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Minutes School Board Meeting May 14, 2014 7:00

CALL TO ORDER: 7:05 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER Fr. Bart led the opening prayer.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: Donna W. voted to accept the minutes and Mark Smillie seconded the motion.

INTER-MEETING DECISIONS: None.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: See Principal's Report, April, 2014

1. Students could have been better prepared for the track meet. Action Item: Donna S. will ask Mrs. LaChere start early to prepare the students. A grandparent offered to help next year. Also we could ask for help in the newsletter.

BUDGET REPORT

The board reviewed April financial records.

1. Questions

OLD BUSINESS

1. Accreditation progress: The Accreditation visit was changed to October.

2. Should students be using their own laptops during the school day? The board decided that the students may use laptops or tablets for school related work with a teacher present and the teacher's permission. No internet access. The teachers will not give out the wireless password. The penalty is if a student is caught breaking any of these rules, the laptop will be taken away from the student and brought to the office. A student will not be allowed to bring the laptop to school for the remainder of the semester. If a teacher has a router in the classroom, he or she should not give out the password to students and should change it occasionally. It will be up to the teacher to make sure that students are following the rules.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Handbook, Section 2 Action Item: We will ask parents at parent meeting if the time for school starting can start at 8:10 am next year.



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2. Demerits; A description of the Demerit Card System needs to be written for the handbook. Also, the faculty handbook should include a mandate that the teachers send home a discipline report whenever a student has a detention. There should be three copies. The teacher would keep one, the office would keep one for the student's file, and one would be sent home with the students and must be signed and returned.

3. Personal matter deleted

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