

Regular Session  
September 17, 2007

The Randolph County Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, September 17, 2007, at 6 p.m. at the Jaycee Building.

Call to Order

Chairperson LaVerne Williams called the meeting to order. Board members in attendance were as follows: P. Guthrie, G. Cook, G. Lawson, J. Johnson, and B. Coltrane. Tommy McDonald was not present for the meeting.

Moment of Silence

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

Pledge of Allegiance

The JROTC from Southwestern Randolph High School presented the colors and Bowman Carroll, a student from Farmer Elementary School, led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Recognition of Guests

Chairperson Williams recognized principal representatives Brian Toth and Chris Vecchione, assistant principal representative Shane Fink, and members of the press.

Student Reading

The student reading was presented by Mikayla Trogdon, a fifth grader at Seagrove Elementary School.

Announcements

Superintendent Andrews made the following announcements:

1. NCSBA District Meeting, September 19, Atkins High School, Winston-Salem
2. Advisory Council Dinner, Randleman Middle School, November 15
3. Interim Reports, September 26
4. Superintendent Community Board of Trustees, October 1, 11:30-2:00 p.m., AVS
5. 68<sup>th</sup> Annual NSBA Conference, March 29-April 1, Orlando, Florida

Board Spotlight

Ann Callicutt, Director of Career Technical Education, recognized FFA State Winners as follows: Eastern Randolph High School Farm Business Management Team: Caitlin Lowe, Wesley Corder, Lewis Yow, and Travis Kinney; Randleman High School Meat Evaluation Team: Olivia Poupore, Candace Etchison, Alyssa Tysinger, Danielle Patterson and Food Science and Technology Team: Austin Hinesley, Jeremy Hussey, Lenora Robinson, and Heather Smith.

Minutes

P. Guthrie made a motion seconded by G. Cook that minutes of the meeting held on August 20 and 21, 2007, be approved as presented. The motion carried: 6-0.

Public Comments

There were no public comments.

Adoption of Agenda

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by B. Coltrane that the Board adopt the agenda as presented. The motion carried: 6-0.

Consent Items

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board approve consent items as presented. The motion carried: 6-0.

1. Assignments and Releases – 14 releases, 27 assignments, and 4 denial(s) for student assignments for 2007-2008 school year.

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2. Approval of Eastern Randolph High School JROTC Booster Club with one revision in Article IX of the By-Laws: Upon dissolution of the Club, all funds on hand, after payment of all legal obligations, shall be distributed to the Eastern Randolph High School JROTC program fund.
3. Providence Grove High School Change Orders #7 Additional foundation work for football field lights, add plastic laminate casework, install condensate drains and additional ductwork, and revise electrical panel \$19,646.80; #8 Add waterproofing to below grades walls at auditorium and add shelf angle to support brick above roof at auditorium \$20,042.17; #9 Delete WR backer board at CMU parapets, delete drains and water lines at dumpster pads, and install silt fence along Baldwin property for road widening -\$10,235.20 for a total new contract amount of \$29,146,424.03.

SAT Update

Dr. Sharon Johnson, Director of Testing and Accountability, reported that the Critical Reading Score for Randolph County for 2007 increased five points over 2006, while the average state score remained the same as the previous year, and national scores decreased by one point. The Mathematics scores for the county decreased by three points, state scores decreased four points, and national schools decreased three points. The average total score (Critical Reading, Mathematics, and Writing) was one point lower in the county than the previous year, while the state and national scores decreased by seven points. The number of SAT test takers in the county increased by 53 students. Trinity High School and Randleman High School showed the highest increased in scores. Randleman High showed increases on all sections of the SAT in comparison to last year. Eastern Randolph High School and Southwestern Randolph High School scores decreased from the previous year.

School Opening/Attendance

Superintendent Donald E. Andrews reported that the membership for the first 10 days of school was 19,142, approximately 148 more students than projected. He reported that the opening of the year had gone very well at each school and with transporting students to school. He also stated that there were less concerns or complaints than were typically received at the beginning of a new school year.

2008-2009 School Calendar

Superintendent Andrews presented a draft of the 2008-2009 school year. The calendar is very similar to the one for the current year. It will be placed on the school system web page for review and comment from the public.

