is May 26th. We had a very successful school year and I want to thank our students, staff, and community.

3. TEACHER APPRECIATION

Teacher appreciation occurred on May 3rd. I want to publically thank our teachers for their efforts and appreciate how they inspire our students each and every day.

4. MASTER PLANNING

The district is assessing the Master Plan that currently includes classrooms, gymnasium, Agricultural Education suite, commons area, locker rooms, weight room, and administration offices to support students occupying the building. We are asking for community members to volunteer to be on a task force to provide input to the Board of Education and administration. If you are interested please email Mike Pohlman at pohlmanm@marionlocal.org or call at 419-925-4294.