

Clinton Community School District
Clinton, Iowa
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Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Clinton Community School Board will be held
at **5:30 P.M.** on **Monday, May 14, 2018**
at Clinton Administration Center.

Cindy McAleer, Board Secretary

Mission Statement

The mission of the Clinton Community School District is to educate all students to their highest level of achievement through an engaging curriculum in a caring community.

As The Clinton Board of Education We Believe

All children, when meaningfully engaged and motivated, are capable of learning. The resources of the school district should be used to provide all children with equal opportunities to achieve to their fullest potential.

The classroom teachers have the greatest potential to impact student learning when they have a deep understanding of their content, are provided a well-designed curriculum, utilize the most effective instructional strategies, and are presented with high-quality and ongoing professional development with collegial opportunities to reflect on their work as well as supportive and meaningful input and coaching from district administration that allows for continual growth and improvement.

All children should be provided a rigorous and engaging curriculum designed to develop their full potential as lifelong learners and prepare them to continue their education, pursue a vocation, and become contributing members of society.

Learning will be enhanced by adherence to an integrated curriculum that promotes continuity and cumulative acquisition of skills and knowledge from grade to grade and from school to school.

A broad-based co-curricular activities program that encourages students to explore their individual talents and abilities enhances a rigorous and engaging curriculum.

All students should be allowed to develop, learn, and grow in a safe and nurturing school environment.

The school facility is an integral part of the educational experience for all children. Schools that are well designed and properly maintained provide children with a safe, comfortable learning environment and have a positive impact on overall student achievement and behavior.

The family is the primary influence in a child's life. All children learn better when their parents or primary caregivers are involved in their children's education.

Educating our youth is a responsibility of the entire community, carried out through a collaborative effort. The primary goal of public education is to prepare all children to become contributing members of an ever-changing multicultural and global society.

The Board of Education is the primary representative of the school district and acts as a bridge between the community and the district.

Attendance:

Scott Bengtson _____
Mike House _____
Eric Gettes _____
Jenny Green _____

Mike Pelham _____
Ann Reed _____
Missey Sullivan-Pope _____

I. Call to Order: _____

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Mission Statement (Green)

“The mission of the Clinton Community School District is to educate all students to their highest level of achievement through an engaging curriculum in a caring community.”

IV. “Presentations/Recognitions”

1. **“Retiree Recognition”**

2. **“Jim McGraw Service Awards”**

3. **“Gold Key Recognition”** - each month, during the school year, the district recognizes an individual or group that showcases accomplishments or service to the district. Steve Howes has been selected as special recipient for the month of May. **Appendix A**

4. **“We Are Proud”** - each month the board highlights outstanding achievement by groups or individuals in the Clinton School District.

We Are Proud

(Reed)

We are Proud of the following CHS students for their Division 1 rating at state solo contest for band: Chris Taylor-Bice, Lincoln Kness, Indya Sorrell, Kennedy Evans, Mason Lauver, Jenna Spencer, Sarah Starbuck, and Grace Rowland (Duet), with Grace Rowland and Madison Winkel receiving perfect ratings. Congratulations to the following students who received Division 2 ratings: Kaylie DeSwart, Joe Simpson, Anna Hilgendorf, Kallyn Keefer, Grace Nickles, Chris Taylor-Bice, Joe Simpson, Trombone Quartet, Flute Choir, Michelle Powell, Leticia Edfors, David Kremer, Shania Mussman, Kennedy Evans, Madison Knutsen, Caleb Matje, Elizabeth Morehead, Olivia Calvin, and Brittany Costello. Congratulations to ALL students who performed!

(Pelham)

We are Proud of the CMS Student Council who had an amazing opportunity to visit the University of Iowa for Meet the Researcher. Students participated in several different learning activities including: learning about cancer; taking tours of various labs; learning basic physical exam skills; learning about the harmful effects of UV rays and what can be done to keep skin safe and prevent skin cancer; and eating lunch with current medical students to learn how to prepare for medical school.

(Bengtson)

We are Proud of CHS student council, staff and students who raised funds during Rise Above Week to purchase tourniquets for emergency responders in Clinton. They raised \$3,339.12 for a total of 110 tourniquets to outfit our CPD officers and CFD members.

(Green)

We are Proud of the CMS Special Education student that were able to visit Camp Courageous. 35 students participated in a variety of Challenge by Choice activities designed especially for Students with physical, mental and sensory disabilities. This experience provided them the opportunity to experience new activities. The students eagerly await this field trip each year!

(Sullivan-Pope) We are Proud the CHS Welding Program. CHS students Connor Ready, Riley Hill, and Gavin Stewart, competed in Local 33 Plumbers and Steam Fitters 2018 annual Welding competition in Des Moines. They could compete in three different competitions, Welding, Cutting and Math. 109 high school students competed. Connor Ready took 2nd Place. He received a nice wall plaque, a Victor Cutting torch set, an Auto Darkening Helmet, and a Duffel bag full of other miscellaneous welding gear. Although Gavin and Riley did not place in the top 7, they also turned in very nice welds and won some door prizes!

