

OCTOBER 2022 DINWIDDIE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD BULLETIN



The Board Bulletin provides important information about the work of the Dinwiddie County School Board. Following each meeting, the Board Bulletin is a source for details on Board actions and items of interest to Dinwiddie students, staff, and residents.



RECOGNITION



VSBA MASTER BOARD RECOGNITION

The Dinwiddie County School Board members earned the designation of a VSBA Master Board. The board attended four sessions totaling over (25) hours of professional development July 2022–October 2022. The sessions focused on team building, improving communication, listening, and board building behaviors.

PERSONNEL REPORT

Congratulations to the following individuals on their new positions:

Dinwiddie Elementary School

- Marian Gilchrist- Autism Paraprofessional

Southside Elementary School

- Amanda Tudor- Paraprofessional

Dinwiddie Middle School

- Caleigh Lee- English Teacher
- Sheldon Gholson- Health & PE Teacher
- Allison Potts- Health & PE Teacher

Dinwiddie High School

- Archie Tortorice- Student Activities Director

Transportation

- Brittany Powers- FT Bus Driver

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CONSENT AGENDA

Expenditure Reports

The expenditure reports was presented and approved.

Approval of Minutes of August 9 and 30, 2022

The minutes from the previous board meeting were approved.

BOARD MATTERS

Field Trips

The School Board approved the following field trips:

- DHS- Ashland Berry Farm
- DHS- Longwood University Field Trip

Course Opportunities & Career Readiness Programming

Carly Woodfolk shared details about upcoming course opportunities and the future of career readiness programming.

FY 24 Budget Calendar

Christie Fleming shared the upcoming key dates pertaining to the budget calendar.

Retention & Attraction Bonus Revision

Details were shared about the upcoming bonus for all DCPS employees. The first bonus distribution will take place October 14.

Recruitment and Attraction Bonus for Substitutes

Emily Branch shared information pertaining to a recruitment and attraction bonus for subs.

VPSA Reimbursement Resolution No. VPSA 22-23

Tim Ampy presented on the reimbursement resolution. Funds support school divisions to improve the SOL's instructional, remedial, and testing capabilities in local school divisions.

Incline Platform Lifts(3)- Dinwiddie Middle School

Jeff Walters shared information on the replacement of outdated incline lifts and the projected timeframe of installation.

2022-2023 Calendar Update



** (2) Extra Days Added To The Thanksgiving Holiday Break

SUPERINTENDENTS MATTERS

Student Success and Accreditation

Dr. Clay presented on the success of our students.

Capital Projects Update

Jeff Walters presented an overview of completed projects, upcoming projects, and future proposals.

Twice-A-Month Pay -1st Reading

Christie Fleming shared the results of a survey given. The recommendation was made to remain with once a month pay.

Homeschooling/Religious Exemption Report

C. Michelle Powell presented an update on homeschool and religious exemption in the county.

ADDITIONAL RECOGNITIONS

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

19 employees were honored on Tuesday, October 11th for achieving perfect attendance during the 21-22 school year.



PERFECT ATTENDANCE HONOREES

Becky Trammell-DMS
Bobbie Jordan-Transportation
Brandy Perkinson-Transportation
Cheryl Pulley-Transportation
Dawn Kelly-DMS
Deborah Johnson-DES
Donna Chambers-Transportation
Heather Purcell-DES
Karen Hamilton-Transportation
Leasia Dix-Transportation
Linda Parham-Transportation
Sharon Griffin-Nutrition
Shawn Gholson-DHS
Tammy Cliborne-Transportation
Tammy Gholson-DHS
Tasha Reid-Nutrition
Wanda Short-Transportation
William Snediker-Nutrition
Winston Bland-Transportation