LEXINGTON CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD REVIEW for April 5, 2017

The Lexington City Board of Education held its regular monthly meeting on April 5, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the Administrative Office located at 1010 Fair St., Lexington, NC. At that time they considered the following items:

I. Spotlight on People and Programs
   A. Elementary Poetry Winners
      Obed Grandos Ortiz, a 2nd grader at Southwest was the winner of the LCS Elementary Poetry Competition for grades 1-2. His poem was entitled “An Adventure to the Woods”. Niyana Saunders, a 3rd grader also from Southwest, was the grades 3-5 winner. The title of her poem was “Hawaii”. In the grades 1-2 division, the runner-up was 2nd grader Matthew Krause with his poem “Tornados”, and for grades 3-5, it was 4th grader Charlotte Pyle with her poem “Harry Potter Adventures.” Both runners-up attend Pickett Elementary School. The first place prize winners each received $75 from the Jacket Academic Boosters. The runners-up each received $25.
   B. Be Somebody Recognition
      • The teacher recognized was Jeff Mahoney, a carpentry teacher at Lexington Senior High School.
      • The classified staff persons recognized were Julie Barker and Kelly Young, office staff at South Lexington School.
      • The student recognized was Emanual Mendez, a 4th grade student at Pickett Elementary School.
   C. Technology Teachers of the Quarter
      • Kortnie Curry with South Lexington Developmental Center was the Technology Teacher of the Quarter in the Elementary Division.
      • Latoya Warren with Lexington Middle School was the Technology Teacher of the Quarter in the Secondary Division.
   D. Community Spotlight
      Julia Hudgins

II. Consent Agenda
   The consent agenda was approved.
   A. Student Placements
      • Out of District Request 2017-2018
      • Out of District Request 2016-2017
      • Released from Lexington City Schools 2017-2018
   B. NCSBA/Fairbanks MAC Program contract
III. Appearance by Citizen(s)
No citizens requested to address the board.

IV. City Council
No school related business was discussed in the March 13 city council meeting.
In the March 27th meeting, there was a request to amend the appointment process of the Lexington City School Board from appointed members to elected members.

V. Business and Finance
A. Monthly Budget Report
Shelly Gentle presented the March budget report. The budget report was approved.
B. Budget Amendments
The budget amendments were approved.
C. Child Nutrition Purchase – Amelia Holland
Amelia Holland submitted a request to purchase a van for child nutrition. The request was approved.

VI. Board of Education
A. Report of Board visit to Pickett on March 20th at 11:45 a.m.
B. Calendar
1. Resolution
2. 2017-18 Calendar
   The calendar was approved.
C. SMOD
   The board decided to table the vote on SMOD until June in order to allow time for input from parents, staff and the community.
D. School Board Candidates Orientation Sessions
   Board members were informed of upcoming orientation sessions where candidates running for the newly established seven person board may learn about their potential duties and responsibilities if elected.

VII. Closed Session

VIII. Personnel