

**KANKAKEE VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION
BOARD AGENDA – November 8, 2021
6:00 PM School Board Meeting**

NOTE: Board Members have received data in advance regarding items listed on this agenda.

1. Call to Order by Board President, Silent Meditation, and Pledge of Allegiance.
2. Reading of the Kankakee Valley School Corporation (KVSC) Mission Statement.
3. Students of the Month

Colleen Grafton	Business/FACS
William Buskey	CTE Human Services
Brooklyn Musch	Fine Arts
Ava Pearson	Foreign Language
Lily Jones	Health/Physical Education
Chloe Boer	Language Arts
Sarah Biedron	Mathematics
Kaylin Curtis	Science
Danin Richardson	Social Studies
Brayden Kollada	Technology

4. Public Participation at Board Meetings

- Patrons must be recognized by the presiding officer and will be requested to preface their comments by an announcement of their name.
- Each statement will be limited to three (3) minutes in duration.
- All statements shall be directed to the presiding officer; no person may address or question Board members individually or speak about specific personnel.

5. Public Hearing on Superintendent’s Contract

The Kankakee Valley Board of Education will conduct a public hearing on the proposed published contract for the Superintendent, in accordance with Indiana Code.

6. Approval of the Minutes and Claims

- A. Motion: “to approve the minutes of the regular meeting and the Executive Session on October 19, 2021.”
- B. Motion: “to approve the Corporation Claims in the amount of \$1,455,023.80 and the Cafeteria Claims in the amount of \$105,692.61.”

7. Report Item

A. Second Reading of NEOLA policy updates.

1422	Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity
1422.02	Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee
1623	Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Disability Discrimination in Employment
1662	Nondiscrimination and Anti-Harassment

REPORT ITEM (CONT)

2260	Nondiscrimination and Access to Equal Educational Opportunity
3122	Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity
3122.02	Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee
3123	Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Disability Discrimination in Employment
3362	Anti-Harassment
4122	Nondiscrimination and Equal Employment Opportunity
4122.02	Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee
4123	Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Disability Discrimination in Employment
4362	Anti-Harassment
5517	Anti-Harassment
0112	Purpose
1220	Employment of the Superintendent
2240	Controversial Issues
2260.01	Section 504/ADA Prohibition Against Discrimination Based on Disability
3120	Employment of Professional Staff
4120	Employment of Professional Staff
4430	Leaves of Absence
5410	Promotion, Placement, and Retention
6250	Required ADM Counts for the Purpose of State Funding and Verification of Residency for Membership
7440.01	Electronic Monitoring and Recording
7450	Property Inventory
7455	Accounting System for Capital Assets
7530.02	Staff Use of Personal Communication Devices
8500	Food Service Program
8510	Wellness
8606	Bus Drivers and Cellular Telephone Use
0164.4	Meeting of the Board Defined
0164.5	Member Participation in Meetings through Electronic Means of Communication
0164.6	Meetings During Declared Disaster Emergencies
0167.1	Voting

B. Covid-19 Updates

8. Employment Action Items

A. Retirements (1)

- 1.) "Susan Christopher, Kankakee Valley High School (KVHS) Food Service Worker, effective December 24, 2021."

B. Resignations (5)

- 1.) "Amber Justice, Kankakee Valley Intermediate School (KVIS) Custodian, effective October 28, 2021."
- 2.) "Whitney Coldiron, Kankakee Valley Middle School (KVMS) Counselor, effective November 10, 2021."
- 3.) "Amanda Goggans, DeMotte Elementary School (DES) Instructional Aide, effective November 2, 2021."

RESIGNATIONS (CONT)

- 4.) "Shawnee Erway, Bus Driver, effective November 30, 2021."
- 5.) "Kara Short, KVMS Bookkeeper, effective November 12, 2021."

C. Leaves (2)

- 1.) "Crystal Berg, KVHS Science Teacher, effective March 28-May 26, 2022."
- 2.) "Sheila Jabaay, Bus Driver, effective November 9, 2021-January 18, 2022."

D. Extracurricular (8)

"The following extracurricular recommendations for the 2021/2022 school year."

Carley DeKock	Girls Freshman Basketball Coach, due to a resignation
Aubrey VanMeter	8 th Grade Girls Basketball Coach, renewal
Michael Clark	7 th Grade Girls Basketball Coach, due to resignation
David DeFries	6 th Grade Girls Basketball Coach, renewal
Zachary Waters	KVMS Wrestling Coach, due to resignation
Danielle DeFries	KVMS Girls Swimming Coach, renewal
William Oates	KVMS Boys Swimming Coach, renewal
Brian Culbreth	KVMS Wrestling Coach, renewal

The KVSC Board of Education received Mr. Lane Lewallen’s resignation as KVHS Girls’ Varsity Cross Country Head Coach and they appreciate his 15 years of service to the program.

E. Employment

Certified (1)

- 1.) "Shelley Stonecipher as KVMS School Counselor effective November 12, 2021, and pending receipt of additional information. Ms. Stonecipher will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."

