

JOHNSON CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT
Curriculum Committee Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, December 9, 2020
Elementary Principal's Office
7:30 a.m.

Ken Johnson called the meeting to order.

Members Present: Heidi Hartz, Ken Johnson, and Mark Siewert

Also Present: Superintendent Michael Garvey, Principal Neil O'Connell, Principal Melissa Enger, Raymond Lauersdorf, Matthew Gruss, Joseph Steenbergen, Mason Baneck, Gavin Stratmoen, Attigun Benz, Kaylan Mungen, Rozilyn Cheaney, and Cooper York

Dr. Garvey verified that the meeting was properly posted pursuant to § 19.84(1) Wis. Statutes.

Motion by Johnson/Siewert to adopt the agenda items as posted moving items around as presenters arrived. Motion Carried.

Sophomore Matthew Gruss presented his plan create a student run business named Johnson Creek Metal Shop – Bluejay Fabrication where the profit would go to purchase equipment for the Technology Education Department. Technology Education teacher Raymond Lauersdorf was also present.

Mr. Gruss described how he had an assignment in his business class to create a business plan and also saw a way to implement that plan.

Mr. Gruss's business plan would involve students in the Technology Education program. They would accept orders from and create for customers, items made of metal. He gave the example of picnic tables and wishes to expand to items created with the plasma table like "Bluejay Heads".

Dr. Garvey explained that most Technology Education class fundraisers are run through Skills USA and to separate the funds in this case, he recommended that the Committee approve the project and develop an account to track revenues and expenses.

Motion by Siewert/Johnson to approve Bluejay Fabrication as a separate student activity and create an Activity Fund Account. Motion Carried.

Dr. Garvey brought the Curriculum Committee up to date regarding the review of the CTE department curriculum which he is leading. He presented the following timeline:

Due December 9

Course Description (Mrs. Krohn)

Syllabus (Mrs. Krohn)

Due January 10

List of local standards for each course (CTE Teacher)

List of any recommended state standards for each course (CTE Teachers and Mrs. Krohn)

List of any National/Industry standards for each course (Mrs. Krohn and Dr. Garvey)

Early January

Develop review teams which will include CTE Teachers, Community/Business/Industry Leaders and Administrators (Dr. Garvey)

February and March

Present to the Curriculum Committee

Showcase

Fourth grade students described the virtual field trips they have taken and those that are scheduled. The students answered Committee members' questions.

The Committee visited a fourth grade Math Block to observe instruction and visited with students while they were working in class.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, January 13th at 7:30 a.m. in the District Board Room.

Motion by Siewert/Johnson to adjourn. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael P. Garvey, Ph.D.
Superintendent