



GREEN LAKE

SCHOOL DISTRICT

AN ENVIRONMENT OF EXCELLENCE



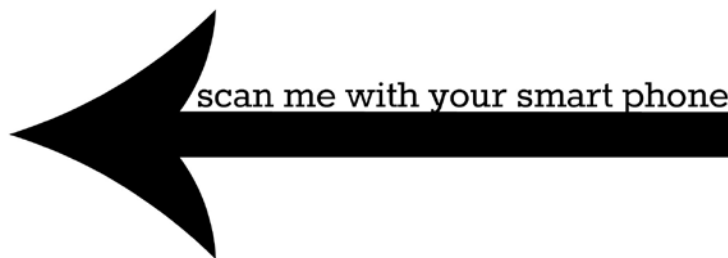
December, 2018 NEWSLETTER



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**From The Desk Of
The Principal
Gina Baxter**



Student Chosen for State World Language Postcard Contest

Earlier this year, world language students had the opportunity to enter designs in the Wisconsin Association for Language Teachers' Annual Postcard Contest. This year, the theme of the contest was "Languages: Explore a World of Opportunities." Emilie Hurley, a 5th Grader in Señor LeGreve's elementary Spanish class, was chosen as a winner for the 5th grade category. Emilie had her design included in a pack of postcards that were handed out to world language teachers around the state. Congratulations to Emilie for successfully combining her artistic talents and her language learning!

District Board Of Education Members

- Meade Grim
- Loni Meiborg
- Ron Triemstra
- Sue Sorenson
- Sydney Rouse
- Sarah Allen
- Andy Gyske



**Superintendent
Mary Allen**

The Green Lake School District, in partnership with the community, commits to an education of excellence by creating a safe environment that encourages mutual respect, enthusiasm for learning through personal attention, and integrated, challenging curriculum so that students can reach their full potential as positive members of our community and the world beyond the classroom.

Message from the District Administrator

Dear Families,

I often get remarks from people new to the community about our International Baccalaureate program. For example, people ask, "How and why did little Green Lake become an IB school?"

Eight years ago the Green Lake School District underwent a rigorous authorization process in order to deliver the IB program to students in grades 4K-12. Since then the district has had the fortunate opportunity to be part of the International Baccalaureate (IB) community which includes 4,775 schools across 153 different countries. Many IB schools have entrance requirements and charge tuition to attend. In Green Lake, all students in grades 4K-12 are given the opportunity to be IB students.

When the International Baccalaureate Program was conceived in 1968 its global vision was "to foster open and enlightened minds through education programs crafted to suit students at all development stages between 3 and 19 years old." By doing this, young people who study in an IB program will, "help to create a better and more peaceful world."

So, what makes IB unique? An IB education encompasses a wide range of skills that go beyond academic success. The IB learner profile encourages students to become inquirers, knowledgeable, thinkers, communicators, principled, open-minded, caring, risk-takers, balanced and reflective. Coupled with academic rigor, these attributes have a powerful impact in shaping student lives.

Our school is filled with reminders of our graduates who studied in the IB program. A requirement of IB is fulfilling a service project. Some of the projects set in motion by IB Diploma candidates are: the new school sign, the new stage curtains (coming soon), the multi-media lab, and the buddy bench on the elementary playground. These projects remind us every day of the hard work and dedication of our students.

In December, our graduates will come back to our school to talk to the undergraduates about their experiences after high school. Some will share their success and others may talk about their struggles. Nevertheless, it is an amazing time for our undergraduates to hear about life after high school and ask questions.

Please share the holiday season with us this year by attending the scheduled Choir and Band concerts. Our students have amazing talents that will definitely put you in the spirit.

Wishing you a happy holiday season!

Friendly Food Service Account Reminders: If the funds in your student's meal account fall to -\$10.00, your student will not be able to participate in the school meal program until the balance in your account is in good standing. Notices via e-mail and US mail will be sent when meal accounts are past due. All second lunches and ala carte items are charged to your student's meal account. They are not free or reduced.

