

Attendees:

Mrs. Birkenhauer, Mrs. Lindsey, Mr. Webster, Mrs. Wharton, Mr. Schlotman

Audience of Citizens

None

Agenda

Mrs. Birkenhauer approved the agenda with flexibility; seconded by Mrs. Wharton.

Minutes Approval

Minutes from September 3 and 16, 2020 were presented to be approved.

Motion was made to approve by Mrs. Lindsey; seconded by Mrs. Birkenhauer

Good News Report

- Congratulations to Cheer Coach Michelle Schuster on being selected by KHSAA (Kentucky High School Athletic Association) as the 2019-2020 Spirit Coach of the Year! Coach Schuster will now compete for the Regional award, Sectional, and potentially National Coach of the Year honors!
- BCHS is continuing to successfully conclude our fall sports.
- Teacher laptops are in. They have been imaged and are being distributed.
- All is going well with in-person instruction.

Budget Reports

- Budget Reports were distributed and examined.
Motion to approve the budget reports was made by Mrs. Wharton; seconded by Mrs. Birkenhauer.
- The proposed budget for 2021 was presented.
Proposed dollar amounts will be same as last year. Band fee was not charged this year.
Mrs. Birkenhauer made a motion to accept the budget; seconded by Mr. Webster.

We do not have Free & Reduced Lunch funds yet.

New Business

- Proposal by Science Department: that program was purchased by Science Department funds.
- A motion to approve funding of the proposed digital platform for Choir & Band was made by Mrs. Birkenhauer; seconded by Mrs. Lindsey.
- Currently, Choir is meeting in the Auditorium and will be until April.
- The football field turf is supposed to begin the first weekend of November.
- The new auditorium construction is scheduled to start at end of November and may be finished by next August 2021.
- Discussion followed regarding a possible change in grading for the first quarter.
At the Team Leaders meeting this morning, it was noted that many students are not participating. Boone has the largest group that chose the Virtual option. There is concern with

the quarter ending Tuesday that when posted, those grades will be locked in. We don't want students to give up second quarter.

Cooper started last year "a rolling grade"—what could happen next Tuesday. Teachers would post, but these would not be the final quarter grade; more of a progress report. That way, students would not start the second quarter with a zero. As it is now, once post is closed, teachers do not have access to add grades. Then, the school registrar would have to manually enter all newly average grades (as students submit missing work and teachers enter the grades). With the "rolling grading practice," the Posting will remain open; and teachers will re-post first quarter periodically.

If this practice is adopted permanently, Infinite Campus will have to be modified and course altered.

Students will still have four weeks of remediation after the first semester to turn in assignments.

- There is a faculty meeting next Tuesday to discuss the grading issue as well as the AB combo coming on Thursday, October 29th.
- Textbook fee money is no longer provided by the State; funding is now only through student fees.
- The first quarter ends on Tuesday.

Mr. Webster mentioned that it would be easier to explain to parents that instead of a grade at a particular point in time, it is the total of the semester, which is a truer view of a grade average.

Currently, the count is lunch 793 students; 975 is combined A and B. Vocational, Dual Enrollment, Home Builders will change these numbers.

If students are not here on their A or B day, they are marked absent. Virtual students are counted as attending if they turn in work on that day. Attendance will affect students getting driver license AND keeping their licenses.

A motion to adjourn was made by Mrs. Wharton; seconded by Mrs. Lindsey.

Meeting concluded at 7:25 P.M.