

February 8, 2023

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF
THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
DECATUR COUNTY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

The Board of School Trustees met in regular session on Wednesday, February 8, 2023 at South Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School, 8885 S. State Road 3, Greensburg, IN 47240.

Board President Joyce Geis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Todd Mauer was absent.

Under routine matters, on a motion made by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Cory Ross, minutes of the Reorganizational Meeting, Finance Meeting and regular meeting held January 11, 2023 were unanimously approved.

Payment of claims and payroll were ordered on a motion made by Tim Roscoe, a second by Lizette Bell and passed unanimously.

On a motion made by Lizette Bell and a second by Cory Ross the following conference and field trips were unanimously approved.

CONFERENCES

South Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School

Dawn Gasper & Ashleigh Shouse – CEC Convention & Expo
Louisville, KY - March 2-3, 2023

FIELD TRIPS

South Decatur Elementary School

6th Grade Class – Southeastern Baptist Youth Camp
May 18-19, 2023

North Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School

Travel Club – Spain
March 20-29, 2024

AP Art/Spanish – Chicago, IL
May 15, 2023

7th Grade – Kings Island – Mason, OH
May 19, 2023

On a motion made by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Matthew Hoeing, the following resignations and retirement were unanimously approved.

RESIGNATIONS

North Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School

Lynn Bryan – SPED Instructional Assistant

RETIREMENTS

South Decatur Elementary School

Lori Bierhaus – Art Teacher

On a motion made by Lizette Bell and a second by Cory Ross, the following appointments were unanimously approved.

APPOINTMENTS

North Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School

Krista Crabtree – 2nd Shift Part-Time Custodian

Ashley Sowders – SPED/Life Skills Teacher

Lauren Larson – Sub Nurse - Covering Medical Leave
February 20, 2023 - April 3, 2023

Stephanie Mankin – Instructional Assistant

Jenelle Trenkamp – Homebound Instruction
1 Student – 4hr/wk

Split between Michelle Russell

South Decatur Elementary School

Briana Imel – Lead Preschool Teacher

South Decatur Elementary & Jr.-Sr. High Schools

Richard McQuinley – Custodial Team Leader

From Delegation, Jeff Smiley spoke under the agenda topic of Donations. Mr. Smiley expressed to the Board that he, and many others in the community, are praying daily for the Board as a body and as individuals to have wisdom and knowledge and that the community wants to support the Board in any way they can.

Under new business, Dr. Jarrod Burns superintendent for Decatur County Schools, asked the Board to approve the elementary counselors applying for a DCCF grant. On a motion made by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Stephen AmRhein, the counselors applying for the grant was unanimously approved.

On a motion made by Lizette Bell and a second by Matthew Hoeing, student fundraisers were unanimously approved.

On a motion made by Stephen AmRhein and a second by Tim Roscoe, the following donations were unanimously approved:

DONATIONS

<i>Donor</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Cause</i>
<i>South Decatur Jr.-Sr. High School</i>		
Russ Hubler	\$250	Athletics
Ohio Valley AG	\$250	
Wickens Insurance Company	\$250	
Edward Jones	\$250	

The Board expressed their gratitude and made note of the generosity of these donations.

The next regular Board Meeting will be on Wednesday, March 8, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at Central Office, 2020 N. Montgomery Rd., Greensburg, IN 47240.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:05 p.m. on a motion by Matthew Hoeing and a second by Cory Ross.

Matthew Hoeing, Secretary
Board of School Trustees
Decatur County Community Schools

APPROVED BY:

