

### **Opening**

Chairman Kidd called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance. Chairman Kidd opened the meeting with a moment of silence, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by Lindley Park Elementary School students.

The Board unanimously approved the meeting agenda.

### **Swearing In Ceremony**

Randolph County Commissioner Chairman Darrell Frye conducted the swearing in of newly reelected board members Mr. Gus Agudelo, Mr. Phillip Cheek, Ms. Linda Cranford, Mr. Michael Smith, and Mr. Ryan Patton.

### **Special Recognition and Presentations**

Community Partner Spotlight: Ms. Leigh Anna Marbert, Public Information Officer, recognized the Timken Foundation of Canton as this month's Community Partner. The Timken Foundation awarded a \$50,000 grant to Lindley Park Elementary School in July 2019 to fund playground improvements. The space is being transformed from a playground to an outdoor learning environment. The grant is funding a variety of enhancements including new mulch and equipment. The outdoor learning environment is to be completed during the winter holiday break.

### **Board Spotlight**

Ms. Nikia Domally, Lindley Park Elementary School Principal, presented information regarding the school's Leopards Love Literacy program.

### **Points of Pride**

Ms. Leigh Anna Marbert, Public Information Officer, provided the following points of pride:

#### **American Education Week**

During American Education Week (Nov. 18-22), we celebrated public education and honored all ACS employees who are making a difference for our students every day. From classroom teachers to custodians, bus drivers to instructional assistants – our team ensures each child receives a quality education! We made 700 gift bags filled with ACS stress balls, lanyards, bracelets, notepads, and pencils to give to each employee in Asheboro City Schools.

#### **Students Selected for North Carolina Honors Chorus**

Four ACS elementary students were selected for the North Carolina Elementary Honors Chorus, held Nov. 9-10 in Winston-Salem. Students included Ilyana Sabogal from Lindley Park Elementary School, Natalie Clements from Guy B. Teachey Elementary School, and Greidys Julian Garrido and Bryanna Sanchez Ramirez from Balfour Elementary School.

#### **ACS Promotional Video**

On Friday, Nov. 15, we debuted the ACS promotional video, *Building on the ACS Tradition of Excellence*, on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube. We are pleased with our number of engagements, views, and people reached thus far. We anticipate this number will continue to climb as our community stakeholders continue to "Like" and "Share" the video. We also showed it during our Instructional Facilitators meeting and Administrative Leadership Team meeting.

#### **2019 Superintendent's Holiday Card Contest**

We wish to congratulate Ms. Zian Williamson, fifth-grade student from Guy B. Teachey Elementary School, on winning the 2019 Superintendent's Holiday Card Contest. Her original artwork was framed and presented to her.

#### **Email and Calendar Migration Success**

We successfully migrated to Gmail/G Suite over the Thanksgiving holiday.

#### **Congressman Mark Walker Visits to Give Community Hero Award**

We were pleased to host United States Congressman Mark Walker on Tuesday, Nov. 26, at Asheboro High School. Congressman Walker presented Kyosha Lowery with the Community Hero Award! Kyosha was recognized with this esteemed honor for all her work with the Give Back Project and Leach Helping Hands.

#### **Thanks to our "Principals" for a Day**

We'd like to extend a special thanks to our partners who participated in the Principal for a Day program. We enjoyed hosting Maj. Lucy Viera from the Salvation Army at Asheboro High School, Mr. Trevor Nuttall from the City of Asheboro at Balfour Elementary School, Ms. Melissa Pennington from PhaseChange at Charles W. McCrary Elementary School, Mr. C.J. Macon from Pinnacle Bank at our five-star, nationally-accredited Early Childhood Development Center, and District Court Judge Sarah Lanier at Lindley Park Elementary School.



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Dr. Aaron M. Woody  
Superintendent

**Superintendent's Holiday Card Contest Recognition** – Dr. Aaron Woody, Superintendent, recognized Guy B. Teachey Elementary School student Zian Williams for her artwork submission which was selected as the winner of the Superintendent's Holiday Card Contest..

