

Board Briefs

Highlights from the Board Meeting of March 20, 2014

Consent Items

Enclosure A - Minutes

Enclosure B - Financial Report

Enclosure C - Budget Amendment

Enclosure D - Trip Requests

1. RHS FBLA – During April 17-18, 2014, to attend the FBLA State Conference and Competition in Birmingham, Alabama. Request by AnnaKay Holland, sponsor.
2. RMS and RHS Percussion Ensembles – On April 17, 2014, to perform at the 25th Annual North Alabama Percussion Festival at Austin High School in Decatur, Alabama. Request by Gary McNutt, band director.
3. RHS JROTC – On April 25, 2014, to participate in Orienteering and Land Navigation Competition in Chelsea, Alabama. Request by SFC Gross, teacher.
4. Robotics Team – On May 1, 2014, to attend the Birmingham White Flag Racing Competition in Birmingham, Alabama. Request by Lee Brownell, sponsor.
5. RHS FBLA – On May 7, 2014, to tour a plant in Birmingham, Alabama. Request by AnnaKay Holland, sponsor.
6. RCS Students – On April 11, 2014, to attend the Special Olympics at Braly Stadium in Florence, Alabama. Request by Claudia Askew, Special Education Coordinator.
7. RHS Scholars' Bowl – On April 5, 2014, to compete in the UAB High School Scholars' Bowl Tournament in Birmingham, Alabama. Request by Susan DeArman, sponsor.
8. RHS Scholars' Bowl – On April 4, 2014, to compete in the Snead State Invitational in Boaz, Alabama. Request by Susan DeArman, sponsor.
9. RHS Jr. and Sr. Student Leaders – On April 2, 2014, to attend ABA Legislative Day in Montgomery, Alabama. Request by Kyle Taylor, teacher.
10. RHS Student Council – On April 15, 2014, to attend the Alabama Power 2014 Youth Leadership Conference in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Request by Mandy Swinney, sponsor.
11. RMS Scholars' Bowl – On April 4, 2014, to compete in the Tri-County Competition in Tuscumbia, Alabama. Request by Molly Bates, sponsor.

Enclosure E - Facility Use Request

1. RHS Auditorium – A funeral will be held for Rev. "C.D." Hamilton on March 22, 2014. Request by Sheryl Hamilton.

Personnel

Leave of Absence

1. Cortney Green, Third Grade Teacher, Russellville Elementary School; leave of absence from April 28–May 9, 2014.
2. Leanne James, Library Media Specialist, Russellville Elementary School; leave of absence from April 7–May 9, 2014.

Temporary Employment in Position

3. Rebecca Calvert, temporary employment as Third Grade Teacher, Russellville Elementary School; during a leave of absence for Cortney Green from April 28-May 9, 2014.
4. Katelyn Keelon, temporary employment as teacher in the library/media center, Russellville Elementary School; during a leave of absence for Leanne James from April 7-May 9, 2014.

Substitutes

5. Jenna Daniel
6. Rebecca Calvert
7. Kiefer Rea
8. Suzanne Pitt
9. Timothy Vandiver, approval pending completion of drug screening
10. Royce McAnally, approval pending completion of drug screening

The next regular meeting will be Thursday, April 24 at 3:30, and work session will be Monday, April 21 at 3:30.

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