

Regular Session
April 24, 2006

The Randolph County Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, April 24, 2006, at 6:00 p.m. in the board room at the Health Department.

Call to Order

Chairman LaVerne Williams called the meeting to order. Board members in attendance were as follows: P. Guthrie, G. Cook, T. McDonald, G. Lawson, J. Johnson, and B. Coltrane.

Moment of Silence

The Board observed a Moment of Silence before beginning the meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance

Trinity High School JROTC presented colors and led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognition of Guests

Chairperson Williams recognized principal representative Ricky Sessoms; assistant principal representatives Jack Blanchard and Larry Chappell; and members of the press.

Announcements

Superintendent Andrews made the following announcements:

1. Child Nutrition Banquet, May 4, AVS, 6:00 p.m.
2. National Board Certified Teachers Reception, May 15, 4:30 p.m.
3. Teacher of the Year Banquet, May 18, Pinewood Country Club
4. End of Year Recognition Dinner, Thursday, May 25, 6 p.m., AVS
5. Endowment Golf Tournament, June 16, Asheboro Country Club

Minutes

P. Guthrie made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that minutes of the meetings held on March 20, 2006, be approved as presented. The motion carried: 7-0.

Special Recognition

Leslie Cox, Director of Transportation, recognized Assistant Principal Jack Blanchard, who placed first in the Randolph County Bus Driver Rodeo. He also reported Mr. Blanchard declined to participate in the district rodeo, but second and third place winners placed in the top 10 at the district rodeo and will participate in the state rodeo.

Debbie Johns, a teacher at Southwestern Randolph High School, introduced students in the teacher cadet program. She reported that approximately 60 percent of the students who participated in the teacher cadet program were employed as teachers.

Jeanne Blackard, Director of Classified Personnel, recognized Archdale Elementary School Child Nutrition Manager Tina Justice, and her staff for their "Good Manners Club" program. She presented Mrs. Justice with the Classified Bright Ideas Award.

Amy Cagle, Director of Certified Personnel, introduced the following Certified Bright Idea Winners: Tony Goldston, Southeastern Randolph Middle School, for "The Gentlemen's Breakfast Club," a mentoring program for male students. Leigh Blanchard, John Lawrence Elementary School, "Penguins, Polar Bears, and Dinosaurs," for writing techniques and creating clay animal figurines. Anne Cox, Sharon Cox, Pat Donovan, Caitlyn Layton, Hilda Leonard, Sue Newberry, Dana Saunders, Craig Shrum, Susan Stevenson, and Patrick Stover; Ramseur School; for "Star Breakfast;" to celebrate with Students Taking Academic Responsibility. Anna Foster, Amy Swafford, Tara Cecil; Archdale Elementary School; for the "Flat Stanley Project;" for second grade students to read the novel Flat Stanley and create dolls to mail to contacts all over the world. Lynn Kellum, Archdale School, "Student Written Class Newsletters," where students write and publish a bi-weekly class newsletter.

Cathy Brady, Director of Elementary Education, recognized eighth grade student Tyler Smith from Southeastern Randolph Middle School, who won the 2005-2006 Spelling Bee.

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Nan York, Director of Media and Technology Services, introduced Don Poe who recognized the Uwharrie Middle School Battle of the Books winners. The team also placed seventh in regional competition.

Public Comments

There were no requests for public comments.

Adoption of Agenda

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by T. McDonald that the Board adopt the agenda as presented. The motion carried: 7-0.

Consent Items

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board approve consent items as presented:

1. Assignments and Releases – 2 releases, 7 assignments, and 1 denial(s) for student assignments for 2005-2006 school year and 146 assignments, 225 releases, and 0 denials for the 2006-2007 school year.
2. Budget Amendments - #6 Increase Codes 1.5100.001.121 Salary – Teacher \$3,874.00; 1.6410.003.151 Salary – Clerical \$8,777.00; and 1.3100.000.000 State Revenue \$12,651.00.
3. Child Nutrition Meal Price Recommendations – That meal prices remain the same for the 2006-2007 school year: Breakfast – Child \$.80, Adult \$1.25 and Lunch – K-5 \$1.45, 6-12 \$1.60, and Adult \$2.50.
4. Application for COPS Project Funding in the amount of \$2,277,126.77 to cover debt service.
5. Audit Contract for 2006-2007 with Maxton McDowell for audit and preparation of financial statements at a cost of \$31,900.
6. Federal Projects Application and Assurances for No Child Left Behind Act Title III.

