LEROY COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 2

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Bryon Owens
Jennifer Tarr

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES
Regular Board Meeting
Monday, February 10, 2025 – 7:00 p.m.

A. Call to Order

President Kevin Daugherty called the regular meeting of the Board of Education of to order at 7:10 p.m. in the Administrative Board Room at 805 N. Barnett St., LeRoy.

B. Roll Call

Present were Kevin Daugherty, Andy Johnson, Melinda Mayfield, Bryon Owens, and Bob Spratt. Superintendent Jeff Baughman was also present. Administrators Erin Conn, Nicole Gaddis, and Kelsey Winterland were also in attendance. Steve Reschke was absent as he had gym supervision at the Jr./Sr. High School. Board members Tracey Holoch and Jennifer Tarr were absent.

C. Approve Minutes of the January 13, 2025 Regular Meeting.

A motion was made by Andy Johnson, seconded by Bryon Owens, to agree to approve the minutes of the January 13, 2025 regular meeting as presented. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

D. Approve Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Bryon Owens, seconded by Bob Spratt, to approve the consent agenda (payroll, Treasurer's Report, Bills, Imprest Fund and Activity Funds) as submitted.

Payroll for January, 2025 in the amount of $380,141.97 plus board contributions as follows:

$8,493.08 to Internal Revenue Service for FICA;

$7,603.81 Internal Revenue Service for Medicare;

$41,992.66 to Blue Cross Blue Shield for major medical insurance;

$35,143.25 to Teachers' Retirement System for 9.0% employer contributions;

$2,270.81 to Teachers' Retirement System for .58% employer contributions;

$2,616.85 to Teachers' Health Insurance System for .92% employer contributions; and

$8,453.36 Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund for 9.67% support staff retirement.

Treasurer's Report as of January 31, 2025 as follows:

	CASH IN BANK	INVESTMENTS
a. Education Fund	1,160,117.64	1,082,016.45
b. Building Fund	581,794.23	553,877.24
c. Bond & Interest	336,198.18	336,198.18
d. Transportation Fund	252,639.86	291,079.81
e. IMRF/FICA	304,078.27	289,953.38
f. Site & Construction	104.70	104.70
g. Working Cash Fund	472,803.00	472,805.22
h. Tort	33,090.83	26,914.50
i. Life Safety	143,700.49	143,701.63

Bills as follows:

a. Education Fund	$69,956.70
b. Building Fund	$18,205.60
c. Bonds & Interest	$0.00
d. Transportation Fund	$11,237.19
e. Site and Construction	$0.00
f. Lease	$0.00
g. Tort	$22,343.75
h. Life Safety	$7,602.29
i. IMRF/FICA	$0.00
j. Paid by Journal Entry	$23,053.67

Reimbursement of the Imprest Fund in the amount of $2,121.26.

The activity account reconciliation for the Elementary Activity Account for January, 2025 is attached. The activity account reconciliation for the Jr./Sr. High School for January, 2025 is attached.

5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

Yeas: Kevin Daugherty, Andy Johnson, Melinda Mayfield, Bryon Owens, Bob Spratt
Nays:
Absent:

E. Public Comment to the Board

None.

F. Comments from Visitors to the Board.

None.

G. Academic Spotlight.

Mrs. Winterland gave a report to the board on staff reflections from the first half of the school year at the Jr./Sr. High School.

H. Administrative Reports.

Clarifying Questions

1.	Mrs. Erin Conn/Mrs. Nicole Gaddis:	See attached report.
2.	Mr. Steve Reschke:	See attached report.
3.	Mrs. Kelsey Winterland	See attached report.
4.	Mr. Jeff Baughman:	See attached report.

I. Old Business.

1. A motion was made by Bryon Owens, seconded by Bob Spratt, to approve the Board Policy PRESS Issue 117 as proposed by IASB. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

2. Discussion was held regarding the County Schools Facility Tax (CSFT).

J. New Business.

1. Discussion was held concerning the SY2024-25 Summer Programming.

2. Discussion was held concerning School Calendars for SY2025-26 and SY2026-27.

3. Discussion was held concerning the fee schedule for SY2025-26.

8. Discussion was held concerning the Board Meeting Schedule for SY2025-26.

K. Enter Executive Session.

1. A motion was made by Bryon Owens, seconded by Bob Spratt, to agree to enter into executive session at 8:03 p.m. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

2. A motion was made by Bryon Owens, seconded by Bob Spratt, to return to open session at 8:31 p.m. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

L. Discuss, Consider, and Approve Personnel and Employee Contractual Issues.

1. A motion was made by Bryon Owens, seconded by Bob Spratt, to agree to approve the employment of Olivia Bloyd as a full-time District Substitute as submitted. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

M. Adjournment.

A motion was made by Andy Johnson, seconded by Bryon Owens, to agree to adjourn the meeting at 8:33 p.m. 5 yeas 0 nays. Motion carried.