Attendance: The district is asking that students who are missing school for doctor or dentist appointments, ask the receptionist for a "school note" to give to the school office upon return. The Department of Public Instruction has changed attendance reporting, and it is important for the district to have this documentation. Please continue to adhere to the district's attendance policy and schedule appointments outside of school whenever possible. Thank you for your help!

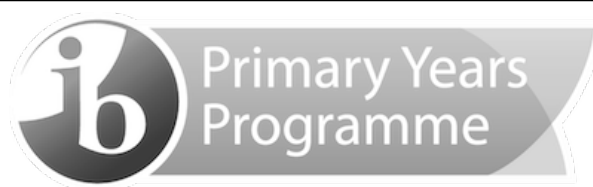
Sharing and Being Healthy

The Kindergarten students learned about the food groups in their first IB unit this year - what foods are in each group, how those foods help our bodies stay healthy, and how to choose foods from each group to create a healthy meal. They also learned about the foods that are best saved for a treat - such as soda, cookies, candy, chips etc.

With their parent's help, the K kids were given the initiative to go shopping with their family and identify one such food that is usually purchased during grocery shopping. For that one time, the child was asked to identify the food they did NOT want to purchase that day, and instead put that amount of cash in an envelope to bring to school.

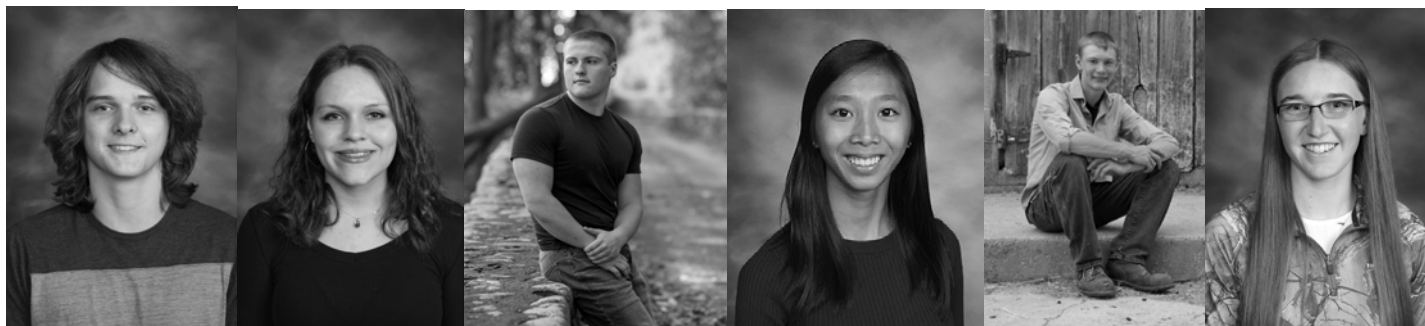
In kindergarten we had a collection box from Feed My Starving Children, an organization which creates meals designed to keep children from starving. The cost to create these meals of rice, soy, protein powder and dried vegetables in 22 cents per meal. Volunteers do all the packing, and missionaries deliver them, so most of the donations given go towards the ingredients for the meals.

Through the generosity of the kindergarten kids and their families we are able to donate \$22.00 to create 100 meals. Madilyn left cake pops at the store, Nyla didn't buy donuts, and Weston's family did without gum, gatorade, coffee and CheezIts for a week. They made many children healthier and happier by making these choices.



Introducing GLHS Rotary Students of the Month

Chosen by GLSD teachers, these students exhibit excellence both academically and through community involvement. Each student chosen will attend meetings to learn more about Rotary International. These students portray the IB attributes.



