

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
March 24, 2025
5:30 p.m.



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

April 2	Early Release/District Inservice
April 14	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30pm – IPC
April 18	No School – Holiday Break
April 21	No School – Holiday Break
April 28	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30pm – IPC
May 7	Early Release
May 12	Board of Education Meeting - 5:30pm – IPC
May 14	Baccalaureate – 8:00pm – Huron Arena
May 18	Graduation – 2:00pm – Huron Arena
May 27 (Tuesday)	Board of Education Meeting – 5:30pm – IPC
6. **Community Input on Items Not on the Agenda**
 - See Policy BFB – **Public Participation at Board Meetings** – for more information
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.
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8. **CONSENT AGENDA**

The superintendent recommends approval of the following:

 - a) **Consideration and Approval of the Bills**
 - b) **New Hires to the District**

Classified personnel and substitute teachers must be approved in order to be covered by our workmen’s compensation plan.

 - 1) Shala Larson/Substitute Teacher - \$160 per day/Substitute Para-Educator - \$21.58 per hour
 - 2) Kaiden Dorris/Volunteer Boys & Girls Wrestling Coach
 - 3) Elise Moody/Field Experience Intern Speech Language Pathology
 - 4) Carol Tschetter/Substitute, Food Service - \$20.91 per hour
 - 5) Ron Jacobs/Route Driver - \$35 per hour; Asst Mechanic - \$20.90 per hour
 - 6) Paul Wolf/Route Driver - \$35 per hour
 - c) **Resignations for Board Approval**
 - 1) TyAnn Ulmer/MS Girls Basketball Coach – 6 years
 - 2) Kaiden Dorris/Assistant Boys Wrestling Coach – 6 years
 - 3) Ron Jacobs/Food Service Delivery Driver – 6 months (March 25, 2025)
 - d) **Contracts for Board Approval**
 - 1) Jaden Pearson/Teacher-High School/\$60,515 per year (2025-2026 SY)

- e) **Classified Request to be Recognized for Negotiation Purposes:**
 - Maintenance, Grounds & Custodial Personnel – Dean Hirsch Korn, Chad Beck
 - Food Service Personnel – Drew Palmquist, Kelly Schell
 - Full-Time Personnel – Ashley Neuharth, Tiffany Nelson
 - Related Services Therapy Assistants – Quinn Reilly, Chantelle Kremer, Nakita Hoffman
 - Para Educators
 - Building Secretaries – Angie Boetel, Brittney Neuharth
 - Instructional Aides – Ann McLaury, Peg Harkness, Jamie Kleinsasser, Madison Vaudrin, Amy Hofer

- f) **Request for Approval of Open Enrollment**
 The administration has received open enrollment request #OE-2025-02 for Board approval

- g) **Intent to Apply for Grant Funding**

Group Applying	HMS Counseling Office
Contact Person	Akina Decker
Name of Award	American Bank & Trust Spirit Card Funds
Name of Funder	HSD Foundation
Amount to be Requested	\$2,000
Project Focus	HMS School Counseling Office Needs (Tiger Talk Event, Homeroom, Supplies, Etc.)

- h) **Intent to Apply for Grant Funding**

Group Applying	Buchanan K-1 Center
Contact Person	Raleigh Larson
Name of Award	American Bank & Trust Spirit Card Funds
Name of Funder	HSD Foundation
Amount to be Requested	\$1,400
Project Focus	Thermometers in Classrooms

- i) **Intent to Apply for Grant Funding**

Group Applying	School Nutrition
Contact Person	Amanda Reilly
Name of Award	Whole Kids Garden Grant Application
Name of Funder	Whole Kids Foundation
Amount to be Requested	\$3,500
Project Focus	Hydroponics/School Gardens

- j) **Intent to Apply for Grant Funding**

Group Applying	School Nutrition
Contact Person	Amanda Reilly
Name of Award	Zee Zees Grab the Tab Grant Program
Name of Funder	Zee Zees
Amount to be Requested	\$23,000
Project Focus	School Lunch Debt Relief

