MEETING OF BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MT. VERNON TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2013

RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Indiana Department of Education has announced that Marrs Elementary School has achieved Four Star status. Congratulations to the students, parents, and staff for a job well done!

RETIREMENTS

The Board accepted the intent to retire from Cindy Koch as a teacher assistant and from Steve Wilson as a teacher and drama coach, both effective at the end of the 2012-2013 school year.

RESIGNATIONS

The Board accepted the following resignations, all effective at the end of the 2012-2013 school year:

- Nathan Ellis teacher at the junior high school, assistant football coach high school, assistant boys' basketball coach high school
- Katie Grider teacher assistant at Marrs Elementary School
- Linda Huber high school Spanish teacher
- Paul Quinzer assistant football coach junior high 8th grade
- Michelle Wheaton teacher at West Elementary School
- Pamela Ziegler head nurse at the Junior High School

EMPLOYMENT

The Board confirmed the employment of Dustan Rubenacker as assistant football coach at the high school; and Meghann Herrenbruck as a teacher, Junenna Helt as a teacher assistant, and Susan Roby and Carol Seifert as bus drivers for the IREAD-3 Summer School Program as recommended.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE – NONPAID

The Board granted Maryanne Clowers a two year nonpaid leave of absence to obtain her master's degree from Indiana State University beginning with the 2013-2014 school year with her anticipated return to MSD of Mt. Vernon for the 2015-2016 school year.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSE TITLE CHANGES

The Board added course titles, Computer Programming I and Interactive Media, and removed course title, Business Technology Lab I, at the high school for the 2013-2014 school year as recommended.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Informational items to the Board included an ISTEP testing recap and a review of the upcoming use of iPads for Board meetings.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

Monday, June 3, 2013 at 5:45 p.m. Monday, June 17, 2013 at 5:45 p.m. Monday, July 1, 2013 at 5:45 p.m.

All meetings will be held at Mt. Vernon Jr. High School.

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

Friday, May 24, 2013 - End of year breakfast HS cafeteria Breakfast 7:30 a.m./Program 8:00 a.m. Friday, May 24, 2013 - MVHS Graduation 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 4, 2013 - Board Workshop - MVJHS 8:00 a.m.

PROPOSED REVISIONS TO POLICY 202.20 STAFF TECHNOLOGY USE

Mr. Bill Stein reviewed the proposed revisions to Policy 202.20 Staff Technology Use. The Board will consider adopting these revisions at a future meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board met in Executive Session after the regular meeting.