

# Flasher Public School Board Proceedings

**BOARD MINUTES  
FLASHER PUBLIC SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. 39  
REGULAR MEETING –  
FEBRUARY 21, 2024**

The regular meeting of the board was called to order on the above date at 7:00 P.M. by President Travis Rossow with the following present: Directors, Joe Fleck, Lacey Hatzenbuehler, Cody Weinberger, Sherry Schmidt, Andrea Fleck, and Justin Janisse, Principals Brian Nieuwsma and Jamie Krenz, Supt. Jerry Erdahl, and Business Manager Joyce Miller. Visitors were Lindsey Bravender, Tasha Bohl, Kacey Isbell, and Sophie Hertz.

Minutes of the regular meeting of January 17, 2024 were presented. Motion by Weinberger, second by J. Fleck, to approve minutes. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Financial Reports of the General Fund, Building Fund, Hot Lunch and Activity Funds were presented and reviewed by the board. Motion by Schmidt, second by A. Fleck, to approve reports as presented with a correction to the FCCLA account balance. Consensus to keep the CD invested as is.

Transportation Report: the 59 passenger bus has been delivered and the 12 passenger handicap bus is on order.

Buildings & Grounds: David Ternes has given a proposal to add on to the bus shop. There are 2 options. Motion by Weinberger, seconded by J. Fleck, to go with option #2 which is a 20x24x14 wood stick frame for \$55,400.00.

Motion carried unanimously.

The Banning family has offered their residence to be rented out to our teachers.

Short recess @7:25. Reconvened @7:30.

Lindsey Bravender reported on the FCCLA STAR competition. Eight out of 10 teams will be competing at state. Their concessions season was a success. They will be making a donation to Furry Friends Rescue in honor of our head cook that passed away.

Principals Jamie Krenz and Brian Nieuwsma discussed the following topics: enrollment-elementary-141, high school-122; NDA+ & Benchmark testing; student engagement surveys are completed; February 16 in-service topics are: AI in education, elementary curriculum and Choice Ready Training; FFA Winter CDE events have been successful; FFA Week activities and upcoming banquet; Support from staff in memory of Kelsy; Fabulous Fridays in February; spelling bee winners in Morton County; planning for family fun night; Cyber Security State standards for K-12; Vision Zero presentation; behavior report; curriculum purchase in elementary; Poster contests; Math meet; 4<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Agri-International; 100<sup>th</sup> day celebrations in elementary; Valentine's day parties; Dr. Seuss day; Gearing Up For Kindergarten taking place; blood drive; ACT testing; acalympics competitions; science fair; next year's high school scheduling; Close Up sponsored breakfast;

open positions; school improvement.

AD update: scheduling next year's activities is ongoing; jh boys basketball, wrestling, and girls' basketball seasons have ended; Little Dawgs and boys' golf seasons are getting ready to start.

Supt. Erdahl stated that the ND STAGEnet application has been submitted; lunch bill notifications have been sent; Heart River CTE director correspondence; GWM proposal to add incentives for schools to offer classes via ITV.

Motion by Schmidt, second by Janisse, to approve open enrollments for the 2024-25 school year with Solen Public School for two students. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Supt. search update was given.

Ladies of another view will be filming on March 27 the city of Flasher and the school.

Motion by J. Fleck, second by Hatzenbuehler, to approve the resignation of Tanda Kordonwy effective at the end of this school year. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Motion by Weinberger, second by Schmidt, to approve the following bills. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Fitterer Gas & Oil.....	8352.35
Sam Poland.....	250.00
Payroll.....	71746.22
Jodi Stevens.....	22.50
Payroll.....	67282.78
Chasecard.....	2517.92
Crisis Prevention Inst. 1738.63	
Dakota Zoo.....	219.00
Derek Rich.....	100.00
BF Polar Engraving.....	12.00
Payroll.....	32357.74
Capital One.....	151.30
Jodi Stevens.....	22.50

Transportation: Nothing new to report.