V. Superintendent Report to the Board – Gary DeLacy, Superintendent **Appendix B**

A. Superintendent Report

B. Committee Minutes

VI. Consent Agenda Items

Explanation: All items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered routine by the School Board and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Board member so requests, in which event the item will be considered in the normal sequence on the agenda.

Recommendation: Move to approve the items on the consent agenda.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

Consent Agenda Items

***1. Approval of the Minutes** **Appendix C**

Recommendation: Move to approve the minutes of the Regular Board meeting held on April 9, 2018 and the Committee of the Whole meeting on April 23, 2018.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

***2. Classified - New Hires, Resignations, Retirements** **Appendix D**

Explanation: In Appendix D is a listing of personnel to whom contracts have been offered, a listing of personnel who have submitted letters of resignation, and/or letters of retirement effective immediately.

Recommendation: Move to approve classified personnel recommendations as presented in Appendix D.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

***3. Certified - New Hires, Resignations, Retirements** **Appendix E**

Explanation: In Appendix E is a listing of personnel to whom contracts have been offered, a listing of personnel who have submitted letters of resignation, and/or letters of retirement effective immediately.

Recommendation: Move to approve certified personnel recommendations as presented in Appendix E.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

***4. Cooperative Agreement with St. Ambrose University** **Appendix F**

Explanation: An agreement for pre-student teaching and student teaching has been received from St. Ambrose University for the 2018-2019 school year.

Recommendation: Move to approve the pre-student teaching and student teaching agreement for the 2018-2019 school year between St. Ambrose University and the Clinton Community School District.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

***5. Cooperative Agreement with Iowa Wesleyan University** **Appendix G**

Explanation: An agreement for student teaching, field experiences, observation, tutoring, and education methods classes has been received from Iowa Wesleyan University for the 2018-2019 school year.

Recommendation: Move to approve the student teaching, field experiences, observation, tutoring, and education methods classes agreement for the 2018-2019 school year between Iowa Wesleyan University and the Clinton Community School District.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

VII. Financials **Appendix H**

Explanation: The financial reports will be reviewed by Chief Financial Officer Cindy McAleer.

a. Monthly Financial Reports

Recommendation: Move to approve the Financial Reports for April 2018 as presented.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____
Comments _____

VIII. Opportunity for community/staff to speak on items that are not part of the regular agenda as well as items that are part of the agenda. Issues about a specific person will not be addressed as such matters violate their legal right of privacy. Action will not be taken on items that are not part of the regular agenda.

IX. New Business

1. 2018-2019 School Board Meeting Dates

Appendix I

Explanation: Meeting dates for the school board are held according to board policy on the second and last Monday of each month unless there is a district or community conflict which would allow for a change in the date of the meeting. Listed in Appendix I are the proposed dates for the 2018-2019 school year. The location for all board meetings will be at the Clinton Administration Center and will be held at 5:30 P.M.

Recommendation: Move to approve the proposed dates for school board meetings found in Appendix I for the 2018-2019 school year to be held at the Clinton Administration Center at 5:30 P.M.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

2. Review and Adoption of Board Policy

Separate Document

Explanation: Superintendent DeLacy has implemented a 3-year rotation for board policy reviews. This year the committee reviewed series: 100-300, 800-900, 603.6, 508.5 and various primer updates from the state. All updates can be reviewed in the separate document.

Recommendation: Move to approve the first reading of the board policies as presented.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

3. Banking Institution Selection

Explanation: It has been three years since the district has sought new banking services. Letters detailing the types of services needed for the district were sent out to all of the local financial banking institutions. Based on the information provided by each interested party, _____ is selected as the new district's financial institution.

Recommendation: Move to approve _____ as the Clinton Community School District's Banking Institution beginning July 1, 2018.

Moved by _____ Seconded by _____

Comments _____

4. Donations

Explanation: A donation of \$950 was received from Shopko to Jefferson Elementary PE Teacher for recess equipment.

Recommendation: Move to approve the donation of \$950 from Shopko to Jefferson Elementary PE Teacher for recess equipment.

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____

Comments _____

X. Other Pertinent Items to come before the Board

XI. Calendar of Events

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
Senior Convocation,	May 23, 2018,	6:00 P.M.,	CHS Theater
Commencement,	May 27, 2018,	2:00 P.M.,	CHS Yourd Gym

Next Scheduled Meeting:

Committee of the Whole meeting, **May 21, 2018**, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center
Regular Board Meeting, June 11, 2018, 5:30 P.M., Clinton Administration Center

XII. Adjourn: _____

Moved by _____

Seconded by _____