

Claysburg-Kimmel School District
Minutes of February 7, 2024
Work Session

The Board met in a work session at 7:32 pm on Wednesday, February 7, 2024, with the following present: Roger Knisely, Dr. Eckley, Heidi Kennedy, Joseph Musselman, Jeremy Knott, Dan Potter, Amy Gill, Jerome Dodson, Michelle Guyer, Matt Hall, Chuck Kassick, Brannon Raptosh, Stacey Claycomb, Krystal Edwards (Beard Legal Group), Dena Burket and Brian Helsel.

Mrs. Gill noted that the Board met in executive session prior to the meeting to discuss personnel issues.

Dr. Helsel addressed the Board during his Superintendent report. He addressed the Governor's proposed 2024-2025 budget. He discussed things to consider regarding ESSER funding. He addressed the COMP Plan including timelines, processes, data driven and an analysis of strengths/challenges. Updated job descriptions were discussed briefly.

Mr. Raptosh gave a brief Special Education update regarding the MDS/LSS classroom and low socio-economic data.

Mr. Hall addressed the Board during his Elementary Principal report. He addressed MTSS Improving Schools Conference, reading benchmarks, trainings/professional developments, PSSA prep, winter band and chorus concert and art show and PTO Valentine's Day dance.

Mr. Kassick addressed the Board during his Secondary Principal report. He discussed FBLA Regionals, PBIS Initiatives, AED Grant, and Guidance. He also addressed course offerings for the 2024-2025 school year which include changes in Art, PE, ELA, Music, and Math. He explained how he plans on restructuring Math beginning in Grade 7 through Grade 12 and how this will help with standardized testing.

Mrs. Guyer presented to the Board the opportunity of applying for the Technology (RUS-DLT) Grant. The Board agreed to pursue this opportunity with the help of a Grant Writer.

Mrs. Gill briefly mentioned agenda items for the official meeting on February 14, 2024.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:18 pm.



Board Secretary