Joe Simmers Lauren Chyma Gunnar Lueschen Mhari Gohlke Branden Stibb Kim Claggett

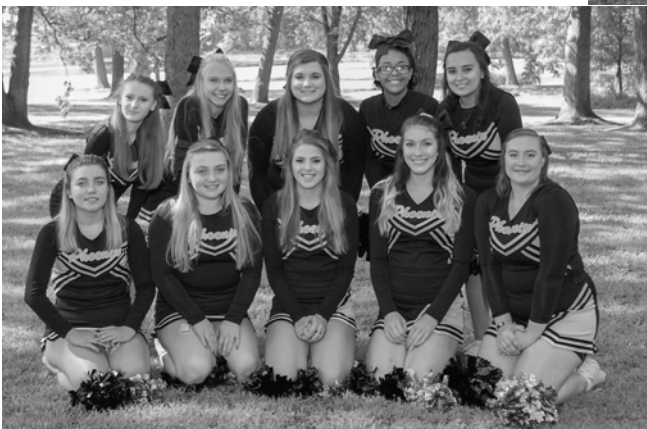
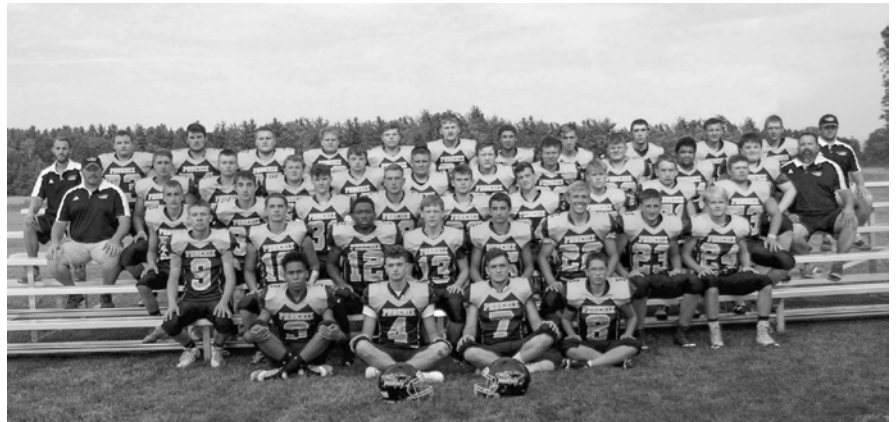
Camping at the School Forest

This fall Green Lake's Outdoor Education program had two camping trips and one renovation project. The first trip was the science club's annual trip up to the Willow Flowage near Tomahawk, WI. Students comprised of juniors and seniors paddled three miles with their camping equipment to find an unoccupied, secluded, group campsite. Some of the highlights from the trip were catching/eating fish, cooking on an open fire, setting up a "hammock city," miles of sandy beach, warm weather, and shooting stars.

The 9th grade students did a class camping trip at the school forest in the conference center. Their service learning project this fall was to help the Green Lake Sanitary District mulch Hammer's Trail. Besides trail work, students had the opportunity to learn to set up tents, fish, gather wood, and cook meals that they had planned and prepared. They also had an afternoon with all of the secondary teachers learning different aspects of the Civil War in the forest. Our freshmen learned and performed Civil War songs and military drills. They cooked hard tack over an open fire. They learned how to build shelters using a tarp and sticks and a little information on what the tents looked like. Finally, they studied the outcomes and conditions of the medical practice at this time.

The 10th grade students began work on renovating the cabin on the school forest. Students learned about the process of demolition and recycling of material. They worked together to get the cabin gutted and prepared for future use. Our sophomores worked in teams based on the work that needed to be done. Some students cleared brush away from outside the cabin, while another team worked on rebuilding a picnic table





**NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GREEN LAKE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to qualified electors of the School District of Green Lake that a school board election will be held on Tuesday, April 2, 2019. The term of office for school board members is a 3-year term, April 22, 2019 – April 24, 2022.

Office

School Board Member
School Board Member

Incumbent

Susan Sorenson
Sydney Rouse

Note: December 21, 2018 by 5:00 pm is the last day for **incumbents not seeking** reelection to file **Notification of Non-Candidacy** (Form EL-163) with the filing officer.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that if a primary election is necessary, the primary will be held on Tuesday, February 19, 2019.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that an elector desiring to be a candidate for a position on the Green Lake School Board must file a sworn "Declaration of Candidacy" (Form EL-162sd) and a Campaign Registration Statement (ETHCF-1) at the Green Lake School Administrative Office located at 612 Mill Street, or may file personally with the School District Clerk, Ronald Triemstra, no later than 5:00 p.m. January 2, 2019.