Tobacco Legislation

Superintendent Andrews also presented a draft of Policy 7250 reflecting state law banning the use of tobacco and tobacco products on school campuses. The policy will be presented for approval at the November meeting of the Board.

Saturday Morning Graduations

The Superintendent also presented pros and cons for Saturday morning graduation for seniors and information on surveys taken at the high schools from students, parents, and staff. Surveys showed no definite approval or disapproval for changing graduation from the last day of school to Saturday morning. The Superintendent reported, however, that Southwestern Randolph High School had expressed an interest in piloting the Saturday morning graduation. Administrators will be discussing this pilot program and will report back to the Board.

Providence Grove High School Update

Providence Grove High School Principal Rick Dawes reported that he had met with Curriculum Specialist at the Central Office to begin establishing academic and career and technical education courses for the new school. Application has been made for a JROTC program. Work has begun to build the student database and application has been made to the High School Athletic Association.

Facility Construction Update

Marty Trotter, Director of Facilities and Construction, provided updated information and photographs of the Providence Grove High School construction site.

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Marty Trotter provided pictures to update the Board on construction at Providence Grove. He reported that construction is on schedule.

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Facilities and Construction Update

Mr. Trotter reported that high schools had received a special allotment to update cultural arts, science and athletic facilities.

Mr. Trotter also reported that a preconstruction meeting was held on September 11 for Wheatmore High School and the groundbreaking was held on September 16. The construction company is beginning to mobilize and set up an office on site.

Closed Session

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board go into closed session to discuss the terms of an employment contract as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11 (a)(5) and to consider a personnel matter that involves an officer or employee of the board as provided in North Carolina General Statute 143.318.11(a)(6). The motion carried: 6-0.

Open Session

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by P. Guthrie that the Board return to open session. The motion carried: 6-0.

Personnel Report

B. Coltrane made a motion seconded by G. Lawson that the Board approve the Personnel Report as presented. The motion carried: 6-0. 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>			
Phyllis Bizzell	Guidance	Southmont	9/6/07-1/16/08
Carolyn Worrell	LD Resource	RES	9/4/07-10/31/07
Mary Cummings	Math/Science	SWRMS	08/16/07
Elizabeth Sherman	Grade 4	Hopewell	08/23/07
Kendra Cranford	Social Worker	RMS	09/18/07
Thomas Hubbert	School Psychologist	C/O	09/04/07
Lisa Pore	Writing Coach	Ramseur	09/04/07
Pachovia Kimes	Social Worker	RES	09/10/07
Barrie Bunting	Drivers Ed	C/O	09/01/07
<u>RETIREMENT</u>			
Sally Tysinger	Science	ERHS	11/01/07
Vickie Moss	Director of Accountability	C/O	10/01/07
<u>TRANSFER</u>			
Jennifer Brumley	GROW (50%>10	Ramseur> F'ville/Ramseur	08/16/07
Katie Wasileski	School Psych. (60% > 100%)	C/O	09/01/07
Jo Burgess	GROW (60%>50%)	Franklinville	09/16/07
Audrey McNeill	PreK>Cross Cat	TES	09/16/07
Brian Vaughan	Math (Teacher pay>sub pay)	RMS	08/16/07
<u>RESIGNATION</u>			
Sherree Huffman	Cross Cat	TES	09/15/07
Gary Lewis	Agriculture	RHS	09/27/07

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PENDING CONTRACTS ISSUED

Sharon Clapp	Math	SERMS
Minda Thornlow	Science	THS
Jenna Hill	Science	ATMS
Kecia Dorsett	Math	SERMS
Jonathan Owens	Intervention Ctr.	ERHS

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADES</u>	<u>SCHOOL(S)</u>	<u>PAY LEVEL</u>
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EMPLOYMENT

