

# Behind the Green Doors – May 2023

## A PROM FAR, FAR AWAY



Seniors Carson Kuhlman and Becca Turnwald were voted as Prom King and Queen this year. The theme of prom (led by Mrs. Gamble and the Junior Class) was a space-themed Star Wars fantasy: A Prom Far, Far Away. Lock Sixteen catered the prom meal and fun was had by all who attended!

## First Grade Field Trip

The first grade recently visited Imagination Station on a field trip! The day was phenomenal! There was so much fun and learning. The hands-on approach was fabulous. Everyone enjoyed all that Imagination Station had to offer. Some of the highlights include the gravity house, water table, hurricane simulator, Grow University, live science shows, Wheel of Fire, tennis ball launcher, penny tornado drop, and Idea Room which had us creating all sorts of things! The day went by so quickly! We were complimented on our school T-Shirts and the excellent behavior of our students! What a great day!



## Jungle Jim's



Mrs. Ray's Global Foods class took a recent field trip to Cincinnati's Jungle Jim's International Food Market. They were able to take a tour of the store and pick up some food that represented different areas across the globe.

## Cancer Walk 2023

Glow Walk will be Thursday, May 11th from 6-9pm at the track. Cancer Walk is Friday, May 12th starting at 8:15 am. Survivors are encouraged to join us for our opening ceremony. Please call the high school office by Monday, May 8th if you plan to attend.

## May Events

Thursday, May 11 - Ohio Health Sports Physicals

- Glow Walk, 6-9 PM

Friday, May 12 - Cancer Walk, 8 AM - 3 PM

Tuesday, May 16 - Motivational Lottery

Sunday, May 21 - HS Graduation, 1 PM

Tuesday, May 23 - K-2 Field Day

Wednesday, May 24 - 3-5 Field Day

Thursday, May 25 - Last Day of School, 1 PM Dismissal

## Yearbook Preorders

If you have not ordered a yearbook yet, please visit [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com) and secure your copy today! Yearbooks will be handed out at the beginning of the next school year.



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## Senior Class Trip – St. Louis



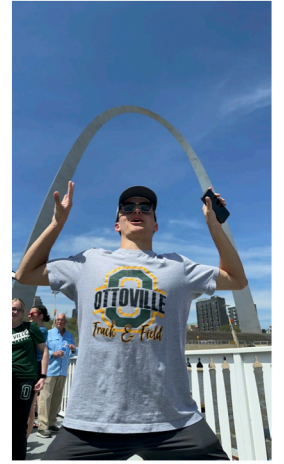
Senior girls made it to the top of The Gateway Arch!



Seniors were entertained during dinner at the Hacienda.



Having fun at Union Station (aquarium, mini-golf, ferris wheel, ropes course, mirror maze, and more)!



More fun times at the St. Louis zoo and a Mississippi riverboat ride.



Somehow, some seniors managed to gain entry into the MLS St. Louis City Soccer Club stadium!



Dippin' Dots at Six Flags (before the storm).



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## Second Grade News



Mrs. Schimmoeller's 2nd graders practice their math skills by playing "restaurant." They are adding double-digit money amounts, paying with the correct bills, and making change.



## Autism Awareness Month

Ottoville Local Schools celebrated Autism Acceptance Month. Students wore red and gold for a dress-up day. The following list of students also won an autism acceptance coloring contest (bottom photo):

- K: Ledger Klima  
1: Owen Eickholt  
2: Andrew Looser  
3: Mickenzie Wessel  
4: Mya Hamilton  
5: Jessy Hohlbein





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## APRIL BOARD MEETING SUMMARY

### A. CALL TO ORDER

President Kevin Landin called the meeting to order.