- k) **American Legion Post 7** requests to use a Huron School District Bus to transport members during their State Convention on June 21, 2025. The Legion will pay the in town rate of \$60 & \$35 per hour for driver

(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 to:

- **Laurelis Feliz-Medina** (12 gr Culinary Arts Student) who won the top overall Knife Skills Award showcasing both knife handling and knife cuts at the State ProStart Competition in Pierre

Thank You to:

- April 3 is Paraprofessional Appreciation Day
- April 4 is School Librarian Appreciation Day
- April 7-11 is National Assistant Principals Week
- April 7-13 School Library Week
- **Activities Director Scott DeBoer, Tarryn Tomczak, Jose Ramirez-Garcia, Mike Arnold, & Matt Watson** for their diligent work preparing the Huron Arena to host last weekend's State B Girls Basketball Tournament
- **Farmer's Cashway** for the large donation of All-Purpose Cleaning Wipes & Spray to Buildings & Grounds. The donation will be shared with the District.
- the **members of our Arena Clean-up Crew** who were able to successfully turn the Arena over between all 6 sessions of the State B Tournament. The many compliments about the Arena as a facility can be attributed in large part to the following individuals; **Brad Katz, Rick Waldner, Wayne Wilson, Rick Nelson, Kurt Anderson, Israel Ramirez, Javier Acosta, Catherine Ramirez, Esther Ner, Mike Arnold, Matt Watson, Jose Ramirez-Garcia**

10. **REPORTS TO THE BOARD:**

- a) **Classified Employee of the Month** – Presented by Kathie Bostrom
Ann Fenske, Administrative Assistant at Transportation has been selected as **Classified Employee of the Month for May 2025**. Nomination comments are included in this packet. Congratulations Ann!
- b) **Good News Report** – Madison 2-3 Center Special Services Staff: Stacey Westby, Kristie Clark, & Tracy Albrecht
Strategic Plan Initiative #4) Community Outreach & Communication
- c) **TeamMates Mentoring Presentation** – Christina Prehn
Strategic Plan Initiative #5) Learning Environment
- d) **LAN Report** – Tim VanBerkum
- e) **Superintendent's Report**

11. **OLD BUSINESS**

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12. **NEW BUSINESS**

- a) **2025-26 Educational Structure Change Request** for Changing Huron Virtual High School Calendar to report under the Huron High School Calendar
- b) **Section E: Support Services** - introduction
 - 1. **Current Section E Policies**
 - 2. **EA SUPPORT SERVICES GOALS** – update format
 - EB SAFETY PROGRAM** - update format
 - EBA BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS INSPECTIONS** – new policy
 - EBB ACCIDENT PREVENTION AND SAFETY PROCEDURES** - update format
 - EBBA FIRST AID** - update format
 - EBBB ACCIDENT REPORTS** - update format

EBC EMERGENCY PLANS – new policy
EBCA BOMB THREATS & EXHIBITS– retire old policy & use new policy
EBCB FIRE DRILLS - update format
EBCC EMERGENCY LOCKDOWN - update format
EBCD EMERGENCY CLOSINGS – retire old policy & use new
EBD USE OF AED - update format
ECA BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS SECURITY - update format
ECA-R – BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS SECURITY REGULATIONS - new
policy
ECAA – EQUAL ACCESS - update format
ECAB VANDALISM - update format
ECAC VIDEO SURVEILLANCE – new wording & update format
ECB BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS MAINTENANCE – new policy
EDBA MAINTENANCE AND CONTROL OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS -
update format
EEA STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES - update format
EEAA WALKERS AND RIDERS - update format
EEAC SCHOOL BUS SAFETY PROGRAM - update format
EEAD SPECIAL USE OF SCHOOL BUSES - update format
EEADA USE OF PRIVATE VEHICLES - update format
EEAE VEHICLE USE POLICY - update format
EGAA PRINTING AND DUPLICATION SERVICES - update format
EI INSURANCE MANAGEMENT - update format

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