

The following are highlights from the Winston County Board of Education Meeting on December 19, 2006:

The Board accepted Payrolls, Expenditures, Bank Reconciliations and Financial Statements for November 2006. Amendment #1 to FY 07 System-Wide Budget was approved

The Superintendent was authorized to advertise and accept Bids for Welding Program Equipment – funded by ADECA Workforce Development.

The following Board Policy items were approved:

- Consider New Policy – GAKHA – Assignment of Coaching Duties
- Accepted Revision to the following:
 - DJEG – Purchase Orders
 - DH – Bonded Employees
 - JFD/IHF – Alabama High School Graduation Requirements
 - JFED/IHE – Promotion, Placement, and Retention

Students, Personnel, and School Board Members were commended:

- Daniel Farris, Lynn High School Student, finalist for the 2006 Mizeman Trophy Award
- Meek Elementary students for placing in the 2006 Elite Gymnastics Compulsory State Meet: Mackenzie Cleghorn, 1st on Bars; Brooke Ragsdale, 2nd on Bars; Summer Stewart, 1st on Floor Event; Mallery Guthrie, 7th on Vault
- Amy Darty, Shared Teacher, received a \$1000 grant for Photography in the classroom from VSA, a division of the JFK Center for the Performing Arts.
- Blake Turner, Addison High School Student, for being named as a state finalist for the 2A football “Player of the Year” Award.
- Jessy Willingham, Addison High School Student, for being selected as a member of the State AHSAA North All-Star Volleyball Team.
- Kayla Woodard and Jessy Willingham, Addison High School Students, for being named to the Birmingham News All-State Volleyball Team; and to Brooke Lee for being named Honorable Mention to the Team.

Personnel Recommendations

- Approved extending leave of absence for Candice Tittle, Special Needs Bus Aide, for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year.
- Approved employment of Mike Lynn as Vocational Bus Driver for Lynn School for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year.
- Approved transfer of Greg Young, per his request, from Regular Bus Driver to Vocational Bus Driver for Meek School for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year.
- Approved transfer of Leah Farley, per her request, from Vocational Bus Driver to Regular Route Bus Driver for Meek School for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year.
- Approved employment of Paula Tetlow as Custodial Worker at WCHS for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year to fill leave of absence for Zora Denard.
- Accepted resignation of Bobby Moore as Lunchroom Worker at WCHS/DSMS at the end of the first semester of the 2006-2007 school year and approve employment of Vanessa Bailey as Lunchroom Worker at WCHS/DSMS for the second semester of the 2006-2007 school year.
- Approved Military Leave Pay for Gary O’Gwin, Teacher at Meek School, according to Federal Law Military Leave Bill (Act No. 2002-430)
- Accepted resignation of Head Coaching Duties from Jon Thompson, WCHS, effective December 19, 2006.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for January 25, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. A work session will be held January 18, at 7:00 p.m.