

DAYTON CITY SCHOOL BOARD - REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

DATE: OCTOBER 4, 1999

TIME: 5:45 P.M.

The Dayton City School Board met in regular session on Monday, October 4, 1999, at 5:45 P.M. in the Dayton Municipal Building with the following members present: Board Member Stuart Bacon, Vice Chairman Wendell Brown, Board Member Bob Vincent, Chairman Sam Swafford and Superintendent Richard Fisher. Board Member Jim Barnes was absent when the following proceedings were had and entered of record.

Chairman Swafford called the meeting to order at 5:45 P.M.

Chairman Swafford asked Superintendent Richard Fisher to open the meeting with prayer.

Chairman Swafford called for Agenda Item 2 - Recognition of public wishing to address the board.

Chairman Swafford recognized Ms. Dorothy Hunter. Ms. Hunter presented the Character Education for October. She said that DCS was going to have a food drive in October to help teach "Responsibility" for themselves, their belongings and others. The staff at DCS is supporting Character Education with displays in hallways and classrooms.

Ms. Hunter presented the School Board with a Wish List for Character Education. The County Wide Character Education Budget that Rhea County has is between \$36,000 and \$38,000. They have raised some of the monies and if the City wanted to donate an item then they would need to contact Ms. Sue Brown, Rhea County Department of Education. This donation would go County Wide not just for DCS.

Ms. Hunter also stated that their major expense at DCS was in laminating and she has asked Ms. Brown if the County would help provide paper and supplies.

Principal Dale Hayes added that Teachers are doing a great job and kids are learning in the classrooms.

Ms. Hunter said that Sue Brown had told her that there is a dinner on October 26, 1999, at the Bailey House for Dr. Vincent, the person that had developed Character Education. The cost would be \$8.28 each plus gratuity. If any of the School Board would like to go they would need to let her know.

Chairman Swafford called for Agenda Item 3 - Approval of minutes from September meeting.

Board Member Vincent moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Motion seconded by Vice Chairman Brown.

VOTE:

BACON, AYE BROWN, AYE VINCENT, AYE
SWAFFORD, AYE MOTION CARRIED.

VOTE:

BACON, AYE
SWAFFORD, AYE

BROWN, AYE
MOTION CARRIED.


VINCENT, AYE

Board Member Swafford called for Agenda Item 9 - Other items.

- A. Principal Hayes stated that he was impressed and pleased with the Accelerated Reader Program at DCS because kids were reading books because they had reading goals they had to meet, but the Library was staying busy before and after school with students checking out books.
- B. Superintendent Fisher reported that the Health Inspector had given the School a 96 and the Cafeteria a 97 and he was going to recommend DCS to Channel 9 for receiving a good report and their cleanliness.
- C. Superintendent Fisher invited the School Board to DCS on October 14, 1999, for Plant Manager's Discover DCS Day from 12:00 Noon to 1:30 P.M.
- D. Superintendent Fisher stated that Matt Marcus had figured out a way to email articles and pictures to the Herald News so that they did not have to send someone down there with the information.

There being no further business the School Board Meeting was adjourned at 6:23 P.M.


SUPERINTENDENT RICHARD FISHER


CHAIRMAN SAMUEL L. SWAFFORD

OTHERS PRESENT:

Tammy Colvin, City of Dayton
Ronnie Raper, City of Dayton
Sara Nichols, DCS
Jennifer Hurley, DCS
Dianne Cochran, DCS
J. Hunter
Dorothy Hunter, DCS
Tony Castlen, DCS
Chloe Dorsey, DCS
Timothy S. Bastian