Melissa Williams	Child Nutrition Assistant	Liberty	08/22/07
Jacquovia Morehead	School Nurse	Central Office	08/20/07
Anna Smith	After School Care Assistant	Trinity Elem	08/16/07
Tabbatha Underwood	Child Nutrition Mopper	Southmont	08/23/07
Denise Cooper	Custodian/ Bus Driver	SWRMS	08/24/07
Steve Coble	General Maintenance	Maintenance	09/04/07
Lindsey Vinores	Teacher Assistant Lightspan	Seagrove	08/24/07
Jennifer Beane	EC Secretary	Central Office	09/04/07
Beth Loflin	Bus Driver	Braxton	09/05/07
Rodney Whitaker	Teacher Assistant Crisis Intervention	Central Office	08/31/07
Lee Broadway	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Hopewell	09/05/07
Seth Julian	Electrician	Maintenance	09/04/07
Michelle Miller	Bus Driver	Trindale	08/24/07
Mary Jan Pell	Learning Lab Teacher Assistant	ERHS	09/11/07
Laurie Fields	School Nurse	Central Office	10/01/07

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT

Brenda Grubb	After School Care Assistant	Trindale	08/27/07
Sybil Wilson	Instructional Tutor	Braxton	09/04/07
Vickie Kosterman	Instructional Tutor	Braxton	09/05/07
Laura York	Instructional Tutor	Southmont	09/04/07
Roger Green	Bus Monitor	NERMS	08/27/07
Maggie Hall	Instructional Tutor	Southmont	09/04/07
Claudia Ihme	Instructional Tutor	Ramseur	09/04/07- 06/06/08
Ginny Dunn	Instructional Tutor	Level Cross	09/11/07
Maria Garcia	Bilingual Advocate	Ramseur	09/10/07- 06/30/08

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT (interim)

Sharon Anderson	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children	Archdale	08/24/07- 11/21/07
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TRANSFER

Connie Green	Bus Driver to Child Nutrition/Bus Driver	Liberty	08/23/07
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Patsy Cummings	Child Nutrition Assistant to Child Nutrition Assistant Manager	Liberty	08/23/07
Renee Moffitt	After School Care Director/DF/AT to	Trinity Elem	08/24/07
Barbara Wilson	After School Care Director/TA DF Teacher Assistant (AT)/ Bus Driver to	Trinity Elem	08/24/07
Betsey Beasley	Teacher Assistant (AT)(4/5)/ Bus Driver Teacher Assistant K3/ After School Care to	New Market	08/16/07
Jane Chauncey	Teacher Assistant K3 (DF) Teacher Assistant (4/5)(DF)/Bus Driver to	Trinity Elem	08/24/07
Linda Henry	Teacher Assistant (4/5)/ Bus Driver Bus Driver to	Trinity High	09/04/07
Alethia Wilkerson	Teacher Assistant Intervention Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver to	Randleman Elem	08/27/07
Cheryl Eads	Teacher Assistant (4/5)/ Child Nutrition/Bus Driver Teacher Assistant/ Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver to	Randleman Elem	08/27/07
Rene White	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children to	Franklinville	09/16/07
Judy Routh	Teacher Assistant K3 Custodian	ATMS to Farmer	09/17/07
<u>CHANGE OF SERVICE</u>			
Doris Allred	Child Nutrition Assistant 7 hrs to 6 hrs	Franklinville	08/23/07
Martha Stilwell	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver 3.5 hrs to 3 hrs CN	Uwharrie	09/01/07
Donna Dunn	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver 3.25 hrs to 2.75 hrs CN	Uwharrie	09/01/07
Cecilia Carroll	Child Nutrition Assistant Manager 7 hrs to 6.5 hrs	Uwharrie	09/01/07
Loretta Tinnin	Teacher Assistant Exceptional Children 9 mo to 10 mo	Randleman Elem	08/16/07
Donna Shoaf	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver 3 hrs to 3.25 hrs CN	Lawrence	08/23/07
Kenneth Davis	Custodian 6 hrs to 4 hrs	Franklinville	08/16/07
Laura Davis	Custodian 2 hrs to 4 hrs	Franklinville	08/16/07
Lisa Pack	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver 2.75 hrs to 3.5 hrs BD	Uwharrie	08/24/07
Sharon Hunt	Bus Driver 3.5 hrs to 4 hrs	Trinity High	09/01/07
Larry Hunt	Custodian	Ramseur	09/01/07

