

# THE SIMPSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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The Simpson County Board of Education met in regular session on Thursday, July 19, 2012, with four members present. Wes Stone was unable to attend. The following business was transacted.

1. Mr. Flynn made welcome announcements including LES student Colin Grimes recently attended the Space Camp at the U.S. Space and Rocket Center in Huntsville, AL and received the camp's highest and most coveted award—The "Right Stuff" award--given to an outstanding trainee who goes above and beyond in leadership, teamwork, and technology throughout the week. Colin and his robotics team, Astro Tech, received the Best Overall Robotics award. On June 24<sup>th</sup>, Simpson County Schools was recognized as one of 22 school districts in Kentucky for their model 100% Tobacco Free School Policy. Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> is "Simpson County Day" at the Hot Rods ball park. The game begins at 5:05 p.m. 50% of all proceeds will benefit the local Boys & Girls Club. Tickets are \$10 and you can see Julie at Central Office, or purchase at the gate (be sure to let them know you want proceeds to go to B&G Club). Under KRS 161.148 school districts must conduct a state criminal check records check on volunteers who have contact with students on a regular basis or have supervisory responsibility for children at a school site or on school-sponsored trips. Effective July 1, the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) will charge our school district \$10 for every criminal record check processed. Simpson County Schools will process these checks on a 3 yr. rotation or as needed. The district will accept monetary donations to offset the \$10 fee charged by the AOC. Registration for Simpson County Schools (K through 12) will be held on the FSHS campus Tuesday, July 24<sup>th</sup> from 9am-6pm and Wednesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> from 11am-6pm. Open house and orientation information is on the school website. Mr. Flynn also announced and welcomed Mr. Robert White, new Operations Manager for SCS.
2. Chairperson David Webster called the meeting to order and the agenda, with one item removed, (Request by SC Detention Center to assist with funding for purchase of a Narcotics K9 detection dog) was approved.
3. During Visitors Comments, Band Booster President Anna Scates spoke on behalf of band parents/members to voice their concerns about the possible relocation of the high school band room and offer a possible solution. Several other parents of band members were in attendance.
4. Superintendent and Staff Reports included: 2011-2012 drug testing report, ODT student trips, ODT administrative travel, daycare financial report, food service financial report, monthly vendor report, monthly investment report, monthly reconciliation, review student handbooks for 2012-2013, and 2012 AP scores report.
9. The following personnel report was submitted. Employment was reported for 4 certified employees (including 1 principal at LOPC, 1 SpEd teacher at SES, 1 elementary teacher at LES and 1 assistant principal at SES), 2 bus monitor/sub drivers, 1 bus mechanic and 1 operations manager. There was 1 transfer and 7 resignations.
10. The following consent items were approved:
  - Approve minutes of previous meetings
  - Approve monthly financial report

- **Approve payment of bills, salaries and regular accounts**
- **Approve 2012-2013 Supervision Plans**
- **Approve fundraising forms -SES**
- **Approve Superintendent's goals for 2012-2013**

11. **Approved school fee schedules for 2012-2013, including textbook rental**
12. **Awarded food service bids for 2012-2013**
13. **Approved 2012-2013 extended days list**
14. **Approved use of a common carrier and out of district travel for FSMS student trip to Washington, DC and Philadelphia**
15. **Approved 2012-2013 extra duty supplements (use existing formula/honor existing experience)**
16. **Approved SSAC request for \$1200 contribution to 2012 Wildcat Orientation**
17. **The Board formally adjourned.**

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