

The following are minutes from the Winston County Board of Education meeting on February 26, 2009:

The Board approved payrolls and expenditures for the month of January. Bank Reconciliations and Financial Statements were also accepted.

The following Commendations were made by the Board:

- 2009 Local School Spelling Bee Winners: Hannah Bartlett, AHS; Peyton Thompson, AES; Andrea Talley, LHS; Peyton Moore, LES; Alex Gibson, MHS; Kaden Baker, MES; Courtney Tucker, DSMS
- Melissa Lyon recently completed the Annual Inventory at all of the schools and would like to congratulate all principals for a perfect Inspection.

WCHS

- Kryssi Daniels, WCHS student, was chosen to the Top National Prep Volleyball Frosh 59 List. Kryssi was the only student chosen from Alabama.
- Winston County High School Band received all ones at district competition. They will compete March 5th at state.
- Candace Cole was chosen as the Alabama 33/40 America's First "First Class" Student of the Week for the week of March 9th.

▪ 2009 WCHS Torch Results

Academic Competitions WCHS Placed in 14 of 45 places awarded

Algebra 2nd Brittany Hart 3rd Candace Cole
American History 1st Sean Ingram 3rd Harris McKinney
Art 2nd Paul Dyer
Business 3rd Amber Wade
Chemistry 2nd Nic Bell
English Grammar 2nd Leah Mayhall
English Literature 3rd Jon Gunter
Geometry 2nd Jessica Bloom
Government & Economics 2nd Jacob Terry
Physics 3rd Ashley Neeley 2nd Amanda Robinson 1st Lacie Greene

Career Technical Competition

Business Office Management 2nd Hollie Chambless
Dramatic Monologue/Public Speaking 1st Meg Posey
Solo Keyboard 1st David Johnson
Solo Percussion 1st Robert Bryant
Solo Strings 2nd Tyler Cagle
Vocal Solo 3rd Meghan Garrison

- 2009 Winston County High School Princess of Hearts
 Miss Citizenship – Amanda Tidwell
 Miss Congeniality - Taylor Daniel
 Miss Photogenic – Destiny Knight
 Princess of Hearts – Leslie Harrison
 1st Alternate – Taylor Daniel
 2nd Alternate – Dixie Lewis
 3rd Alternate – Marnae Keeton
 4th Alternate – Alexes Glenn

- 2009 Winston County High School Queen of Hearts
 Miss Citizenship – Lacie Greene
 Miss Congeniality – Jessica Tidwell
 Miss Photogenic – Kynlie Pearson
 Queen of Hearts – Kynlie Pearson
 1st Alternate – Dakota Walker
 2nd Alternate – Kacie Cagle
 3rd Alternate – Katie Harrison
 4th Alternate – Kimberly Tidwell

Board Policy Items:

Approved revisions as follows:

- GBRIB-R1 – Sick Leave Bank Guidelines for Certified Personnel
- GBRIC-R1 – Sick Leave Bank Guidelines for Non-Certified Personnel

Approved Amendment #2 to FY 09 Budget

Approved applying for Career/Tech Extended Contract Grant.

Approved applying for Safe Schools/Healthy Schools Grant.

Accepted JAG Grant for Addison High School

Approved WCHS FCCLA to go to Visionland May 1.

Superintendent 's Report - None

Personnel Items:

- Approve Family Medical Leave for Darleen Neuheisel, Lynn Custodial Worker
- Approve Catastrophic Leave for Diane Dodd, Lynn Bus Driver.
- Approve employment of Brenda G. Darnell as JAG teacher at Addison High School.

The next meeting is set for March 26, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. and a work session was set for March 19, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned.