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*Liberty School District will equip the whole student with knowledge,
skills, and character to achieve personal success as they “Soar to
Excellence.”*

Board Meeting Agenda for October 20, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the Chorus Room.

1. Routine Consent Agenda:
 - A. Approval of the Agenda
 - B. Approval of the following Minutes:
September 22, 2021 Regular Board Meeting
 - C. Approval of the Bills, Payroll, Treasurer's Report, and Additional Bills
 - D. Approve the Financial Summary Report
 - E. Approve the Food Service Report
 - F. Approval of the Activity Report
 - G. Approve the Imprest Report

2. Consent Agenda:
 - A. Approve the rate for a sub nurse to be \$18.00 per hour.
 - B. Approve para educators being paid as a classroom supervisor at \$100 per day, when there is no instructional sub teacher, due to sub teacher shortage.
 - C. Approve a sub teacher who takes multiple, long-term (6 weeks or more) maternity or medical leaves will continue to be paid at the double rate for the 2nd and beyond maternity or medical leave for the remainder of the school year, effective for the 2021-22 school year.
 - D. Approve Mr. Tyler Eveland piloting an esport club for the 2021-22 school year.

3. Board Discussion:
 - A. Testing of staff with Achieve
 - B. Youth Basketball Teams

4. Reports:
 - A. Elementary Principal's Report
 - B. JH/HS Principal's Report
 - C. Superintendent's Report
 - D. Technology Coordinator's Report

5. Personnel Report:
 - Approve the resignation of Zane Dyer as part-time night custodian (4 nights), effective October 6, 2021. Zane will continue to sub when needed.
 - Approve the resignation of Sam Harris as a part-time night custodian (1 night), effective October 8, 2021. Sam will continue to sub when needed.
 - Approve Dan Stroot as a full-time night custodian, effective October 19, 2021.
 - Approve Austin Evans to increase in pay as a full-time night custodian, effective October 18, 2021.
 - Approve Michelle Girardin as a temporary part-time night custodian for up to 2 hours each school day to clean the Pre-K area, effective October 18, 2021-December 17, 2021. This will be reviewed for continuation for second semester.
 - Approve Annette Riley as a temporary part-time night custodian for up to 2 hours each school day to clean the Pre-K area, effective October 18, 2021-December 17,

2021. This will be reviewed for continuation for second semester.

- Approve Karla Ellerman as a temporary part-time floating sub night custodian, effective October 18, 2021 until no longer needed.
- Approve Jeanna Parkhill as the 5/6 grade Volleyball Coach, effective October 21, 2021.
- Approve an 8-week maternity leave for Abby Cannell from January 4-February 28, 2022.
- Approve the intent to retire from Sharon Bearden, effective the last contractual day of the 2021-22 school year.
- Approve Cordaro Boughton as a part-time bus driver for the Special Education route, effective November 3, 2021.

Superintendent's Comments:

Increased Rates of Pay

The Liberty School Board had to take a hard look at our sub situation regarding para educators, who essentially keep the class going when no sub teacher is available and for nurses who are willing to sub in a school during this crazy COVID time. Effort was made to increase the rates for the additional responsibilities they are taking on. We also made a change at how to handle sub teacher rate of pay for teachers who take on multiple, long-term (6 weeks or more) maternity or medical leaves. Hopefully, this will allow us to have quality individuals willing to help us when we are short on essential staff.

Esports

This year our new computer teacher, Tyler Eveland, was approved to pilot an esports club. This has become a very popular activity for students. Some colleges are offering scholarships for esports. When I popped in for one of the practices, I saw several faces of students I have not typically seen in other groups or teams. How nice to find new ways to keep all students engaged!