



Central Noble Board of Education Meeting
March 17, 2025
5:00pm
Central Noble Jr/Sr High
302 Cougar Court, Albion

MINUTES

The Central Noble Community School Corporation Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, March 17 at Central Noble Jr/Sr High.

Those in attendance were as follows: Robby Morgan, Brian Geiger, Tyler Schuller, Amanda Lock and Jared Knipper. Jason Schoeff joined virtually. Kim Baumgartner and Jamie Howard along with members of the Administration team were also present. No one was present from the media.

Amanda Lock called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

With no public comment, the meeting began with a Special Presentation from CN Jr/Sr High.

Laura Scott and Jennifer Cain provided details on the new graduation requirements as well as the efforts of the student services (guidance) department. Mrs. Scott provided an overview on Ivy Tech dual credit discussions and the additional opportunities in the works. She noted that of the 4 pathways 2 are high value and 2 are moderate value in terms of CTE reimbursement. She also provided information on their partnership with Region 8 for career discovery courses and are also working on hosting a hiring fair.

The meeting then moved to Consent Items.

Mr. Schuller moved, seconded by Mr. Knipper to approve the following consent items:

- A. Approval of Minutes from the February 17th Regular Session Board Meeting
- B. Approval of the February 10th and 25th Payroll and Claims from February 18th through March 17th.
- C. Personnel
 - a. Acceptance of Resignation of:
 - i. Tyler Osenbaugh, Business Manager
 - ii. Abby Hess, 5th Grade Teacher
 - b. Acceptance of Reassignment of:
 - i. Kimberly Baumgartner as Business Manager
 - ii. Jamie Howard as Corporation Treasurer
 - c. Recommendation to Hire:
 - i. Ashley Weaver as Part-Time Child Care Worker
 - ii. Alex Baierle as Varsity Boys Soccer Head Coach

It was also noted that Mr. Morgan approved Todd Freeman as Varsity Golf Volunteer Coach.

The motion passed, 5-0

The meeting then moved to Action Items.

Mr. Geiger moved, seconded by Mr. Knipper to approve the Recommendation to Approve the 2026-2027 School Calendar.

The motion passed, 5-0

Mr. Schuller moved, seconded by Mr. Knipper to approve the Recommendation to Approve Deeming Items Obsolete.

The motion passed, 5-0

With no further business, the meeting moved to Superintendent comments:

Mr. Morgan noted that he will host a public meeting regarding the proposed referendum on April 2 in the Auditorium and that the page on our website with FAQ's will be live anytime. He also gave updates on current Senate Bills noting estimated losses of \$160,000 in 2026, \$320,000 in 2027 and then \$444,000 in 2028. The other in question would require the increase to starting teacher pay to \$45,000 and the district currently has 25 teachers under that threshold. He noted that the executive order on paid maternity/paternity leave is also a part of the bill and would require the district to pay teachers for 6-8 weeks.

Mr. Targgart noted that iRead completed with 2nd grade slightly over performing the state average and that those at-risk or on track will retest later this Spring. He also noted he currently has 69 incoming Kindergarten students after Kindergarten Round-Up.

Dr. Younghans noted their 75% iRead pass rate and with 2 more chances to test he believes we should be well over 80%. He shared that National Archery competition is May 8 in Louisville and that most of March and April are spent on testing which is a lot for students.

Mrs. Vice and Mr. Mannan shared that the Jr/Sr High had 4 students in the County civics bee with 1 advancing on. They also note that the FFA hosted the District III leadership event this past Friday with 100 volunteers and over 200 students present in the building. They also shared on their March Madness behavior incentive program.

Mr. Bremer noted the break in athletics has been welcomed. Track and Softball are starting up now and Spring sports will be underway.

With no further business or comments, the meeting was adjourned at 5:54 p.m. followed by the signing of documents.

Jason Schoeff

Tyler Schuller

Amanda Lock

Brian Geiger

Jared Knipper