Meeting was recessed @ 8:45. Reconvened @ 8:50.

Supt. Erdahl informed the board: that past due lunch notices have been sent out; Status Report Two for CSI/TSI school is almost complete-due March 29, 2024; annual inspection report for the cameras in the building will be April 8; the 2024-25 budget has been started; he will be attending the college job fair in Minot on March 19; the SRSA allocation will be \$21967.00.

Motion by A. Fleck, second by Weinberger, to approve an open enrollment application for 1 student from Ft. Yates Public School for the 2024-25 school year. Motion carried with all voting aye.

School board election deadline to file is April 1, 2024, 4:00 PM. Directors whose terms are up for election are Justin Janisse and Lacey Hatzenbuehler.

Motion by J. Fleck, seconded by Weinberger, to approve the English teacher contract for Hunter Hampton for the 2024-25 school year in the amount of \$42,575.00. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Motion by Schmidt, second by A. Fleck, to approve the following bills. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Flasher Municipal Services.....	1411.00
Harlow's Bus.....	3318.29
Harlow's Bus Sales.....	123825.00
ACT.....	1130.50
ACT.....	659.00
Apple Computer.....	2267.70
CPI.....	375.92
Dacotah Paper.....	1238.71
Menards.....	401.07
SE Educ. Coop.....	550.00
Sweet Creations.....	427.60
Wolf Mountain Coal.....	2272.71
Payroll.....	70856.46
Elwood Barth.....	120.00
Chase Card Services.....	2370.94
David Ternes Sales.....	13850.00
ND BCI.....	41.25
WJ Trucking.....	3205.00
Payroll.....	99180.79
ABM.....	1612.60
Aramark.....	301.09
Walmart/Capital One.....	235.01
ETS Systems.....	70.50
Fitterer Oil.....	10933.58
Flasher Municipal.....	1448.75
Flasher School.....	129.43
Gerhardt Tire.....	55.95
Glenn's Welding.....	278.40
Harlow's Bus.....	1113.44
Hank LaBore.....	200.00
Linde Gas.....	756.46
Menards.....	164.62
PJ's Supply.....	262.49

Sweet Creations.....	86.73
#84558 VOID.....	
Branded Bar & Grill.....	125.00
Mary Erdahl.....	12.81
Bowman County School.....	70.00
Payroll.....	82965.04
A&I Distributors.....	1413.15
Acme Tools.....	598.81
ABM.....	1572.91
Aramark.....	1009.29
Carolina Biological.....	164.85
CREA.....	150.00
Chevrolet of Mandan.....	677.22
Crisis Prevention Inst.....	375.92
Dacotah Paper.....	1337.62
Daktronics.....	195.00
Edutech.....	20.00
Lindsey Eilersick.....	53.60
ETsystems.....	879.77
Fitterer Gas & Oil.....	11773.87
Flasher School.....	1411.00
Karli Frohling.....	64.32
Glenn's Welding.....	268.80
GS Publishing.....	98.00
Harlow's Bus.....	126393.29
I-94 Conference.....	100.00
Jostens.....	182.92
Linde Gas.....	595.08
Menards.....	482.58
Mor-Gran-Sou.....	7553.63
NDCTE.....	2538.00
ND Driver & Traffic Safety.....	175.00
November Blue.....	42.00
PJ's Supply.....	835.23
Pomp's Tire.....	365.00
Robert's Floral.....	65.50
US Postal.....	776.77
Varitronics.....	1039.71
West River Telecom.....	433.67
Wolf Mountain Coal.....	2278.39

Next regular meeting will be March 12, 2024 at 7:00 PM.

Motion by A. Fleck, second by J. Fleck, to adjourn the meeting at 8:25 PM. Motion carried with all voting aye.