The motion carried: 7-0.

Preliminary 2006-2007 Budget

Finance Officer Todd Lowe presented the 2006-2007 Preliminary Budget. He reviewed the current expense budget expansion items included in the budget request, which represent a 14.8 percent increase over last year's budget. The Current Expense Budget Request is \$19,093,800. The Capital Outlay Budget Request is \$8,760,000. Chairperson LaVerne Williams opened the meeting for any comments regarding the budget request. There being no comments, B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Preliminary Budget for 2006-2007 be approved as presented. The motion carried: 7-0.

Personnel Report

P. Guthrie made a motion seconded by G. Lawson that the Board approve the Personnel Report as presented. The motion carried: 7-0. The report as approved by the Board is as follows:

PERSONNEL REPORT

PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE/SUBJECT</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>DATE EFFECTIVE</u>
<u>EMPLOYMENT</u>			
Sharon Andrews	Grade 4	Farmer	03/15/06
Katherine Richter	Science	SWRHS	04/12/06
Christine Marley	Kindergarten	Level Cross	4/3/06-6/12/06
Karen Anderson	Remediation	RMS	3/27/06-6/12/06
Phyllis Wicker	Remediation	NERMS	3/28/06-6/12/06

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RESIGNATION

Sarah Wilson	Physical Education	THS	06/12/06
Tamara Applegate	.5 Math	RHS	06/12/06
Randall Lucas	BED	UMS	06/12/06
Aubrey Starr	Grade 5	Seagrove	06/12/06
Phyllis Bizzell	Guidance	Braxton	06/09/06
Caroline Auman	ESL	RES	06/09/06
Sara Grein	Cross Cat	ATMS	06/09/06
Michelle Blue	Remediation	NERMS	02/23/06
Kristen Cardman	Lang. Arts	ATMS	06/09/06
Amy Swafford	Grade 4	Archdale	06/09/06
Anna McCulloch	Science	THS	06/12/06
Matthew Southern	Math	ERHS	04/04/06
Christina Adams	Kindergarten	RES	06/09/06
Barbara Tapia-Maze	English	THS	06/12/06
Kevin /Gillespie	P.E.	THS	06/12/06
Brenda Hunt	L. Arts	Braxton	06/09/06

RETIREMENT

Sarah McCoy	Grade 3	RES	07/01/06
Kathy Dekle	Grade 2	TES	07/01/06
Linda Dunn	Math	SWRMS	07/01/06
Evangeline Freeman	Media	THS	07/01/06
Frances Hamilton	Media	RMS	05/01/06
Brenda Oates	LD Resource	Trindale	07/01/06
Ronda Foster	Grade 2	Hopewell	07/01/06
Carol Cochrane	Reading	Southmont	07/01/06
Lina Morris	English	RHS	07/01/06
Pamela Coward	Grade 5	Coleridge	08/01/06
Priscilla Turner	Grade 1	TES	07/01/06
Dee Harrison	Grade 5	Trindale	07/01/06

TRANSFER

Anitra Spencer	Chorus>L. Arts	THS>ATMS	08/15/06
Todd Henderson	S.S.>At Risk Coord.	ATMS	08/15/06
Sandra Montjoy	Math>Media	NERMS>Seagrove	08/15/06
Mark Walker	Agriculture	RHS 11.5>12 months	06/01/06
Cynthia Neal	Chorus>L. Arts	ATMS	08/15/06

REINSTATE RETIREE

Daryl Barnes	Principal	THS	05/01/06
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Heather Shaffer	Band	Braxton	8/1/06-8/1/07
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SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Candace Stanley	L.Arts/A.G.	SERMS	05/25/06
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CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE/SUBJECT</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>DATE EFFECTIVE</u>
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EMPLOYMENT

Julie Williamson	Bus Driver	Randleman High	03/20/06
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Louise Bridges
Julia Cook

Custodian
Child Nutrition
Secretary

Level Cross
Central Office

03/01/06
04/10/06

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TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT

Diana Frazier	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Susan Caldwell	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Sarah Lukhart	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Rhonda Hinson	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Erin Starr	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Victoria Thomson	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Gail Raymond	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06
Cathy Hunt	Instructional Tutor	Trindale	02/01/06

