

# Uintah School District School Board Highlights

September 13, 2011 business meeting

Adoption of Rules of Order and Procedure: A motion was made by Dr. James Allen to adopt the Rules of Order and Procedure for the Uintah School District Board of Education meetings. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried.

Superintendent's Report: Superintendent Mark Dockins shared Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) information from the 2010-2011 school year. This is public information and anyone wishing to review the results can access it from the Uintah School District web page.

Business Administrator's Report: Randy Upton gave updates and reports on the following: new accounting system for the district. Topics discussed in a meeting earlier in the day with legislators regarding issues of WPU funding; property tax revision; collective bargaining; and UCAT funding. Mr. Upton gave preliminary numbers on enrollment – as of this date are just shy of 7,000 students enrolled.

Approval to Purchase CNG Bus: A motion was made by Mark Caldwell to table the approval to purchase a CNG bus. Shane Oaks seconded the motion; motion carried.

Approval to Purchase Replacement Bus: A motion was made by Dr. James Allen to approve the purchase of a bus to replace the bus that was recently involved in an accident. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried.

Naming of Training Center & Indoor Sports Complex: A motion was made by Shane Oaks to name the teacher training center *Maeser Training Center* and to name the new indoor sports complex *Uintah Indoor Sports Complex*. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried.

Approval of Revised Connections Salary Schedule: A motion was made by Mark Caldwell to approve the addition of Connection Site Facilitator to the Salary Schedule. Dr. James Allen seconded the motion; motion carried.

Approval of New Policy 007.0635 Concussion Policy: (1<sup>st</sup> Reading) A motion was made by Mark Caldwell to accept Policy 007.0635 on first reading with the directed changes. Shane Oaks seconded the motion; motion carried.

Approval of Revised Policy 007.0630 Drug & Alcohol Testing of Students Participating in Extracurricular Activities: A motion was made by Dr. James Allen to approve the revision to Policy 007.0630 as presented. Shane Oaks seconded the motion; motion carried.

Approval of Out-of-State Travel Requests: A motion was made by Dr. James Allen to approve the out-of-state travel requests as presented. Mark Caldwell seconded the motion; motion carried.

- Alisa Thacker to attend the *Closing the Gap Conference* in Minneapolis, Minnesota, October 13-14, 2011. Funding will be from a state grant.
- Lynn Bigelow to attend *Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings* in Albuquerque, NM, November 7-11, 2011. Funding will be from a grant.
- MarKay Anderson and Tammy Christensen to attend the *Daily 5 and CAFÉ* workshop, a Language Arts program in Rockland, Maine, October 15-16, 2011. Funding is from the K-3 or Student Intervention budget.

**Personnel:** Appointment of Personnel: The following individuals were approved for appointment by the Uintah School District Board of Education:

Peggy Vernon – Teacher @ Ashley  
Mandi Andersen – Teacher @ Eagle View  
Jessica Wright – Teacher @ Lapoint  
Alicia Goodrich – Music Specialist @ Ashley  
Sarah Eaton – Visual Arts Teacher @ Maeser  
Ryan McKnab – Teacher @ UHS  
Erin Brown –Choir Teacher @ Eagle View  
Becky Dastrup – Aide @ AVEC  
Kori Johnson – SpEd Teaching Assistant @ Davis  
Laura Pead – Teaching Assistant (TA) @ Ashley  
Kara Monson – TA @ Ashley  
Jennifer Bennion, TA @ Ashley  
Sonja Labrum, TA @ Ashley  
DawnaLee Chrisitansen – TA @ Discovery  
Julie May – Connections @ Lapoint  
Danielle Holmes – Reading Tutor @ Naples  
Nancy Wales – Reading Tutor @ Naples  
Mindy Hunt – Food Services Worker  
Johana Schliesser – Sweeper @ Discovery  
Claudia Bender – Sweeper @ VMS  
Ambrosia Sheehan – TA/Communication Facilitator  
Sandy Foley – SpEd TA @ Lapoint  
JoAnn Wall- Connections @ Ashley  
Teah Collins – Connections @ Ashley  
Christine Bartlett – SpEd Teacher @ Eagle View  
Sean Searle – Transportation  
Connie Long – Transportation  
Tonya Stevens – Transportation  
Kippie Bergstrom – PE Specialist @ Lapoint  
Todd Davis – Teacher @ AVEC  
Kristin Crooks – Part-time Secretary @ Ashley  
Clinton Young – TA @ Ashley  
George Strano – Teacher @ VJH  
Carissa Meloche – Music Specialist @ Discovery  
Barbara Merrell – Reading Tutor @ Naples  
Patricia Ljungvall – Sweeper @ AVEC  
Lesla O’Driscoll – Food Services Worker  
Suzanne Johnson – PE Specialist @ Naples

Todd Shiner – Asst. Football Coach  
Lee Slauch – Asst. Football Coach  
Bryan Calder – Asst. Boys' Soccer Coach  
Andy Messersmith – Asst. Wrestling Coach  
Jourdyn Thomas – Head Cheer Coach

New Assignments/Transfers:

Chalyn Thomas – Full-time Dance/Drama Teacher @ Discovery  
Kristy Bortz – from half-time to full-time Teacher @ Davis  
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Laura Mott – from Teaching Assistant @ Naples to TA @ Ashley  
Debbie Hayes – from SpEd Teacher @ EVE to SpEd Teacher @ Davis  
Tami Chew – from SpEd Teacher @ Davis to SpEd Teacher @ Central Education Center  
Julie May – from Connections Teacher to Connections Site Facilitator @ Lapoint  
Laura Ainge – from part-time to contract Food Services Worker  
Lindsay Germer – from 19.5 to 29.5 In School Suspension Aide @ VMS

Leave of Absence: The Uintah School District Board of Education approved a one-year leave of absence request from Rhonda Jones.

Resignation of Personnel: Letters of Resignation have been received from the following:

Shirlyne Trevizo – Food Services Worker @ Naples – effective 8/9/11  
Nelson Pierce – PE Specialist @ Maeser – effective 8/11/11  
Deborah Harp – Teacher @ VJH – effective 8/15/11  
Robyn Lance – Food Services Worker @ Davis – effective 8/15/11  
Elizabeth Goode – Reading Tutor @ Naples – effective 8/23/11  
Karen Brewer – Reading Tutor @ Davis – effective 8/19/11  
Rosemarie Holland – Reading Tutor @ Davis – effective 8/29/11  
Nicole Evans – TA @ Discovery – effective 8/19/11  
Roberta Mapother – Part-time Secretary @ Eagle View – effective 8/18/11  
Trudy Rich – Food Services Worker – effective 8/17/11  
Stacey Williams – Media Aide @ Discovery – effective until replacement hired  
Chelsie Perez – TA @ Ashley – effective 8/23/11  
Sherry Weaver – TA @ Ashley – effective 8/23/11  
Lyndi Jackson – Head Cheer Coach – effective 8/29/11  
Roberta Mapother – SpEd TA @ Eagle View – effective 8/29/11  
Laura Graham – SpEd TA & HR Office Aide @ Naples & District Office – effective 9/9/11  
Brooke Long – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Volleyball Coach – effective 6/5/11  
Steve Labrum – Asst. Wrestling Coach – effective 8/29/11  
Reese Jensen – Asst. Football Coach – effective 8/30/11  
Celia Emmons – Music Specialist @ Maeser – effective 8/22/11  
Keesha Stewart – TA @ Eagle View – effective 8/19/11  
JanaLee Purtle – Connections Site Facilitator @ Eagle View – effective 9/2/11