Forms are available from the district clerk or from the school's administrative office. Once filed, a "Declaration of Candidacy" **may not** be withdrawn. Note: If an incumbent fails to file his or her "Declaration of Candidacy" by January 2, 2019 and also did not file a non-candidacy notice on or before December 21, 2018, then the filing deadline for other candidates is extended by 72 hours.

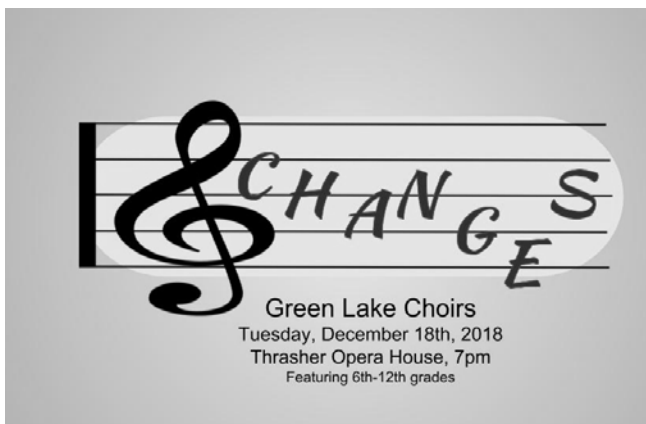
A description of the school district boundaries can be obtained from the Green Lake School Administrative Office.

Dated this 5th day of November, 2018

Ronald Triemstra
School District Clerk



On Friday, December 21, 2018 to celebrate our school and to hear about our graduates' most recent adventures and accomplishments, we are inviting Green Lake graduates to our annual "Home for the Holidays" gathering. This will take place from 12:20pm – 1:40pm in the Collaboration Room. Please use the main entrance and check in with Mrs. Bond.



In collaboration with *Cause of the Mondays* hosted by Vines & Rushes, the Green Lake HS choir will receive 25% of food sales and any additional cash donations received on Monday, December 17th, 2018, from 4-8pm.

Vines & Rushes Winery
410 County Rd E
Ripon, WI 54971

Please bring EVERYONE you know and eat LOTS of pizza!! Choir students will be singing holiday carols throughout the evening. We are raising money for our choir performance cruise.

Choir Dinner & Fundraiser

Come for Pizza, Holiday Caroling, and good-fun fundraising!



Counseling Connection from the Elementary Guidance Office:

Welcome back to a year filled with social emotional learning. This is our third year implementing the Second Step curriculum and we are starting to see increased student understanding of what social emotional learning is and how each student can support others in our school-wide quest to becoming more empathic. Students are now using the language they have learned in Second Step so a strong focus this year is the application of what they are learning.

October was bullying awareness month and again this year students dressed up to show their support against bullying. Students are learning what a bystander is and how being one can negatively or positively effect what is happening around them, how and what to do to stay safe, and what the difference is between reporting and tattling in their Second Step lessons.

Student mental health is at the forefront this year. We continue to work together to build a program that provides a safe environment for all of our students. Through our Second Step lessons, Love and Logic training, and trauma sensitive care trainings, staff are committed to the integration of mental health and education in our school.

For more information on mental health, please visit:

<http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net/conditions/childrens-mental-health>

<https://www.nimh.nih.gov/health/publications/children-and-mental-health/index.shtml>



**Welcome
Mrs. Linde**

I'm excited to start my new adventure with the Green Lake School District as the school counselor serving students grades 7 through 12.

A little about my professional life...

After a few career changes, I decided to enter into education 15 years ago as a business education teacher. I enjoyed teaching for 13 years. While teaching, I completed both a master degree in educational technology and school counseling. The last two years I have been an elementary school counselor.

A little about my personal life...

My husband and I have been married for 32 years. We have two grown children who have blessed us with 2 beautiful grandchildren. We currently live south of Waupun, but are excited to say we will be building in the town of Brooklyn very soon.

