

FORT PAYNE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD BRIEFS

October, Regular Monthly Meeting 6 PM in the Conference Room of the Central Office

Called the meeting to order and welcomed

Established a quorum.

Approved the minutes of the September 29, 2022, Regular Monthly Meeting, as submitted.

I Personnel

A. Transfers

1. Approved the transfer of Jamie McClung, from Assistant Principal at WAES to Early Childhood (Pre-K) Director at WAES, effective October 1, 2022, as submitted.

B. Recommendations

1. Approved Kristy Bell, as an Attendance Specialist within the Fort Payne City School System, effective November 1, 2022, and non-renew her contract on May 26, 2022, as submitted.
2. Approved Lizbet Medina-Trinidad, as a System-wide EL Aide, effective November 1, 2022, and non-renew her contract on May 26, 2023, as submitted.

Pending the following:

- ABI/FBI Background Check
 - WorkKeys Test Scores
3. Approved Buster Watts, as a Volunteer Assistant Basketball Coach within the Fort Payne City Schools Basketball Program, effective for the 2022-2023 school year, as submitted.

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C. Other

1. Approved the additions to the following substitute personnel lists, effective for the 2022-2023 school year, as submitted.

- CNP
- Teachers

II Approved a request to allow CNP Workers to work additional weekend hours to accept grocery deliveries for the 2022-2023 school year, due to a shortage in delivery drivers, as submitted.

III Approved the following ALSDE approved TEAMS Teacher contract in the area of Math, as submitted:

- Preliminary 1 Year Contract, effective October 6, 2022
Stephanie Gruber

IV Approved the following out of state travel, as submitted:

- Patrick Barnes, Athletic Director/Principal FPHS
 - FPHS Wrestling Team
 - Dade County, Ga – December 8, 2022
 - Armuchee, Ga - December 22-23, 2022
 - Marion County, TN – January 10, 2023

- V Approved extending the existing lowest bid's substantially in compliance with the required specifications, for Supplemental Grocery items from Osborn – K12 Foodservice effective for the 2022-2023 school year, as submitted.
- VI Approved a contract with Musco Lighting, LLC, in the amount of \$164,500.00 (a Sourcewell pre-approved Cooperative Purchasing Agreement approved by the ALSDE), for lighting upgrades to the FPHS Soccer Field , as submitted.
- VII Approved the Preliminary September 2022, financial statements and bank reconciliation report, as submitted.

VIII Superintendent's Report

Congratulations to the Boys and Girls XC teams for their outstanding performance at the Jesse Owens Invitational .

The Girls finished 4th out of 36 teams.

- Top finishers for the girls were:
Anahi Barboza
Kyndal Hughes
Abigail Vega
Madison Wright
Reese McCurdy

The Boys finished 11th out of 45 teams.

- Top finishers for the boys were:
Pablo Rodriguez
Lane Pilotte
Samuel Moses
Tyler Anthony
Ian Norman

Congratulations to Kyndal Hughes from FPMS on her performance in the Jesse Owens Classic with the varsity cross country team. She was the second finisher for Fort Payne and placed 17th out of 261 runners. She had a PR of 19:53.

The JV and varsity cross country teams ran in the Springville Invitational. Both varsity girls and boys teams won 1st place.

- Daniel Deleon ran for the varsity boys.
- Running for the girls' varsity team were:
Ava Kate Jett-12th place
Arianna Ignacio-11th place
Kyndal Hughes-2nd place
- Running for the JV boys' team were:
Matias Jimenez-18th place
Zair Ovalle-8th place
- Running for the JV girls' team were:
Sarah Morgan-8th place
Ellie Cyrus-3rd place
Kailey Cameron-2nd place
Isabel Reyes-1st place

Congratulations to the FPMS Boys and Girls XC teams for their outstanding performance at the Springville Invitational.

The Girls and Boys team both finished 1st overall.

