

KELLOGGSVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Virtual-Regular Meeting – February 08, 2021  
Report No. 20-76

CONSENT AGENDA

MINUTES OF MEETING

Virtual-Regular Meeting – January 25, 2021

ROLL CALL

Present: Mrs. Groters, Mrs. Reidzans Mrs. Tanis, Ms. Sellers, Ms. Townsend, and Mrs. Ward

Absent: Mr. Marihugh

Also present: Jeff Owen, Director of Instruction

Eric Alcorn, Auxiliary Services Director

Christian Martinez Ramos, HS Student/Board Representative

Makayla Nesbitt, HS Student/Board Representative

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

President Ward called the virtual meeting to order at 5:32 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Board and Visitors recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETINGS

The next regularly scheduled board meetings will be held:

February 08, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m. Virtual

February 22, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m. Virtual

March 08, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m. Virtual

March 22, 2021 @ 5:30 p.m. Virtual

April 26, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m. Board of Education Center

EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION

Mr. Alcorn highlighted employees who were recognized as going above and beyond in their service and dedication to the students of Kelloggsville Public Schools. Each staff member will receive a \$100 Amazon Gift Card and Certificate of Recognition from the Board of Education;

*Support Staff: Tammy Skinner – Secretary @ West*

*Elementary: Lynnea Roon – Science Teacher @ SE*

*Secondary: Rick Jackson – Teacher @ 54<sup>th</sup> Street Academy*

COMMUNICATIONS - None

VISITORS

President Ward welcomed visitors.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Consent Agenda

It was moved by Mrs. Reidzans, seconded by Mrs. Tanis, to approve Consent Agenda items 20-71, 20-72, and 20-73.

20-71 Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes from 01/11/21

20-72 Approval of Personnel Report

20-73	Approval of Expenditure Report		
	General Fund: \$960,953.70	Food Service:	\$12,368.83
	Child Care: \$0.00	Building & Site:	\$1,681,165.77
Yeas: 6	Nays: 0		MOTION CARRIED

ACTION

A. Approval: Extended Learning Plan

It was moved by Mrs. Groters, seconded by Mrs. Reidzans, to approve the Extended Learning Plan as presented.

Yeas: 6      Nays: 0      MOTION CARRIED

PROPOSAL – None

INFORMATION & REPORTS

A. Professional Development – 01/18/21

Mr. Owen summarized the professional development activities that staff participated in on January 18<sup>th</sup>. KECLC staff watched several modules from the Essential Instructional Practices in Early Literacy; Prekindergarten, specifically focusing on modules relating to phonological awareness, letter-sound relationships, and read alouds. During the morning session, elementary staff reviewed topics and activities that focused on reviewing text and task complexity through Depth of Knowledge and the supports that will assist students in accessing grade-level text. In the afternoon, Suzanne Schmier, Literacy Coach, led a presentation which revolved around improving instruction with guided reading groups. Middle school staff spent most of the day focusing on writing using resources from Essential Practices in Disciplinary Literacy and also Pear Deck Training to assist with online/virtual instruct. Staff at the high school also spent part of the day focusing on writing across the curriculum guided by the General Education Leadership Network to help increase student achievement and engagement with academic literacies and help guide future SI goals. Additional trainings included non-tenured teacher training and expectations were reviewed for students returning to in-person learning. Mr. Owen shared that staff participated in a survey, with mostly constructive and positive feedback which will in turn help address format and content for the next professional develop day scheduled for 02/19/21.

STUDENT COMMENTS

- Makayla Nesbitt – shared appreciation to the teachers who were recognized for Rocket Recognition and that it is nice to know that Kelloggsville has such great teachers;
- Christian Martinez Ramos – also shared that he was thankful for the teachers who were recognized. He wished Mr. Ball good luck in his new position at KMS and hoped that everyone had a wonderful weekend;

OTHER MATTERS - None

INTRODUCTION OF MATTERS BY BOARD MEMBERS

- Mrs. Tanis – shared appreciation to our teaching staff, knowing that it must be hard to switch back and forth from in-person to remote instruction but that they always strive

to do what is best for our students. She hopes that everyone has a great start to the new year and to continue their hard work;

- Mrs. Groters – nothing
- Ms. Sellers – shared that she is glad that our students are back and hope they are off to a good start. She also congratulated the Rocket Recognition recipients;
- Ms. Townsend – she also congratulated Mrs. Roon, Mr. Jackson, and Mrs. Skinner for receiving Rocket Recognition and thanked all of the teachers for their efforts and hard work. She also extended appreciation to Makayla and Christian for their participation with the Board of Education, they are great representatives of Kville;
- Mrs. Reidzans – also congratulated Rocket Recognition recipients; Mrs. Roon, Mr. Jackson, and Mrs. Skinner for all they do by going above and beyond every day. She also stated that she was excited for a virtual library room tool on her son’s google classroom which provides resources for books to read;
- Mrs. Ward – referenced an email she sent to fellow members with her report from the KIASB zoom meeting on 01/20/21. The email shared a screenshot of the timeline and further opportunities to give input on the new superintendent search at Kent ISD which included information on a survey link. This link will be posted on the ISD’s website for gaining further input and feedback from all stakeholders. She also thanked student board representative, Christian Martinez Ramos, for his valuable comments presented during the zoom meeting;

ADJOURNMENT

President Ward adjourned the meeting at 5:57 p.m.

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Deb Sellers, (Substitute) Secretary  
Kelloggsville Board of Education

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Beth A. Postma  
Recorder

VISITORS: (Virtual) – Susan Faulk, Rachel Blok, Tammy Skinner, Lynnea Roon, and Rick Jackson.