**Presentation of Academic Growth Awards** – Dr. Aaron Woody, Superintendent, recognized the following principals whose schools meet or exceeded expected academic growth during the 2018-2019 school year: Dr. Penny Crooks, Asheboro High School; Ms. Ann Evans, Guy B. Teachey Elementary School; Ms. Nikia Domally, Lindley Park Elementary School; Ms. Julie Brady, C.W. McCrary Elementary School; Ms. Chris Tuft, Balfour Elementary School; Ms. Lisa Hayes, Donna Lee Loflin Elementary School; and Ms. Candace Call, North Asheboro Middle School.

**2019 Asheboro City Schools Exceptional Education Teacher of Excellence** – Mr. Ray Horton, Interim Director of Exceptional Education introduced the 2019 Exceptional Education Teacher of Excellence Ms. Lisa Hayes from Teachey Elementary School. Ms. Hayes represented our district in the statewide competition during the 2019 Exceptional Education Conference in Greensboro.

#### **Public Comments**

There were no requests to address the board.

#### **Consent Agenda**

The following items under the Consent Agenda were approved:

- A. Approval of Minutes – November 14, 2019
- B. Policies Recommended for Approval:
  - Policy 4705/7825 – Confidentiality of Personal Identifying Information
  - Policy 7260 – Occupational Exposure to Bloodborne Pathogens
  - Policy 7815 – Evaluation of Non-Licensed Employees
  - Policy 8340 – Insurance
- C. Resolution Regarding Fines and Forfeitures
- D. Budget Transfer Report
- E. The appointment of Mr. Chris Yow to the Randolph Community College Board of Trustees. Mr. Yow will complete the term left vacant from the death of Mr. Curt Lorimer.
- F. Personnel – See the list included at the end of these minutes.

#### **Information, Reports and Recommendations**

- A. Policies recommended for 30-day review were presented by Dr. Drew Maerz.
  - Policy 1310/4002 – Parental Involvement
  - Policy 2010 – Board and Superintendent Relations
  - Policy 3221 – Student Information Acceptable Use – Removal
  - Policy 4400 – Attendance
  - Policy 4700 – Student Records
  - Policy 6420 – Contracts With The Board
- B. Asheboro High School Construction Update – Mr. Ed Keller, Director of Facilities and Maintenance, gave an update on the Asheboro High School construction project as well as other projects district-wide.
- C. LetterLand Informational Session – Ms. Caroline Rush, Instructional Facilitator, Lindley Park Elementary School, gave an informational presentation regarding the LetterLand program used in all K-3 classrooms.
- D. Teacher Attrition and Recruitment – Ms. Carla Freemyer, Executive Director of Human Resources, presented the 2018-2019 attrition and recruitment report.

#### **Action Items**

- A. Budget 2019-2020 – Ms. Sandra Spivey, Finance Director, presented the 2019-2020 budget and it was approved as presented.

#### **Superintendent's Report / Calendar of Events**

- A. Dr. Aaron Woody, Superintendent, gave a brief update on the Strategic Plan goals.

#### **Board Operations**

- A. Ms. Gidget Kidd was unanimously reelected as Chairman of the Asheboro City Board of Education for 2020. Mr. Phillip Cheek was unanimously reelected as Vice Chairman of the Asheboro City Board of Education for 2020.
- B. Ms. Gidget Kidd, Chairman, reminded the group of upcoming events.

#### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



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**Asheboro City Schools  
Personnel Transactions - ADDENDUM  
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**\*A. RESIGNATIONS/RETIREMENTS/SEPARATIONS**

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Lovell	Carla	ECDC	After School Program Assistant	12/20/2019

**\*B. APPOINTMENTS**

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Buffong	Faith	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	12/13/2019
Everett	Shinette	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	12/13/2019
King	Rachel	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	12/13/2019
Mayrant	Janine	CO	Substitute (\$85 per day)	12/13/2019
Watson	Sarah	AHS	English (part-time; temporary)	1/21/2020

**\*C. ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS**

LAST	FIRST	SCHOOL	SUBJECT	EFFECTIVE
Dillion	Jonathan	LP	Interim Assistant Principal	01/02/2020 - 6/30/2020

**D. TRANSFERS**

Groseclose	Graham	CWM/LP to CWM	Assistant Principal	1/2/2020
Harris	Robin	CO to NAMS	Federal Programs Director to Assistant Principal	1/2/2020