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Hello Warren County R-III Families,

Below is information from the February 11, 2021 Warren County R-III School Board meeting.

Retirement

Please join me in congratulating Patty Alonzo on her retirement at the end of the 20-21 school year. Mrs. Alonzo served the children of the Warren County R-III School District for 27 years. Thank you Mrs. Alonzo!



New Hires

Congratulations and welcome Lonny Bartz as a new evening custodian.

Recognitions

School Board recognition week is February 14-20. This month we recognized the Warren County R-III School Board for their dedication to the students in the Warren County R-III School District. Thank you School Board for volunteering to serve our children!

Contracts and Agreements

The Warren County R-III Board of Education approved contracts and agreements for:

- · E-Rate vendors
- Occupational therapist, physical therapists, and speech therapists
- Additional licenses for Canvas for elementary students for the 2021-22 school year
- A Memorandum of Understanding with the Warren County Health Department
- An agreement with SpyGlass to analyze spending for the district telecommunication services.

All contracts and agreements can be found in BoardDocs. Here is a link.

Policy Approvals

The Warren County R-III School Board approved the removal of some outdated forms. Also, the board of education approved updating our policy on facility usage. To see a full list of policies please navigate to BoardDocs. Here is a link.

New Business

The Warren County School District has been awarded a grant that will cover the cost of the Monday Care Day Program for the remainder of the 2020-21 through the end of the 22-23 school year. The Warren County R-III Board of Education approved the implementation of this grant. This now allows Monday Care Days to be free to all students through the end of the 22-23 school year.

Warren County has distributed \$209,237 in CARES Act funding to the school district. The school district has spent approximately \$177,000 in COVID related expenses in the technology and custodial/maintenance department so far for this year. The Warren County R-III School Board approved allocating half of the funds to the custodial/maintenance budget and the other half to the the technology budget.

The federal stimulus package that was approved in December of 2020 allocates \$2,164,471 to the Warren County R-III School District. The Warren County R-III School Board has approved allocating \$1,320,000 toward heating, ventilation, and air conditioning for Daniel Boone Elementary and Warrenton High School. Allocations for the remaining funds we will be determined at a later date.

Due to budget cuts, our director of communication is no longer with the district. We appreciate Mr. Stahlhut's service to the Warren County R-III School District and wish him well on his new adventure. Mr. Stahlhut would normally send you the board notes after each meeting. I will now be sending these out to you after each regular meeting.

Gregg Klinginsmith

Superintendent of Schools

Warren County R-III School District

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