President

~~Secretary~~ Vice President

ERIN CONN — **Principal,** LeRoy Elementary School
NICOLE GADDIS — **Associate Principal,** LeRoy Elementary School

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

February 2025

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- Read Bowl- 2nd & 4th Grade
  - Reading competition based on SuperBowl
  - Ideas for March reading
  - Engaged and active readers!
  - Student pride in reading
- Read Across America Week
  - March 3-7
  - Building wide activities
  - Focus on volumes of reading with enjoyment
- 100th Day of School- Jan. 29th
  - Student projects of 100 items
  - Dress as 100 year olds
  - AI imaging- 100 yrs old
- Lion King, Jr.
  - 6th Grade Leadership & HOS

FACILITIES

- Thank you to Ed Underhill, Chip Warlow, and Rod Noe for their hard work during our water line break.

FINANCE

- Activity Account

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

- Lion King Jr.
  - February 7 & 8th @ 7:00 PM
  - SOLD OUT!
- 5th/6th Art Show
  - On display at Lion King Jr.
- PreK Screenings
  - April 17th & May 20th
  - 44 Registration Packets mailed
- PE- Roller Skating
  - Begins week of Feb. 17th
  - Positive experience for kids and adults

KELSEY WINTERLAND **Principal,** LeRoy Junior-Senior High School

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

FEBRUARY 2025

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Graduation Honors Announced

BACC Technical Honor Society
Laila Hornke, *Health Careers*
Natalie Nordsrom, *Advanced CNA*
Kendall Tokarski, *CNA*

BACC Student of the Quarter
Kyleigh Baker, *Criminal Justice & Law Enforcement*
Kaylee Crytzer, *Health Careers & Medical Terminology*
John O'Brien, *Automotive Technology: John O'Brien*

FFA State Degree Interviews
Brayden Hubble
Matthew Carlson
Ian Bush

Schedule Requests
Friday, February 15
SY 25-26 Master Schedule Planning
7th grade transition planning

Wrestling HOIC Champions!

Guidance Updates
Withdrawal & Incomplete
Parkland Grades

FACILITIES

- HS Classroom Furniture
- Former computer labs renovations
- Stage Extension, facelift
- **Library/Media Center** - Shelves rearranged, purge of outdated materials, re-home JH literacy sets
- JH Bathrooms

FINANCE

See activity accounts.

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

UPCOMING EVENTS

- HOIC Music Festival - February 5
- Singing Valentines - February 11
- Senior Scholarship Meeting - February 18
- 8th Grade BACC Career Expo - February 26
- HOIC Art Festival - February 28
- HOIC Scholastic Bowl - March 6
- Key Club Red Cross Blood Drive - March 13
- High School Musical March 14 & 15
- JH & HS Concert - March 18
- Band & Chorus to Disney - March 21
- ACT Test - April 9
- Panther NIght - April 12
- HOIC Bass Fishing - April 25
- Prom Mock Accident Assembly - April 25
- Prom - April 26
- LIFE's Got Talent - May 13
- Scholarship Assembly - May 14
- Graduation - May 18
- 8th Grade Celebration - May 19
- Athletic Awards Banquet - May 19

OTHER

Caring Closet continues to be utilized. Thank you to our donors.

Local Scholarships - Thank you to our donors!

STEVE RESCHKE **Principal,** LeRoy Preparatory Academy

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

February 2025

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- 2/14 SIP Day - focus on End of Year and 2025-26 prep
- Super Bowl Party at LPA - Student and faculty hors d'oeuvres
- 3 students attending class or classes at HS
  - Algebra
  - Horticulture
  - Woods II
  - Intro to IT
- Science
  - Self-medication
  - Mendellian genetics (geno/phenotype)
  - Characteristics of insects
- English
  - Creative Writing (First-person short stories)
  - Book Club (I Am Malala / Fahrenheit 451)
  - Winn Dixie
- Math
  - Basic Geometric properties
  - Correlations
  - Triangular Prisms and Area
- Social Science
  - Pers. Fin - Career Readiness
  - Finishing Constitution
  - Middle Ages

FINANCE

- Activity Account: $1697 (Youth Football and JH Track)
- Current Enrollment
  - 13 Students total
  - 1 from Heyworth
  - 1 Blue Ridge
  - 1 Monticello

FACILITIES

- Building-wide cleaning complete
- Camera infrastructure

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

JEFF BAUGHMAN **Superintendent,** LeRoy CUSD #2

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

February 10, 2025

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

- Graduation
- SSAVEIM Update
  - Crisis Plan and Reunification

FINANCE

- Board E-Packet
  - FRIS Update
  - Trending Expenditure
  - Trending Revenue
  - Big Four Chart
  - Treasurer's Report
- State Budget - 2/19/25 Gov Proposal
  - Matt Seaton, ISBE CFO Forecast

FACILITIES

- Water Main Update
- HVAC Updates

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

- CSFT
  - 2/14 Staff Presentation PAC 8:15am
  - Individual Events
  - FAQ, Videos, Website, etc.