We enjoy spending time with family and will soon be enjoying time in, and on, Green Lake.

From the Secondary Guidance Office:

The year has started out well!

Seventh through twelfth grade have been busy working on their Academic Career Plans (ACP). September, October, and now in November, we have been busy updating our activity logs from prior years, entering our academic SMART goals into Career Cruising, understanding our learning styles and completing the skills and interest assessment to help us better understand what we want to be when we grow up.

Seniors are busy applying to college, completing FAFSA or examining their plan for after graduation. I will be sending information in the coming month for scholarship opportunities. Juniors will be researching colleges, or careers, to help them better understand what's best for them after high school. Sophomores and freshmen are leaning what is needed to graduate high school and the importance of having a plan after graduation. Seventh and eighth graders are learning the importance of high school and the importance of being a good student and citizen through showing empathy for one another.

I have just finished the ACP conferences for seniors. Juniors, watch your mail concerning your ACP conference.

STEAM Exploration for 8th Grade Boys

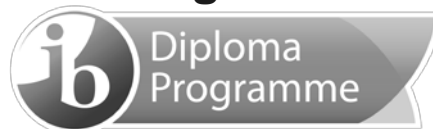
Twelve boys in our 8th grade math class attended UW-Stevens Point's STEAM Exploration Day on Friday, November 2. Each student attended 3 of the 21 workshops offered, and moved around the whole campus to do so. The workshops most popular with our students were "Using Nanochemistry to Tackle Important Societal Problems," "A Beginners Guide to Estimating the Age of Fish," "Would you Drink this Water?" and "Critical Making with Film Video, Animation and Audio Technologies." 8th grade girls will be able to attend a similar event in February.

**Notes from the Nurse:**

We ask that if your child is not feeling well to consider keeping him/her at home. This information is to serve as an informational guideline in preventing the spread of communicable disease in school. If any of the following symptoms are noted, they should not be at school:

- A temperature of 100 degrees or more
- On antibiotics less than 24 hours
- A productive cough or continuous coughing
- Purulent (green, yellow, thick, or otherwise unusual) nasal or eye drainage
- Diarrhea or frequent stools
- Skin rashes/eruptions
- Red throat, swollen glands around jaws, ears, or neck
- Complaints of ear ache, severe stomach ache, sore throat, severe headache
- Nausea or vomiting (during the night or in the morning)
- Lethargy, complaints of muscular aches and pains
- Head or body lice

Students presenting any signs or symptoms mentioned above should remain home until they are symptom free for 24 hours. Our purpose is not only to protect all students, but also prevent students from returning to school with a decreased resistance to infections. Your cooperation in maintaining a healthy school environment for all students is appreciated.

Eighteen Students Register for IB Assessment

Eleven seniors and seven juniors have registered for May 2019 International Baccalaureate Diploma Program assessment. Three seniors and all seven juniors are pursuing full diplomas. IB assessments provide a national and international academic credential to complement a student's high school diploma. Like The College Board's Advanced Placement program, IB assessments can provide college credit. They provide evidence that students are independent learners with the knowledge and understanding to succeed in the workplace and higher education. Green Lake is one of the few schools in the world offering all three IB programs and the only IB school in central Wisconsin.



Congratulations to the cast and crew of Hansel and Gretel!

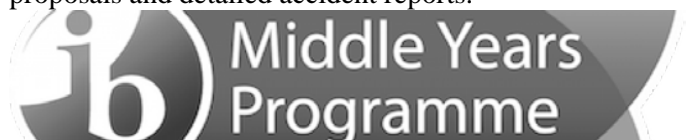


MYP Encompasses Peace, Personal Projects and Interdisciplinary Units this Fall

The Green Lake School District's website is sporting a new photo featuring the entire school body, something prompted by the IB MYP design cycle executed by the school's Innovative Leadership class. This student-driven annual event, the human peace sign, also inspired another project: a Green Lake Peace Pole. Our Peace Pole Project is one small step to help achieve the much bigger goal of increasing awareness of world peace. The Peace Pole Project was started in Japan by Masahisa Goi, who dedicated his life to spreading the message "May Peace Prevail on Earth." Mr. Goi was greatly affected by the destruction caused by World War II and the atomic bombs which fell on the cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki. The Peace Poles Project was first introduced to the United States in 1986 and Peace Poles are now one of the most recognized international peace symbols with more than 200,000 Peace Poles standing in 180 countries throughout the world. Ripon College is home to one of the Peace Poles.