- Top finishers for the girls were:
Anahi Barboza
Kyndal Hughes
Abigail Vega
Reese McCurdy
Madison Wright
- Top finishers for the boys were:
Lane Pilotte
Pablo Rodriguez
Samuel Moses
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Ian Norman

Congratulations to the Varsity and JV Boys and Girls at the Husky Challenge in Trussville. The Varsity Boys placed 7th with Daniel Deleon running from FPMS. The Varsity Girls placed 4th with 125 girls competing in a very tough competition.

Top finishers for the girls were:

Kyndal Hughes 20th Place

Arianna Ignacio 37th Place

Ava Jett 47th Place

The JV Girls Placed 2nd 115 Girls competing

Isabel Reyes 8th Place

Kailey Cameron 16th Place

Congratulations to the Boys and Girls XC teams for their outstanding performance at the Last Chance Invitational.

The Girls finished 1st out of 16 teams.

Top finishers for the girls were:

- Anahi Barboza
- Kyndal Hughes
- Madison Wright
- Abigail Vega
- Arianna Ignacio

The Boys finished 6th out of 19 teams.

Top finishers for the boys were:

- Pablo Rodriguez
- Samuel Moses
- Lane Pilotte
- Tyler Anthony
- Daniel Deleon

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Congratulations to the Varsity boys and girls Cross Country teams ran in the Scottsboro Last Chance Invitational.

The boys placed 8th with Daniel Deleon running from FPMS. He had a PR of 18:24.

The Girls placed 1st Place

Top Finishers for the girls were:

- Kyndal Hughes 6th Place
- 21st-Arianna Ignacio 21st Place
- Ava Jett 42nd Place
- Isabel Reyes 48th Place
- Kailey Cameron 53rd Place

Great job to all runners!!!

Congratulations to the FPMS JROTC Wildcat Battalion had 50 cadets to compete in the JSU Gamecock Challenge Drill Competition. The cadets did an outstanding job and brought home 8 trophies including:

- Individual Air Rifle Division:
Barrett Bible, 1st Place
Carmella Cisneros, 2nd Place
Lucas Blevins, 3rd Place
- Color Guard Division 1st and 2nd Place
- Team Academics 2nd Place
- Team Physical Training 3rd Place
- Unarmed Platoon Inspection 3rd Place
- Knockout Drill 2nd Place
Bronson Burchell brought 2nd place. This is a first time ever for FPMS Cadets in this division.

Mr. Jett congratulated Mr. Black and his Drone Lab students. The students took the FAA exam to earn their sUAS Part 107c. After 9 weeks of prep work, drone flights and studies, 5 students earned their FAA Commercial Drone License.

The following students can now legally fly drones in a business setting where they can earn extra money.

Frankie Solis
Kali LaGrone
Dylan Loudermilk
Evelyn Mateo
Presten Hunt

Mr. Black will be carrying another group of 7 students for their exam in the next few weeks.

The State of Alabama recognized the National School Lunch Program (NSLP), serving nearly 30 million children each day, with Governor Kay Ivey signing a Proclamation. Alabama schools will celebrate NSLP from October 10-14, 2022. The fun and creative campaign theme, "Peace, Love & School Lunch," highlights the importance of a healthy school lunch to a student's success both in and out of the classroom.

Mr. Jett congratulated Dr. Adkins on being chosen to participate in the ceremony of the Governor's Proclamation Signing at the Alabama State Capital in Montgomery. Ava Kate Brandon a WVES 2nd Grade Student also represented Fort Payne City Schools.

Congratulations to Mrs. Sharon Jones for reaching Level 1 in the Alabama Association of School Boards School Board Member Academy.

Mr. Jett announced a Board Training set for November 1, 2022, beginning at 12 Noon. This is a webinar entitled Talking to Your Community about Counseling Standards.

- IX Approved November 17, 2022, at 6:00 PM in the conference room of the Central Office as the date, time and location of the next regular Board Meeting.
- X Adjourned