

Oct. 28,
2010

Board

Clips

Superintendent:
Dr. Larry C. Parsons

School Board:
Joseph Garcia, Chair
Paul Meyer
Vice Chair
Rod Cotton
Dan Endicott
Charles Lee
Steve Patterson
Stacy Stiefel

Notes from the Board Meeting

Time and Location: The October 27, 2010, School Board Meeting was held in the Administrative Office Board Room beginning at 7:00 PM.

Superintendent's Report:



Superintendent Parsons announced that Friday, October 29, is a non-school day for students to allow for a planning day for secondary teachers and professional development for elementary staff. He reminded the school board that the OSBA

Fall Regional Dinner will be held on October 28, at Umpqua Community College. Joe Garcia, Stacy Stiefel, and Steve Patterson will be attending along with Superintendent Parsons to represent Roseburg Public School. He shared a letter sent by an elementary school student expressing concern over the potential closing of an elementary school. Dr. Parsons reported that the Pre-Season National Wrestling polls have Roseburg High School ranked 11th in the nation, and congratulated Steve Lander for being selected as the 2010 Oregon Wrestling Coach of the Year. He reported that Roseburg High School student athletes collectively carry some of the highest GPA averages - Boys Cross Country in all classifications are #1 in the state with a 3.93 GPA; Girls Soccer have the #1 GPA in the 6A conference with a 3.86; and Boys Soccer are 5th in the 6A conference with a 3.44. Dr. Parsons reported that with winter weather rapidly approaching he is working with transportation staff and building administrators to ensure that district procedures and protocols regarding inclement weather are appropriately followed.

Recognitions: At each board meeting the School Board awards Certificates of Accomplishments to students of the month in the Roseburg School District. Students receiving awards were: Alexis Marie

Johnson/Fullerton IV, Desjia
Story/Sunnyslope and Chayse Jackson/RHS.

The Board honored Dina Marschall, Pro/Tech teacher in the child development program at RHS, with the "Crystal Apple Award." This award is presented to educators for having gone above and beyond the call of duty, making a significant contribution to the school and education of students.

Action Items: The Board approved Resolution 10-11-10: Designation of American Education Week, the 2010-11 Budget Reduction Adoption and the 2010-11 Superintendent's Goals.

Reports and Discussions:

Haley Van Volkenburg, RHS Student Representative, reported that fall sports are doing exceptionally well this year with football, boys and girls soccer, volleyball, and cross country all going to play-off competition. The band participated in a competition on October 16, and took 3rd in the AA division, their highest score in 5 years. The band will be participating in another competition this weekend at the University of Oregon. Leadership will be attending an Oregon Association of Student Councils (OASC) conference in Seaside, Oregon, next week to participate in workshops and hear motivational speakers. Leadership will also be conducting a winter coat/clothing drive and working on a benefit for Battered Women's Advocacy and Saving Grace. In addition, Key Club is currently conducting a canned food drive on campus. Students of the Month for October include; Jason Duval, Rob Salazar, Maile Chong, Rylan Kronner, Branden Wyscaver, Sheldon Yuma, Dimitri Lanham, Amber Merry, and Moriah Buchta.

Next Board Meeting: The next regular meeting of the School Board will be held on November 10, 2010, beginning at 7:00 PM in the Administration Office Board Room.

