

Dakota Christian School

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Dakota Christian School Board Minutes August 8, 2022, 7:30pm

- I. Devin opened with devotions and prayer
- II. Roll Call showed Jeremy Boer, Curtis Sybesma (exiting board member), Denise VanderPol (exiting board member), Aaron Timmermans, Devin DeLange, Mitch VanderPol, Cassie Erickson, Rudy Niewenhuis, Mitch Munneke, Paul Baas, Anthony DeHaan. Kirsti Muckey absent with notification.
- III. Motion made and supported to accept the June minutes
- IV. Correspondence
- V. Elect officers and Committees
 - a) Elected officers
 - i. President - Rudy Niewenhuis
 - ii. Vice President - Aaron Timmermans
 - iii. Secretary - Cassie Erickson
 - iv. Treasurer - Kirsti Muckey
 - v. Vicar - Devin Delange
 - b) Committees
 - i. Finance - Kirsti Muckey, Rudy Niewenhuis, Anthony DeHaan
 - ii. Education - Paul Baas, Aaron Timmermans
 - iii. Building and Grounds - Devin DeLange, Mitch VanderPol, Mitch Munneke
 - iv. Promotion - Cassie Erickson, Paul Baas
 - v. Transportation - Mitch VanderPol, Mitch Munneke, Devin Delange
 - vi. Co-op - Cassie Erickson, Kirsti Muckey
 - vii. Crisis Management - Miss Leininger, Mr. Peters, Aaron Timmermans
- VI. Committee Reports and Business
 - a) Finance
 - i. Motion supported to pay bills
 - ii. Noted that trash pickup price increased from \$11 to \$12
 - iii. Financial documents were reviewed
 - iv. Reviewed 2021-2022
 - b) Education
 - i. New Teacher Joanna Engels hired for Band/Vocal. Open house held for 5th grade student to help select an instrument.
 - ii. Scheduling Update
 - I. Bell schedule will be adjusted to the “Chapel Schedule” everyday, instead of two days a week. This open 25 minutes will be used to provide extra help for students when chapel is not being held.
 - II. Schedules were adjusted to allow Mrs. DeHaan and Mrs. Masur time to help with the larger class sized in the elementary.
 - c) Building and Grounds

- i. Thank you to Wilmer N. and Leon S. for putting the AC units back together
 - ii. Alarm system passed the annual review. Updates/repairs are still needed.
 - iii. Sound system is installed and working. Operational training to be done with a few students and adults.
 - iv. Summer painting was completed in the elementary CPU lab, 2 west classrooms, resource room, and west office. Thanks to board members and community members for helping move furniture.
 - v. An Insurance claim was made due to the hail damage to the school building during a storm in May. Building and Grounds will decide which repairs are necessary.
 - vi. Supplies to replace the bleacher seats have been ordered and hope to be installed in October.
- d) Promotion
- i. New Students
 - 1. Dakota Christian will be welcoming 5 new families this school year. Dakota Christian t-shirts will be ordered for each new student.
- e) Transportation
- i. Red van has been titled and plated
- f) Co-op
- i. Contracts
 - 1. Motion made and supported to extend a contract to Barry DeHaan for assistant Football coach. Motion passed.
 - 2. Motion made and supported to extend a contract to Shane Niewenhuis for head girls basketball coach. Motion passed.
 - 3. Motion made and supported to extend a contract to Ben Kroese for assistant girls basketball coach. Motion passed.
 - 4. Motion made and supported to extend a contract to Jeremy Boer for head golf coach. Motion passed.
 - 5. Motion made and supported to extend a contract to Jeremy Boer for assistant AD. Motion passed.
 - ii. Reviewed Co-op August meeting minutes
 - iii. Openings
 - 1. Head wrestling
 - 2. Assistant gold

VII. Principal's report was given for information

VIII. Old Business

- a) Motion made and supported to remove temperature checks in the morning. Motion passed.
- b) Kim Z chapel coordinator for grades 3rd - 12th
 - i. Motion made and supported to amend previous contract to \$1,500. Motion passed.
- c) Motion made and supported to amend chapel coordinator (K-12) stipend in policy #318 to \$2000. Motion passed.
- d) Graduation will be held on a Saturday afternoon this year

IX. New Business

- a) Enrollment update - 120 students in pre-kindergarten - 12th
- b) Burke/Bonesteel conversation
 - i. Burke/Bonesteel area showed interest in Dakota Christian. Due to distance, attendance at our building would be difficult. Discussed having a sister school vs helping them set up their own Christian school.
- c) Motion made and supported to approve the meeting dates as shown below.

- d) Policy 417-421 reviewed with some revisions made to policy 421.
- X. School Visitors
 - a) No report from last month
 - b) Cassie Erickson for month of August
- XI. Executive session (none)
- XII. Rudy N closed with prayer.

School Board Meeting Dates

- Sep. 12, 2022
- Oct. 10, 2022
- Nov. 14, 2022
- Dec. 12, 2022
- Jan. 9, 2023
- Feb. 13, 2023
- Mar. 13, 2023
- Apr. 10, 2023
- May 8, 2023
- June 12, 2023
- July 10, 2023

DCS Financial Report

General Fund Checking Acct Report for May

Balance 5/01/22		\$ 42,856.98
Deposits	\$ 115,843.01	
Withdrawals	<u>\$ 123,330.87</u>	
Closing Balance 5/31/22		\$ 35,369.12

Monthly Church Ministry Offerings

Monthly Budget Goal		\$ 14,000.00
Funds received in May		\$ 12,248.25

Budget Goal for Church Ministry Offerings

Yearly Budget Goal		\$ 150,000.00
Funds received as of 5/31/22		\$ 116,712.89
Balance needed by 7/31/22		\$ 33,287.11