



March 25, 2013



## Board of Education Notes

- The Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, March 25th, 2013, at 7:00 p.m. in the administrative offices of Perquimans County Schools.
- All members were present with the exception of Ralph Hollowell.
- The pledge of allegiance was recited and Walter Leigh voiced prayer.
- Under special recognitions, the custodial staffs from each school and the central office were recognized for earning the Grade "A" cleanliness award for the quarter.



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- Upon motion by Walter Leigh and seconded by Wallace Nelson, the minutes of the February 25, 2013 meeting were approved.
- The agenda for the meeting was approved, including an addendum to discuss student matters and personnel matters.
- The consent agenda, including student transfer requests and personnel summary requests, were approved as presented.
- The request for public comment was moved to closed session following the regular board meeting to allow student and personnel matters to be heard in a confidential setting.
- The board approved to adopt the 2013-2014 school calendar, as presented.
- Under new business, GEAR UP North Carolina Facilitators Starr Gordon and Gabby Lassiter presented the GEAR UP program and opportunities offered 7th and 12th grade students during the 2012-2013 school year.
- The board approved an overnight field trip request for students in Perquimans County Schools.
- Marcia Dickman and Brenda Dail presented information on the national board process and the support currently offered to employees of Perquimans County Schools. Currently, Perquimans County Schools has 51 teachers with national board certification. North Carolina remains the state with the highest number of national board certified teachers.
- Brenda Dail presented on the AIG program and the plan which currently exists. The plan is available for review at:  
<http://www.pcs.k12.nc.us/Content/documents/InstructionalPlans/2011-2012%20AIG%20Plan.pdf>  
Revisions will be made to the plan in the coming months and the revised plan is due to NCDPI on or before July 15th.

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- Upon motion by Wallace Nelson and seconded by Walter Leigh, the State Public School Fund and Capital Outlay Fund Amendments were approved.
- Finance Officer Candy Tilley provided board members with a monthly finance report for the school district, evidencing percentages of funds used and/or available for the 2012-2013 school year.
- The Board of Education approved to enter into an agreement with Mickey's Sales and Service with base bid for annual contract in the amount of \$62,769.00, for custodial supplies.
- The board approved to adopt a resolution to dispose of certain personal property as presented by Maintenance Director Jonathan Nixon. Mr. Nixon advises that school employees will have the opportunity to look at the items prior to same being auctioned.



## Superintendent's Report

- Superintendent Stallings updated board members on the bus drivers with perfect attendance for the 2012-2013 school year. Currently, there are 14 with perfect attendance in February, with only five bus drivers having perfect attendance for the school year.
- The board directed Mary Kay Peele to invite legislators to Perquimans County Schools to discuss public school education / funding issues on Friday, April 19th, 2013.
- Superintendent Stallings also requested the board to consider a resolution which would not support legislation currently being introduced that all public school property be transferred and owned by County. Board member Wallace Nelson felt that if such a consideration was being made, it should be a joint decision and joint Resolution by the Board of County Commissioners and the Board of Education.

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- Upon motion by Susan Cox and seconded by Walter Leigh, the board entered closed session to discuss student and personnel matters. No action was taken upon returning to open session.
- Board of Education Budget Work Session will be held on Monday, April 8th, 2013, at 7:30 p.m., at the Board of Education office.
- Joint Budget Work Session with County Commissioners will be held on Monday, April 22nd, 2013 at 5:00 p.m., at the Board of Education office.
- Regular Board of Education Meeting will be held on Monday, April 22nd, 2013 at 7:00 p.m., at the Board of Education office.

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