### B. ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS

Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_

### C. INTRODUCTION/WELCOME TO ALL GUESTS

Mr. Jon Thorbahn – High School Principal \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Blake Walker – Elementary Principal \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Shelley Mumaw – Technology Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Carlee Mox – Assistant Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ - Delphos Herald \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ - Teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ - Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

### D. PUBLIC COMMENTS

In order for the board to fulfill its obligation to complete the planned agenda in an effective and efficient manner, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes of public participation will be permitted at each meeting. Each person addressing the board must give his or her name and organizational affiliation, if any. Each person who wishes to address the board will be given no more than three minutes to do so. No participant may speak more than once on the same topic unless all others who wish to speak have been heard. Persons desiring more time should follow the procedure of the board to be placed on the regular agenda. The period of participation may be extended by the vote of the majority of board members present. All statements will be directed to the presiding officer; no person may address or question board members individually.

### E. TREASURER'S REPORT

1-1 Motion to approve the minutes from the Regular Board of Education meeting held March 15, 2023, and accept the March Treasurer reports which include the Monthly Cash Reconciliation, Cash Summary Report, Summary Detailed Check Register, Receipt Account Activity Report, Spending Plan Monthly Report, and Monthly Graphs Reports which were included with the board member's packets. (See Attachments) **Mrs. Bendele will need to pass based on bills paid to Ottoville Do-It Center.**

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

1-2 Motion to distribute interest earned on the Super NOW Account with Ottoville Bank from the month of March 2023 for \$57.50 as follows: \$54.23 to the General Fund, \$2.11 to the Lunch Room Fund, and \$1.16 to the Classroom Facilities Maintenance Fund. In addition, \$1.58 interest credited to Miller Scholarship Fund.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

1-3 Motion to distribute interest earned on the following CD's with Ottoville Bank:  
CD#12777 - \$623.61- (\$586.72 General Fund, \$23.16 Lunchroom Fund, \$13.73 Classroom Facilities Maintenance Fund)

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

1-4 Motion to accept or acknowledge the following donations, awards, and other receipts received throughout the month:

\$1,250.00	Burnett Family	Special Needs Program Donation
47.00	Refreshed Tech, LLC	iPads/Chromebooks Recycle
100.00	Wright State University	Student Teacher Program
3,656.50	BG Athletic Boosters	50/50 Basketball Raffles
100.00	OSBA	Spring Conference Stipend
662.25	Ohio Dept. Transportation	Motor Fuel Tax Refund
246.35	Ohio Dept. Transportation	Motor Fuel Tax Refund

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

### F. TREASURER DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Financial Audit Update

### G. SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS

2-1 Motion to issue the following certified staff supplemental contracts:

Teacher	Contract	Position/Experience
1. Kimberly Birt	1-Year Limited	Asst. Band Director/22 Years
2. Kimberly Birt	1-Year Limited	Band Flag Corp/11 Years
3. Cory Boecker	1-Year Limited	Tech Theatre Dir./15 Years
4. Anthony Castronova	1-Year Limited	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Advisor/27 Years
5. Sheryl Edelbrock	1-Year Limited	Band Flag Corp/11 Years
6. Jessica Gamble	1-Year Limited	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Advisor/2 Years
7. Jared Horstman	1-Year Limited	JH Scholastic Bowl Adv/2 Years
8. Kevin Horstman	1-Year Limited	HS Scholastic Bowl Adv/2 Years
9. Kevin Horstman	1-Year Limited	JH Boys BB Coach/22 Years
10. Kevin Horstman	1-Year Limited	Cross Country Coach/11 Years
11. Kimberly Hovest	1-Year Limited	LPDC Coordinator/27 Years
12. Shawn Knodell	1-Year Limited	JH Boys' BB Coach/3 Years
13. Shawn Knodell	1-Year Limited	JH Science Fair Advisor/4 Years
14. Ashley Koenig	1-Year Limited	20 Days Summer Band
15. Ashley Koenig	1-Year Limited	Pep Band Director/8 Years
16. Kyle Kumfer	1-Year Limited	Newsletter Coordinator/15 Years
17. Kyle Kumfer	1-Year Limited	Yearbook Advisor/12 Years
18. Kyle Kumfer	1-Year Limited	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Advisor/2 Years

