

## **Lapeer Community Schools Board Action Briefs**

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## **Board of Education Meeting Thursday, November 3, 2016**

The following Lynch Students led the Board and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance: Emma Ernst, Evan Hornback, and Morgan Wilcox.

Ryan West, Principal of Lynch Elementary, along with teachers Cori Lomerson, Nicole Schons, and Jennifer Rondy reviewed how they are working to meet the four District Goals. Students Emma Ernst, Evan Hornback, and Morgan Wilcox helped. Literacy Coaches Kasie Allen and Amber Weidinger presented information on Reading Recovery.

Information was also presented on how Lynch Staff is using differentiated instruction with a focus on becoming a Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) School. Teachers are keeping students actively engaged using purposeful planning across the curriculum, and focusing on real world problems and inquiry based teaching.

Wendy Byard reported on the Teaching, Learning, and Technology Committee Meeting held on October 24, 2016 when changes to iConnect were discussed.

Mike Nolan reported on the Personnel Committee Meeting held on October 31, 2016 when the following items were discussed: Negotiations, Update on Teacher/Principal Evaluation, Superintendent Evaluation, and Superintendent Evaluation Timeline.

The Board approved the following items:

- Minutes from the October 6, 2016 Board Meeting and October 20 Work Session.
- Change December 1, 2016 Meeting Date to December 8, 2016.
- Scheduled a Special Meeting for November 17, 2016 at 6:45 PM

Board members thanked Mr. West and the Lynch Staff and students for their presentation.

Congratulations to Coach Smith and the Varsity Football Team on a another great season and for representing Lapeer in such a positive way. Congratulations also went out to all the fall sports teams.

Board members thanked the people that addressed the Board during "public comment" for sharing their thoughts.

Board members also reminded everyone to vote on November 8.

Superintendent Matt Wandrie thanked Mr. West and Lynch staff and students for their presentation.

He reminded everyone that the Alumni Hall of Honor Induction Ceremony is Sunday, November 6, at 2 PM in the Board room. He congratulated this year's nominees: Rick Burrough (Class of 1982), Connie Helmich Pfieffer (Class of 1965), and Gary Phillips (Class of 1986).

Mr. Wandrie explained that we have had several students lose their parents since school started this fall, along with the death of children of employees. He requested everyone present to keep the students and employees, along with their families, in their thoughts.