

WEAKLEY COUNTY SCHOOLS

**Gleason School
February 7, 2019
5:00 – 5:50 P.M.**

Board Members: Beau Atkins, Jeff Floyd, Martin Hamlin, John Hatler, Kim Longacre, Gath Meeks, Joshua Moore & Steve Vantrease.
(Absent-Doug Sims)

Administrative Staff Present: Michelle Clements, Jeromy Davidson, Lee Lawrence, David Lewellen, Melanie Needham, Terri Stephenson, Chuck West, Marvin Flatt, Betsi Foster, Donald Ray High, Teresa Jackson, Jeff Kelley, Mark Maddox, Deborah Perkins & Trista Snider.

Media Present: *Dresden Enterprise, Weakley County Press & WCMT.*

Meeting Called To Order: Chairman Vantrease called the meeting to order.

- I. Agenda Additions Approved** – Motion by Floyd, seconded by Hatler to approve the February 7, 2019 agenda additions. Motion carried.
- II. Agenda Approved** – Motion by Meeks, seconded by Moore to approve the February 7, 2019 agenda. Motion carried.
- III. Minutes Approved** – Motion by Moore, seconded by Longacre to approve the minutes from the January 3, 2019 meeting. Motion carried.
- IV. Safe Schools Update** – Safe Schools Coordinator Lorna Benson gave an update on SRO Officers in all the schools. She also talked about the SSAE Grant Project and the Grant funding for “LifeSkills” for Weakley County Schools.
- V. Music & Art Education Presentation** – Katie Mantooth gave a presentation about the survey that was offered to parents of Weakley County & information relative to the Music & Arts Education for the Weakley County School System. Motion by Moore, seconded by Hatler to refer this proposal to the Curriculum Committee for a report to discuss a recommendation at another board meeting. Motion carried.
- VI. Graduation Date Set** – Motion by Hatler, seconded by Moore to approve May 17, 2019 as the date for graduation at county high schools. Motion carried.

- VII. Volunteer Coaches** – Motion by Floyd, seconded by Hamlin to hire the following volunteer coaches. Motion carried.

Gleason School

Carla Craddock, Softball

Greenfield School

Payton Bankston, Baseball(Jr & High School)

Cade Craft, Baseball(Jr & High School)

- VIII. Budget Resolutions** – The following resolutions were approved.

Resolution 142-19-04 – Motion by Longacre, seconded by Meeks to approve Resolution 142-19-04. Motion carried.

Resolution 2019-23 – Motion by Hatler, seconded by Floyd to approve Resolution 2019-23. Motion carried.

- IX. Approve Board Policy 6.4051** – Motion by Meeks, seconded by Moore to approve Board Policy 6.4051. Motion carried. 1st Reading

- X. Committee Reports** – Vantrease gave the dates for a Civil Rights Conference at UTM that would be beneficial for the students of Weakley County & discussed Day On The Hill which Vantrease & Moore will be attending February 18-19th, 2019 in Nashville, TN.

- XI. Consent Items** – Motion by Meeks, seconded by Longacre to approve the following consent items. Motion carried.

A. Field Trips –

S.C.O.P.E. Representatives (8) (2 from each high school) to travel to Murfreesboro, TN to MTSU March 4-5, 2019.

Dresden High School

1. Book Club to travel to Murfreesboro, TN to visit MTSU March 8, 2019.
2. SkillsUSA to travel to Chattanooga, TN to participate in the State Leadership Conference March 31-April 3, 2019.

Adjourn – Steve Vantrease adjourned the meeting at 5:50 PM.

Steve Vantrease, Chairman

Randy Frazier, Secretary