19. Shelley Mumaw	1-Year Limited	Student Council Adv./30 Years
20. Mark Odenweller	1-Year Limited	Athletic Director/19 Years
21. Mark Odenweller	1-Year Limited	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Class Advisor/22 Years
22. Hannah Ray	1-Year Limited	FCCLA Advisor/3 Years
23. Karen Schaffner	1-Year Limited	NHS Advisor/1 Year
24. Jon Thorbahn	1-Year Limited	Asst. Girls BB Coach/9 Years
25. Keith Utendorf	1-Year Limited	Boys' BB Coach/10 Years
26. Keith Utendorf	1-Year Limited	Golf Coach/3 Years
27. Jeanne Wehri	1-Year Limited	HS Science Fair Adv./10 Years

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-2 Motion to issue the following non-licensed supplemental contracts:

Staff Member	Contract	Position/Experience
1. Craig Brinkman	1-Year Limited	Volunteer JH Boys' BB Coach
2. James Brown	1-Year Limited	Volunteer Golf Coach
3. Matt Eickholt	1-Year Limited	Volunteer CC Coach
4. Douglas German	1-Year Limited	Girls' Soccer Coach/5 Years
5. Emmitt German	1-Year Limited	Girls' Assistant Soccer/0 Years
6. Todd Hanneman	1-Year Limited	Strength/Conditioning/11 Years
7. Joseph Hohlbein	1-Year Limited	Vantage Bus Driver
8. Vaughn Horstman	1-Year Limited	Girls' Head BB Coach/1 Year
9. Makenna Klausung	1-Year Limited	JV Volleyball Coach/1 Year
10. Adam Koester	1-Year Limited	JV Girls BB Coach/11 Years
11. Connor Lautenhizer	1-Year Limited	Boys Asst. BB Coach/3 Years
12. Carlee Mox	1-Year Limited	Assistant EMIS/1 Year
13. Dustin Markward	1-Year Limited	Boys' Soccer Coach/5 Years
14. Kelsey Miller	1-Year Limited	EMIS Coordinator/2 Years
15. Patrick Miller	1-Year Limited	Volunteer Asst. Boys' BB Coach
16. Duane Schroeder	1-Year Limited	Pre-School Bus Driver/6 Years
17. Duane Schroeder	1-Year Limited	Spec. Ed. Bus Driver/6 Years
18. Chuck Sperry	1-Year Limited	Girls Volleyball Coach/14 Years
19. Melanie Thorbahn	1-Year Limited	Volunteer Volleyball Coach
20. Eric Wannemacher	1-Year Limited	Volunteer Boys' Soccer Coach
21. Matt Wannemacher	1-Year Limited	JH Girls BB Coach/9 Years
22. Robert Weber	1-Year Limited	Co-Assistant Golf Coach/1 Year
23. Zachary Weber	1-Year Limited	Co-Assistant Golf Coach/1 Year
24. Zachary Weber	1-Year Limited	Boys JV BB Coach/3 Years
25. Jamie Zeller	1-Year Limited	Asst Boys Soccer Coach/9 Years

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-3 Motion to approve Small World Pre-School to have their graduation in the High School Auditoria on May 18, 2023. All required forms have been completed and turned in.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-4 Motion to approve Stars by Erin to have their Dance Program in the High School Auditoria on June 4, 2023. All required forms have been completed and turned in.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-5 Motion to accept the resignation of Warren Bowery as Musical Director. Mr. Bowery has been the Director for 36 years. His last directed performance was Xanadu Jr. on March 31, 2023 – April 1, 2023.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-6 Motion to approve a one-year limited contract to Rachel Kohls as Intervention Specialist for the Cross Categorical Unit Classroom. Rachel has 11 years' experience and a Masters' degree.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-7 Motion to approve a one-year limited contract for Emily Blankmeyer as High School Science teacher. Emily has one year of experience with the school district.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-8 Motion to approve Audrey Niemeyer, Camron Niemeyer, JJ Hoersten, Alex Leis, Jackson Ricker, and Noah Landin as student custodians for the summer of 2023 and 2023-2024 school year.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_

2-9 Motion to approve the list of substitute workers for the 2022-23 school year. The substitute listing is provided to schools by the PC ESC.

Motion \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_  
Mrs. Wannemacher \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Calvelage \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Hoersten \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. Bendele \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Landin \_\_\_\_\_