REINSTATEMENT

Rosalyn Thompson	Bus Driver	Braxton	04/03/06
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TRANSFER

Gina Brady	Teacher Assistant (DF) (4/5) to Teacher Assistant (DF) (4/5)/Bus Driver	Farmer	04/03/06
Carol Thomas	Custodian/Bus Driver to Custodian	ERHS	03/14/06
Audrey Stevenson	Child Nutrition to Child Nutrition/Bus Driver	Trindale	03/20/06
Wanda Ward	Secretary/ Treasurer	NERMS to Liberty	04/24/06
Cheryl Cox	General Office Assistant to Secretary/Treasurer	NERMS	04/24/06
Darrell Kinney, Jr	Mechanic I to Mechanic II	Transportation	02/01/06
Christy Cross	SIMS to Secretary/Treasurer	SWRHS to Randolph Early College	04/24/06
Cynthia Lyndon	Teacher Assistant AT to Teacher Assistant AT/ After School Care Director	Archdale	04/24/06
Julie Williamson	Bus Driver to Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Randleman High to Randleman Middle/ Randleman High	04/03/06

CHANGE OF SERVICE

Pok Parker	Custodian 10 mo to 12 mo	Seagrove	06/01/06
Darla Freeman	Bus Driver 3 hr to 4 hr	Randleman High	03/22/06
Melinda Wheeler	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Trinity High	04/01/06
Allene Simmons	3.5 hr to 4.5 hr CN Teacher Assistant 7.5 hr to 7.25 hr	Ramseur	04/16/06

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Danielle Cranford	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	SWRHS	03/06/06- 03/31/06
Bridgett Gaines	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Hopewell	02/01/06- 03/31/06
Michelle Worcester	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Southmont	03/01/06-
Gayle Haas	03/31/06 Child Nutrition Assistant	Trinity High	03/16/06- 03/31/06

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE (extended)

Michelle Worcester	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Southmont	04/01/06- 04/30/06
Lula Brown	Custodian	Lawrence	03/01/06- 03/19/06
Frances Fields	Child Nutrition Assistant	Trinity High	02/01/06- 03/31/06
Voncile Brady	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	SWRHS/ SWRMS	03/01/06- remainder of school year (BD only)
Tammy Lucas	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Tabernacle	03/01/06- 03/12/06

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Lula Brown	Custodian	Lawrence	for pay 03/20/06
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RESIGNATION

Lake Matthews	Custodian	ERHS	05/31/06
Thomas Lockhart	Bus Driver	Randleman High	03/22/06
Kimberly MacNeilage	Teacher Assistant	Trinity Elem	03/15/06
Lori Stallings	After School Care Director	Archdale	04/24/06
Kevin Hoover	Mechanic II	Transportation	04/10/06

TERMINATION

Paula Hicks	Secretary/ Treasurer	Liberty	03/24/06
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RETIREMENT

Sylvia Rippy	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	SWRMS/ SWRHS	07/01/06
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<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADES</u>	<u>SCHOOL(S)</u>	<u>PAY LEVEL</u>
Nikoda Clapp	K-12	Eastern Area	Non Certified
Sheila Davis	6-8	Trinity,Randleman	Non Certified
Della Harris	K-2	Liberty	Non Certified
Ben Ramsaur	9-12	ERHS <u>only</u>	Certified
Sheba Ricks	K-12	Trinity Area	Non Certified
Dedra Routh	6-8	NERMS	Certified
Seth Turner	K-12	Trinity Area	Non Certified

The Board also received a preliminary report of career status recommendations for the 2006-2007 school year.

Closed Session

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by G. Cook that the Board go into closed session for the purposes of discussing a student matter, the confidentiality of which is protected by the Buckley Amendment; discussing the acquisition of real estate as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11 (a)(5); and discussing the terms of an employment contract as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11(a)(5). The motion carried: 7-0.

J. Johnson made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board return to open session. The motion carried: 7-0.

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Personnel Appointments

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that the following recommendation of Superintendent Donald E. Andrews to name John Lawrence Elementary School Principal Kim Johnson as Director of High School Education be approved. The motion carried: 7-0.

Adjournment

J. Johnson made a motion seconded by G. Cook that the meeting adjourn. The motion carried: 7-0.

Chairman

Secretary