- Celebrating Student Achievement
- Increasing Student Achievement



Highlights from the Board of Education meeting: January 19, 2017

# BoardReport



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- Sandy Coroles Superintendent
- Zane K. Woolstenhulme Business Administrator

#### Mission

Maximizing educational opportunities for *all* students, in a safe, nurturing environment.



#### **Celebrating Student Achievement:**

"Great Things Happening Report" – Ben Lomond High School (BLHS) Cheer Squad. Shara Gooda, Ben Lomond High School Cheer Coach, introduced her amazing Cheer Squad and shared information on volunteer activities performed by the group. A list of the volunteer projects completed in the past year:

- Festival of Trees helped with ushering and donated a tree for sale
- Christmas Box House
- Senior Center visits to present Christmas programs
- Marshall White Center Cheer Classes held twice per week for several weeks
- Feeding of the homeless
- Wrapping 1,000 Christmas presents and giving these out to the homeless
- Easter Egg hunt where they hid 10,000 Easter eggs for our elementary students and their families
- Mini-cheer Clinics at Horace Mann Elementary for their student award day.

Ms. Gooda stated that these students give thousands of hours in their volunteer efforts. A member of the Cheer Squad stated that doing volunteer work "warms their hearts and helps build their character. They wouldn't trade these experiences." Ms. Gooda also noted that the Cheer Squad competed for the first time in qualifying competition and took first place. They will now advance to the national competition. The board thanked this group for their great work for the community and for representing BLHS and Ogden School District in this manner.

<u>Superintendent's Celebrations</u>. Superintendent Coroles shared the following celebrations:

- On January 20, 2017, 125 Ogden School District students will attend SightFest and receive professional no-cost eye exams and a pair of nocost eye glasses courtesy of the charitable organization, Friends for Sight.
- OSD received over 900 library books through a charitable effort organized by Barnes & Noble of Layton. All of the books were purchased by customers during the holiday season so that they could be donated to Ogden schools. The retail value of the books is estimated at roughly \$8,000 to \$10,000.
- Standard Examiner named Ben Lomond senior running back Angelo Rios the All-Area MVP for 2016.
- Newly hired Ogden High football coach Erik
   Thompson has been named 2016 All-Area Football
   Team Coach of the Year by the Standard Examiner for his work at Northridge last season.
- The Ben Lomond and Mound Fort Robotics teams have qualified for the state competition which will be held in February at Weber State University.
- The Ogden School Foundation has received commitments for donations of \$50,000 from the Powell Foundation and \$100,000 from the Dee Foundation to support STEM education at New Bridge School.



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#### Increasing Student Achievement:

Board Meeting Schedule, 2017-2018 (new). The board approved the following board meeting schedule for the 2017-2018 school year:

August 3, 2017 Work Session

August 17, 2017 Study/Regular Session

September 7, 2017 Work Session

September 21, 2017 Study/Regular Session

October 5, 2017 Work Session

October 26, 2017 Study/Regular Session

November 2, 2017 Work Session

November 16, 2017 Study/Regular Session
December 14, 2017 Study/Regular Session

January 3, 2018 Work Session

January 18, 2018 Study/Regular Session

February 1, 2018 Work Session

February 15, 2018 Study/Regular Session

March 1, 2018 Work Session

March 15, 2018 Study/Regular Session

April 5, 2018 Work Session

April 19, 2018 Study/Regular Session

May 3, 2018 Work Session
May 17, 2018 Regular Session

June 14, 2018 Study/Regular Session

<u>Board Meeting Schedule, 2016-2017 (revised)</u>. The board approved the change in meeting date for the June board meeting session, from June 13, 2017 to June 15, 2017.

<u>School LAND Trust Plan Amendment, 2016-2017 – Ogden High School</u>. The board approved the following amendment to the Ogden High School LAND Trust plan for the 2016-2017 school year:

To amend the budget created last year to include our increased carry over and amended budget items based on the community councils new understanding of how these funds are being utilized by the school.

Carry over: \$22,000

Reallocating funds from technology, library books and periodicals: \$9,000

New allocation to meet goals established in plan:

\$12,000 for full-time teacher at OHS with one period at Mt. Ogden and an extension of the credit recovery class and content support. Partially paid for with the United Way Grant. The teacher will include lessons on life skills, basic math and English and credit recovery support. Including student goal setting and attendance tracking. This will also allow us to work with our feeder program.

\$7,000 for replacing LCD projector bulbs, which are aging and going out. A bulb is half the cost of a new projector and many of the projectors are past the 5-year mark. These are highly utilized by a majority of teachers and support our technology goals within the plan.

\$5,000 for two math tutors to coach the higher level math students in Math III honors, AP Calc. AP Stats, Math 1010, IB Math, as well as a possible chemistry tutor. There is a high need of coaching/tutoring during and after school for these students.

We would like to start implementation of all changes by the start of the new semester. Our Community Council voted unanimously to approve these changes.

<u>Business Administrator Contract, 2017-2019</u>. The board approved the contract renewal for Zane K. Woolstenhulme, effective January 1, 2017 and ending December 31, 2019.