

**MEETING OF BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MT. VERNON
FEBRUARY 17, 2020**

RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENTS

Farmersville 4th and 5th Grade Robotics Teams competed recently in the Wildcat Rumble Vex IQ Robotics Tournament in Newburgh. The fourth grade team consisted of: Isabella Benthall, Joslyn David, Josie Harshbarger, Dillon Kuhn, Cody Mavrick, and Kendall Voelker. They placed 1st in the Skills Challenge.

The fifth grade team consisted of: Jaycee Campbell, Atticus Durbin, Dylan Hindman, Lida Isham, Bryce Middleton, Libby Reese, and Jacelyn Stevens. The team made it into the Finals and placed 5th overall.

EMPLOYMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

The Board confirmed the employment of:

- Jeremy Rittenbery – boys' assistant coach – track – HS
- Riley Snodgrass – technology teacher – JH
- Rachel Wheaton – girls' assistant coach – track – HS

RESIGNATION

The Board accepted the resignation from Stephaine Sharber as a teacher and Student Council sponsor, ½ stipend, at the HS effective immediately.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENTS

The Board accepted the Disclosure of Conflict of Interest statements for the persons listed:

Natosha Bruner
Loren E. Evans
Mark A. Isaac
Kyle I. Jones
Beth McFadin Higgins
Joseph E. Rutledge
Matt Thompson
Kathy Weinzapfel
Amanda Wilson

BASEBALL CAMP

The Board approved use of facilities for the junior high baseball camp on February 24 and 26, 2020 as recommended.

DEPOSITORIES FOR INVESTMENT RESOLUTION

The Board approved a resolution to allow the School to invest in certificates of deposit from banks outside the political subdivision but designated by the state board of finance as depositories.

SUNDAY USE OF FACILITIES REQUEST – PAWS WRESTLING

The Board granted permission to PAWS wrestling for use of the high school main gym on Sunday, March 8, 2020 for a wrestling tournament as requested.

SUNDAY USE OF FACILITIES REQUEST – MV YOUTH BASEBALL

The Board granted permission to Mt. Vernon Youth Baseball, Inc. for use of the baseball field on Sundays for cub baseball games on March 15, 29, April 5, 19, 26, May 3, 17, and 24 as requested.

SUNDAY USE OF FACILITIES REQUEST – MV POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Board granted permission to the Mt. Vernon Police Department for use of the high school track for police candidate testing on Sunday, March 15, 2020 as requested.

SUNDAY USE OF FACILITIES REQUEST – MV POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Board granted permission to the Mt. Vernon Police Department for use of the high school and junior high school for active shooter training on Sunday, March 22, 2020 as requested.

LEASING AGREEMENT RENEWALS

The Board authorized renewing current lease agreements for sections of Hedges Central School for the Community Action Program of Evansville (CAPE) and the Mt. Vernon Homeless Shelter for one year, with each lease agreement beginning March 1, 2020 through February 28, 2021 as recommended.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Information to the Board included:

- Lunch Menus – February
- Self-Insurance Fund Report – January

FUTURE MEETING DATES

Monday, March 2, 2020 at 5:45 p.m.
Monday, March 16, 2020 at 5:45 p.m.

Monday, April 6, 2020 at 5:45 p.m.

All meetings will be held at Mt. Vernon Senior High School.

APPROVED OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

- March 5, 2020 – Academic Honors Dinner – MVHS Cafeteria 6:30 p.m.
- March 12 & 13 at 7:00 p.m. and March 14 at 2 & 7 p.m. – Mt. Vernon High School Musical – “Legally Blonde” – PAC
- March 23-27, 2020 – Spring Break
- May 9, 2020 – MVHS Prom – Carter Hall at USI from 8:00 – 11:00 p.m.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board met in Executive Session immediately after the regular meeting.