

UNICOI BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR SESSION
OCTOBER 13, 2011

The Unicoi Board of Education met in Regular Session on Thursday, October 13, 2011 at the Central Office at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by chairman, Renea Jones Rogers. The invocation was given by Bo Shadden and the Pledge to the American Flag was led by Rick Butler.

Board Members present: Rick Butler, Victor Price, Renea Jones Rogers, Bo Shadden and Judy Webb. Absent: Garland Evely

A motion was made by Mr. Butler, seconded by Mrs. Webb and unanimously passed to approve the Agenda and Consent Agenda with additions: 1) UCHS Girls and Boys Basketball trips; 2) Approve the UCMS and UCHS Basketball Schedules for 2011-2012.

Donations of \$47.00; \$50.00 from NFS employees for the Adopt-A-School Program
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Recommended Bills for Payment

- 1) UCHS Girls Basketball for Team Tournament to Grainger Co. from Nov. 25-26, 2011
UCHS Boys Basketball for Team Tournament to Lebanon, TN from Dec. 26-29, 2011

Mr. Bruce Tolley, Technology Supervisor, reported on our district using an electronic teacher observation system called TOPS. Principals use their tablet computers to electronically complete observations. Only three districts in the state, including our district, have been set up to use this program. Director Brown and the Board commended Mr. Tolley on what an excellent job he does.

A motion was made by Mrs. Webb, seconded by Mr. Butler and unanimously passed to approve awarding bid for computer parts to PCS for \$649.00 per unit. There were no other bids.

A motion was made by Mr. Butler, seconded by Dr. Shadden and unanimously passed to approve the Discipline Hearing Board for 2011-2012: Chris Bogart-Chairman, Tommy Clouse, Debra Lane, Shelia Oliver and James Pate.

2) A motion was made by Mr. Price, seconded by Mrs. Webb and unanimously passed to approve UCHS and UCMS Girls and Boys Basketball Schedules for 2011-2012.

Director Brown reported on the Items of Information:

ESEA-NCLB Consolidated Program

PERSONNEL ITEMS: Personnel Elected and Placed

Paula Edwards as Substitute Teacher (9-22-11)

Chris Godsey as substitute Bus Driver (9-6-11)

Forrest Hall in leave position for Nancy Allen at Unicoi Elementary
Robert Higgins as substitute Custodian (9-20-11)
Michelle Lamb as Substitute Teacher (9-22-11)
Megan Masch as Substitute Teacher (9-15-11)
Serena Milan as Substitute Teacher (9-20-11)
Mark Morgan as substitute Food Service and substitute Bus Driver (9-9-11)
Candace Sullins as Substitute Teacher (9-9-11)

LEAVE REQUEST:

Nancy Allen from October 10 to May 19, 2012

RESIGNATIONS:

Kathryn Dorak as Speech Language Teacher effective 9-27-11

MEETINGS:

The Board will attend the TSBA Convention in Nashville on November 12-15
Work Session/Finance Meeting will be on Monday, November 7th at 5:00 p.m.
Regular Board Meeting will be on Thursday, November 10th at 6:00 p.m.