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Odessa Walden	6 hrs to 6.5 hrs Custodian/ Child Nutrition 6 hrs to 6.5 hrs CUST 2 hrs to 1.5 hrs CN	Ramseur	09/01/07
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SHORT TERM DISABILITY (extended)

Mary White	Teacher Assistant	Liberty	09/27/07
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RESIGNATION

Richard Langley	Child Nutrition	Liberty	08/14/07
Edmund Andrews	Custodian	Trinity High	08/31/07
Donna Dunn	Child Nutrition/ Bus Driver	Uwharrie	08/23/07
Betty Hill	Teacher Assistant	Hopewell	07/01/07
Gayle Haas	Child Nutrition Assistant	Trinity High	08/22/07
Beth Scott	Teacher Assistant	Tabernacle	09/14/07
Anette Chavis	Teacher Assistant PreK	Randleman Elem	08/01/07
Terry Strickland	Custodian	Farmer	09/07/07
Harvey Cagle, Sr	Custodian	SWRHS	09/14/07

POSITION ELIMINATED

Madelaine Watson	Bilingual Advocate	Randleman Elem	08/01/07
Maria Garcia	Bilingual Advocate	Southmont	08/01/07
Debra Barber	Instructional Tutor	SERMS	08/01/07

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADES</u>	<u>SCHOOL(S)</u>	<u>PAY LEVEL</u>
Laura Anderson	K-12	All Schools	Certified
Daniel Bourassa	K-12	Randleman Area	Non Certified
Wendy Bowman	K-8	Trinity Area	STET
Tammy Bell	K-12	Eastern Area	Non Certified
Litha Charles	K-12	Southwestern Area	Certified
Stephanie Clewis	K-8	Trinity Area	Non Certified
Glorie Couse	K-5	Hopewell	Non Certified
Kristina Davis	K-8	Randleman Area	Non Certified
Kathy Dekle	K-5	Trinity Elem	Certified
Denise Doss-Jarrett	K-12	All Schools	Non Certified
Brenda Elliott	K-5	Farmer	Non Certified
Ruby Epps	K-5	Seagrove	Non Certified
Alicia Frank	K-8	Randleman Area	Non Certified
Gina Garner	K-5	Southwestern Area	Non Certified
Sandy Glossenger	K-8	Uwharrie/Farmer	Non Certified
Kathy Haithcock	1-2	Grays Chapel/ Franklinville	Non Certified
Carol Hamilton	K-5	Trinity Area	Non Certified
Maria Harper	K-5	Hopewell	Non Certified
Joe Hicks	K-12	All Schools	Non Certified
Rosemarie Higgs	K-8	SERMS/Ramseur	Certified
Tammy Hosler	K-5	Farmer	Certified
Elizabeth Hubbard	K-5	Grays Chapel	Non Certified
Aaron Johnson	9-12	Trinity High	Non Certified
Vickie Kosterman	6-8	Braxton,Randleman	Certified

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Carrie Laxton	K-5	Ramseur/Franklinville	Non Certified
Stephanie Maness	K-12	Southwestern Area	Non Certified
Danielle Minor	K-5	Trindale	STET
Georgia Needham	K-12	Randleman/SWR area	Non Certified
Terri Poupore	K-12	Randleman Area	Certified
Mindy Russell	K-5	All Schools	Non Certified
Elaine Rutherford	K-12	Southwestern Area	STET
Karen Shaw	K-4	Trinity Area	Certified
Marvin Shelton	K-3	Trinity Area	Certified
Andrew Shores	6-12	Eastern Area	Non Certified
LeAnna Stines	K-5	Randleman Area	Non Certified
Eddie Surratt	K-12	Eastern/Randleman Area	STET
Linda Williams	K-8	Southwestern Area	Non Certified
Taylor Zimmerman	K-5	Tabernacle	Non Certified
Sheila Zuccaro	K-5 9-12	Trinity/Randleman Area	Non Certified

Adjournment

G. Lawson made a motion seconded by G. Cook that the meeting adjourn. The motion carried: 6-0.

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Chairman

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Secretary