

**Mission:** *Lifelong learners will be inspired and developed through effective teaching in a safe and caring environment.*

**Vision:** *Respect – Pride – Excellence for All*

**AGENDA**  
**BOARD OF EDUCATION – SPECIAL MEETING**  
**Instructional Planning Center/Huron Arena**  
**Monday, March 22, 2021**  
**5:30 p.m.**

The meeting can be viewed live from a link on the School's website at <http://huron.k12.sd.us/watch-school-board-meetings/>. In the days following the meeting, the meeting can also be viewed on the local cable TV public access channel 6.

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 4. Adoption of the Agenda**
- 5. Dates to Remember**

March 27	School Board Election Forum – 9:45 a.m. – Fine Arts Center
April 2	Holiday Break / No School
April 5	Vacation Day / No School
April 12	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30 p.m. – IPC
April 13	School Board Election
April 14	Early Release
April 26	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30 p.m. – IPC
May 5	Early Release
May 10	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30 p.m. – IPC
May 19	Baccalaureate – 8:00 p.m. – Huron Arena
May 21	Last Day of Classes / Early Release
May 23	Graduation – 2:00 p.m. – Huron Arena
May 24	Teacher Checkout
May 24	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30 p.m. – IPC
May 31	Memorial Day Holiday
- 6. Community Input on Items Not on the Agenda**
- 7. Conflict Disclosure and Consideration of Waivers** – The School Board will review the disclosures and determine if the transactions or the terms of the contracts are fair, reasonable, and not contrary to the public interest.
  - a)
- 8. CONSENT AGENDA**

**The Superintendent of Schools recommends approval of the following:**

  - a) **Board Approval of New Hires**

As was mentioned previously, classified personnel, substitute teachers/classroom aides, and volunteers must be approved in order to be covered by our workers' compensation plan.

    - 1) Shane Hartman "Volunteer" – Track Program
    - 2) Tricia Wehrmann/Administrative Assistant-Buchanan/\$16.33 per hour
    - 3) *Linda Gibson/Kindergarten Para-Educator-Buchanan/\$16.59 per hour*

- 4) April 13, 2021 City-School Election Workers to be Paid \$250.00  
 Barb Lorenz  
 Joy Petersen  
 Christine Palleria  
 Julie Kasperson  
 Mary Fuchs  
 Louise Bauman  
 Janelle Bischoff  
 Betty Albright  
 Toni Baum  
 Linda McGirr

**b) Contracts for Board Approval**

- 1) Ally Kacmarynski/4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher-Washington/\$45,886 per year
- 2) Laura Alix/ESL Teacher – Middle School/\$46,055 per year
- 3) Sarah Carr/4<sup>th</sup> Grade – 8<sup>th</sup> GBB – 7<sup>th</sup> VB/\$52,734 per year
- 4) **Gretchen Beyer/Special Education Teacher-Buchanan/\$12,731 (Contract is pro-rated for days remaining in 2020-2021 school year)**

**c) Resignations for Board Approval**

- 1) Colleen Jensen/Teacher-Huron Colony/9 years
- 2) David Jensen/Para-Educator-Huron Colony/5 years
- 3) Tricia Wehrmann/Kindergarten Para-Educator/12 years
- 4) Loren Struble/Girl’s Assistant Golf Coach/12 years/Effective Spring 2022
- 5) Leah Hofer/Teacher – High School/1 year

**d) Consideration and Approval of Bills**

- e) Request Approval of “Emergency Concessions Workers” for tournaments to be held in the Huron Arena. These workers are currently employed in the HSD School Nutrition Department and include Drew Palmquist, Cassie Plooster, Vicky Davis, and Janet Johnsen.**

**f) Advertising Agreement – Huron Arena:**

American Family Insurance – Volquardsen & Associates, Inc.

**g) Request Permission to have Huron Public Library Staff come into the building during ESL Summer School – June 7 – June 24, 2021**

**h) Huron Middle School requests permission to transport 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to Ravine Lake area for their annual 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Day on May 18<sup>th</sup>. This event is planned and supervised by the exploratory and 8<sup>th</sup> grade staff.**

(The consent agenda may be approved with one motion. However, if a board member wishes to separate an item for discussion, he/she may do so.)

**9. CELEBRATE SUCCESSES IN THE DISTRICT:**

**CONGRATULATIONS:**

- **Jessica (School Nurse – Buchanan & Washington) and Phillip Van Diepen on the birth of their son, Tyler James born on March 9, 2021. Tyler weighed 7lbs, 13oz and was 20 ¼ inches long. He joins brother Brandon and sisters Lauren and Miranda.**

**THANK YOU TO:**

- **Huron School District Staff that worked the State B GBB Tournament – great job!**

**10. REPORTS TO THE BOARD**

- a) **Good News Report – Madison 2-3 Center – Dru Strand & Kyle Johnson – Coding in the Classroom**

**b) 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion – Laura Willemssen**

Due to COVID related limitations, HMS administration is changing the format and venue for 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion. 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion will remain on May 18<sup>th</sup> but the time will change to 8:30 am. The event will be held in the middle school gymnasium. We will be able to live stream the award ceremony as parents will not be in attendance. The stream will include a traditional program: teacher created student slideshow, special music, awards and recognition, and speakers. The special music will be comprised of 8<sup>th</sup> grade instrumental and vocal groups. In past years, we were only able to showcase our 8<sup>th</sup> vocal, this year we plan to have performances from 8<sup>th</sup> grade orchestra and band as well due to the location.

**c) Superintendent's Report****11. OLD BUSINESS****a) Policy GDA-19 Support Service Positions (Custodian) – 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading****b) Policy GDA-19.1 Support Service Positions (HHS/HMS Foreman Custodian) – 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading****c) Policy GCA-22 Professional Staff Description – School Social Worker – 1<sup>st</sup> Reading****d) Handbook Revision – Huron High School – Graduation Paths – 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading****12. NEW BUSINESS****a) Request from Mr. Radke to Allow the Dance to Take Place at Prom****b) Renew Lease with Head Start for McKinley for 2021-2022****c) Request to Hold the Employee Recognition Banquet on May 12, 2021 in the Huron Event Center****13. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

1-25-2 Executive or closed meetings may be held for the sole purposes of:

(4) Preparing for contract negotiations or negotiating with employees or employee representatives.

**14. ADJOURNMENT**