Classified (9)

- 1.) "Dawn Zubrenic as a Bus Driver effective November 30, 2021. Ms. Zubrenic will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."
- 2.) "Johni Corning as a Bus Aide effective November 9, 2021. Ms. Corning will be filling a vacancy due to a transfer within the district."
- 3.) "Amanda Gallagher as Bus Driver effective November 9, 2021. Ms. Gallagher will be filling a vacancy due to a transfer within the district."
- 4.) "Ethan Hugar as KVHS Janitor effective November 9, 2021. Mr. Hugar will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."
- 5.) "Jose Rodriguez as KVIS Sweeper effective November 9, 2021. Mr. Rodriguez will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."
- 6.) "Melissa Matthews as DES Sweeper effective November 9, 2021. Ms. Matthews will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."

CLASSIFIED (CONT)

- 7.) "Taryn Lynn as KVMS Sweeper effective November 19, 2021. Ms. Lynn will be filling a vacancy due to a resignation."
- 8.) "Maria Scally as KVIS Sweeper effective November 9, 2021. Ms. Scally will be filling a vacancy due to a transfer."
- 9.) "Samuel Sanders as KVHS Athletic Custodian effective March 1, 2022. Mr. Sanders will be filling a new position."

9. Old Business

10. New Business

- A. Motion: "to approve the KVSC School Board meeting dates for the 2022 calendar year."
- B. Motion: "to approve the salary and stipend recommendations of the Speech-Language Pathologists for the 2021-2022 school year, per attachment."
- C. Motion: "to approve the salaries of the Administrators and Directors for the 2021-2022 school year, per attachment."
- D. Motion: "to approve Resolution 2021-11, A Resolution Initiating An Amended and Restated Plan of Organization Changing Governing Body Composition and Manner of Election."
- E. Motion: "to approve amended insurance settlements and qualified assignment and release agreements in relation to tort claim notices received on April 20, April 21, and April 22, 2021."
- F. Motion: "to approve the WES and KVMS BAS (Building Automation System) system software upgrade for the HVAC system by proceeding with a 3-year contract with Precision Control Systems Inc. for \$6,890.00."
- G. Motion: "to approve the NEOLA policy updates as listed in the Report Items."
- H. Motion: "to approve the recommendation for ESSER funds to be used for teacher and aide stipends as well as bus driver costs for the ELL after-school program, Apoyo y Desarrollo."
- I. Motion: "to approve the recommendation for a 3-year service agreement with Buckeye Power Sales for the generator maintenance of the district in the amount of \$4,940.00 billed annually."
- J. Motion: "to approve the request for a credit card in the name of Kankakee Valley School Corporation Food Service Department from DeMotte State Bank for purchases on the Kankakee Valley School Corporation Food Service Department account."
- K. Other items as deemed necessary

11. Routine Items

- A. Field Trips

ROUTINE ITEMS (CONT)

B. Use of School Facilities (1)

- 1.) First Reformed Church of DeMotte
First Hoops Basketball
Noah Felten, Sponsor
DES gym, cafeteria, parking lots, hallway
January 8-March 12, 2022/Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat.
(pending receipt of additional paperwork to continue past January 31, 2022)

C. Professional Leaves (8)

- 1.) Tom Sparks, Inga Dainton, and Isaac Taylor
Hoosier Association of Science Teachers
Indianapolis, IN
February 14-15, 2022
- 2.) John Gray
National Athletic Director's Conference
Denver, CO
December 10-14, 2021
- 3.) Chris Fields
IASP Principal Conference and Assistant Principal of The Year (APOTY) Recognition
Indianapolis, IN
November 21-22, 2021
- 4.) Tiffany Bell
High Ability IAG Conference
Indianapolis, IN
December 6-7, 2021
- 5.) Tim Adams
State Cross Country Finals
Terre Haute, IN
October 29-30, 2021
- 6.) Bridget Helms
Indiana School Counselor Association State Conference (ISCA)
Indianapolis, IN
November 11-12, 2021

12. Future Business

13. Transfers

- A. Crystal Miller from KVIS afternoon Sweeper to KVIS Day Matron, effective October 25, 2021.
- B. Sabrina Kooistra from KVIS RTI Aide to KVMS Athletic Secretary/Treasurer, effective November 12, 2021.

14. Communications

- A. Wheatfield Elementary School (WES) received the Jasper County Retired Teacher's Grant for \$150. These funds will be used to purchase equipment to set up a video studio with a green screen. Students will be able to create short, informative video presentations using technology features to add fun, interactive backgrounds.
- B. KVHS Boys' Football received an Exemplary Behavior Report for their outstanding sportsmanship displayed at the game on October 21, 2021.
- C. Congratulations to the Clay Target League on their improvement this season. They went from 84.5 points their first week to 173.5 their last week. They are coming together as a team, adhering to firearm safety, and respecting the rules of the range.

15. Adjournment

16. Public Work Session immediately after the meeting.

17. Executive Session at 6:30 p.m.