/s/ Travis Rossow  
Travis Rossow, President

/s/ Joyce Miller  
Joyce Miller, Business Manager

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## BULLDOG BARK

**Bulldog Bark**  
*Fri., Oct. 4:* Football at Elgin vs. Standing Rock, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sat., Oct. 5:* C Team Volleyball Tournament in Flasher; 7th Grade Volleyball Tournament at Wilton; Volleyball Tournament at Washburn.  
*Mon., Oct. 7:* JH/JV Football at Richardton, 5:00 p.m.; JH Volleyball at Shiloh, 5:00 p.m.  
*Tue., Oct. 8:* ASV-AB Testing, JR & Soph.-Morning Classes; AB & JH Volleyball at McIntosh, 5:00 p.m.; 5/6 Girls' Basketball at Home vs. Glen Ullin, 6:00 p.m.  
*Thur., Oct. 10:* ABC Volleyball at Home vs. Shiloh, 5:00 p.m., JH, 4:00 p.m. in North Gym.

**Breakfast**  
*Fri., Oct. 4:* Cook's choice, cereal, fruit, yogurt, juice, milk.

*Mon., Oct. 7:* Breakfast pizza, cereal, fruit, yogurt, juice, milk.  
*Tue., Oct. 8:* Waffles, cereal, fruit, yogurt, juice, milk.  
*Wed., Oct. 9:* Egg wraps, cereal, fruit, yogurt, juice, milk.  
*Thur., Oct. 10:* Breakfast wraps, cereal, fruit, yogurt, juice, milk.

**Lunch**  
*Fri., Oct. 4:* Chicken alfredo, breadsticks, salad bar, fruit, veggies, milk.  
*Mon., Oct. 7:* Taco in a bag, salad bar, fruit, veggies, milk.  
*Tue., Oct. 8:* Pizza, salad bar, fruit, veggies, milk.  
*Wed., Oct. 9:* French dip, potato chips, salad bar, fruit, veggies, milk.  
*Thur., Oct. 10:* Pulled pork sandwiches, coleslaw, salad bar, fruit, veggies, milk.

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**BOARD MINUTES  
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MARCH 12, 2024**

The regular meeting of the board was called to order on the above date at 6:57 P.M. by President Travis Rossow with the following present: Directors Joe Fleck, Sherry Schmidt, Justin Janisse, Lacey Hatzenbuehler, Andrea Fleck, Cody Weinberger, Supt. Jerry Erdahl, Principals Brian Nieuwsma and Jamie Krenz, and Business Manager Joyce Miller. Visitors were Kelly Hetzel, Carmel Miller, Jim Bachmeier, Cody Kraft, Javin Friesz, Olivia Erhardt, Rylee Fleck, Sophia Hertz, Sam Poland, and Tasha Bohl.

Minutes of the regular meeting of February 21, 2024 and special board meeting minutes of February 28, March 6, March 7, and March 11, 2024 were presented. Motion by Schmidt, second by A. Fleck, to approve the minutes. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Discussion was held on the interviews that were held for the superintendent position. Motion by A. Fleck, seconded by Schmidt, to offer the superintendent position to Tonya Perham. Motion carried with all voting aye except Weinberger who abstained from the vote. Motion by Schmidt, seconded by J. Fleck, to offer the superintendent position to JR Wilson if Ms. Perham declined the offer. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Javin Friesz, Rylee Fleck, and Olivia Erhardt presented to the board their itinerary for their upcoming senior trip. Motion by Schmidt, seconded by A. Fleck, to approve their itinerary to South Dakota. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Sam Poland reported on the activities the FFA group has been participating in. They have 23 members competing in 7 different contests at the CDE winter meetings. They placed 4<sup>th</sup> out of 51 teams and 14 members will be advancing to state in Minot.

Principals Nieuwsma & Krenz reported on the following: enrollment of 263; spring testing; CTE updates-Profession&

Passions; FFA activities; FCCLA activities; Family Fun Night to be held during parent-teacher conferences on March 28; Gearing Up for Kindergarten is winding down; teacher observations ongoing-due April 15; Cybersecurity standards; Vision Zero events; behavior report; elementary curriculum purchases in language arts & science; DARE program had the state radio visit the second grade classroom; math meet @ Bowman; All Kids Bike program funded by the governor's office for the KG PE curriculum; yearend events in the elementary-concert, Vision Zero, Field day, Elem station; blood drive sponsored by the student council; ACT test for juniors on April 10; Acalympics competition in the junior high & high school; regional science fair; state science fair in Grand Forks; 2024-25 student scheduling finalized; Close Up fundraising; senior trip April 12-14; prom on April 20; drivers education summer school to include Grant County High School; open teaching positions-music, shop; school improvement team update.

Athletic Director Update: looking to update the officials/local fee schedule; next year's schedules are almost complete; girls' basketball and boys' basketball teams received the Team Scholar Award by maintaining above a 3.2 gpa average; students to the all-region basketball teams; spring activities-track, elementary volleyball, and boys' golf.

Financial Reports of the General Fund, Building Fund, Hot Lunch and Activity Funds were presented and reviewed by the board. Motion by Weinberger, second by Janisse, to approve reports as presented. Motion carried with all voting aye.

Buildings & Grounds: C&H Glass has submitted a proposal for the installation of the handicap doors at door #1 and door #3 in the amount of \$5830.00 excluding electrical. Motion by Janisse, seconded by Weinberger, to have C&H Glass install the doors and to pursue the installation of the Community grant \$ are unavailable. Motion carried with all voting aye.

## Flasher Senior Meals menu

**Fri., Oct. 4:** Cabbage roll, mashed potatoes, green beans, banana.

**Wed., Oct. 9:** Beef stew, peas, pears, biscuit.

**Thur., Oct. 10:** Spaghetti with meat sauce, house salad, mixed vegetables, choice fruit, breadstick.

**Meals are served in the Branded Bar**

**and Grill, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. CT.**

For reservations, please contact Branded Bar and Grill at 701-597-3307 by 9:00 p.m. the day prior to the meal.

All menus subject to change due to availability of foods.

Pick up or dine-in meals are allowed. Home delivered meals available if you qualify.

## Selfridge News Debbie Vollmuth

Windy, hot weather; fire danger is high. The Selfridge Rural Fire District has been out this past week.

The wasps, flies, and box elder bugs are crazy this time of year. Here's a hint to capture flies and wasps (not sure about boxelder bugs) Mix 1 cup each of water, apple cider vinegar and sugar, add about 5-6 drops of blue Dawn dish soap. Set outside and the bugs will fill in up in no time.

Area churches are changing their church schedule. St. Philomena Catholic Church in Selfridge will have mass at 6:00pm Central Time on Saturday evenings.

St. James Catholic Church in Porcupine will have mass at 4:00 Central Time on Saturday evenings. Last Monday, there was a hardworking crew that cleaned up the cemetery. Thanks to all that helped, it really looks nice.

On Monday, October 7 at 5:00 the Selfridge School Board will hold its monthly meeting. Wednesday, October 9 will be busy at the

school. There is a High School Assembly at 10:30, School Pictures at 11:30 and early dismissal for professional development at 1:30.

Bonnie Volk went to Minnesota for the funeral of her nephew, Jason Trobec. She enjoyed the opportunity to visit with family.

Last Monday, Nick and Debbie Vollmuth enjoyed brunch with their grandson, David Grunzke. He had a day off from school, so it was a great time to get together. Their Friday night overnight guests were Dana Walker and Brenda Mason.

Saturday evening, they went to the 85<sup>th</sup> birthday party for Mickey Huber at the Mobridge Moose. On Sunday, Sept. 22 and Monday Sept. 23 Vic and Kathy Kraft attended Karen Reynolds', Kathy's sister, wake and funeral in New Town, North Dakota. Tuesday, Vic and Kathy attended the burial and luncheon of Richard Johner. Happy birthday to Ed Mosset. Happy anniversary to Willy and Lenore Mosset.