Once again, our sophomores are energetically pursuing their MYP Personal Projects. This is a record-breaking year for us as we have 31 Personal Projects in progress. Staff has stepped up to the plate; some teachers are advising two and sometimes three students and their projects. All students have picked their topics, identified their global context, and set SMART goals at this point. They will begin formal research this month and will be ready with their final presentations of their products by the end of May.

Already, within the first quarter of this year, our MYP teachers have brought two interdisciplinary lessons to fruition in the school forest. During the freshman camping trip in September, many disciplines were represented in a Civil War reenactment. Mrs. S. Moore and Mrs. Pollack initiated this effort, recruiting Mr. Kuehn who taught students Civil War era drills, Mrs. Washkovick and Mrs. Priske who taught how to set up tents, Madame Feeney who taught how to cook hard tack over an open fire and Mrs. Hunter who went through the history of medicine. Dr. Rodgers was a great resource for medical procedures during this era. In October, Mr. Kuehn in Tech Ed and Mrs. C. Moore in English combined to help sophomore students to do an interior school cabin demolition. Students used the design cycle to plan and execute the demolition. In English, they learned to write work proposals and detailed accident reports.



School District of Green Lake Minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting

October 17, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Education was held Wednesday, October 17, 2018 in the Library Media Center. The meeting was called to order at 5:01 p.m. by President, Sue Sorenson.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Ripon Commonwealth Press and the Green Lake Reporter. In addition, notices of the meeting were posted in the display case of the school, at the Horicon Bank, the Green Lake Post Office and the school district website.

Roll Call:

Present—Sue Sorenson, Andy Gryske, Meade Grim, Sydney Rouse, Loni Meiborg, Sarah Allen and Ron Triemstra
Others present – Superintendent, Mary Allen; Elementary Principal, Gina Baxter, School Board Clerk, Donna Waterworth, Operations Manager, Tom Archambo and other community members and media.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

A motion was made by Ron Triemstra second by Andy Gryske to approve the agenda and consent agenda. Motion carried by voice vote. 7 – 0 absent – 0.

Community Connection

President Sue Sorenson led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA - NON-AGENDA ITEMS: None

RECOGNITION/GIFTS: Lauree Renaud, Walking School Bus Coordinator was recognized for her work with the Walk School Bus and National Walk to School Day. Lauree recently passed away and her husband did the walk for National Walk to School Day in her honor.

Tractor Benefit Donation – the school received a check for \$205.00 from tractor benefit this money will go to our needy student fund.

Discuss/Information Items:

SERVICE PROJECT PRESENTATION – SOCIAL/CULTURAL

ANTHROPOLOGY CLASS: Kathy Zeratsky and Mary Hunter presented a service project opportunity in Jamaica. The dates of the trip will be January 30 – February 6, 2019. The cost will be approximately \$1,200.00 per student. The trip would be offered to students currently enrolled in the IB Anthropology class and then to all juniors and seniors. The quote received was for 17 students and 2 chaperones. Some questions presented by the Board were in regards to safety, school responsibility and the possibility of going at a later date.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Sue Sorenson reviewed the attachment for CESA 6.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT: Reviewed the 3rd Friday memo – 303 students in seats, 95 open enrolled in and 62 open enrolled out, 3 seniors will be attempting a full IB diploma and next 9 juniors will be attempting a full IB diploma. The new school sign is ready to be installed. Due to zoning the school needs to apply for a variance before the sign can be installed. Meade Grim suggested that we pay for the variance and then pursue looking at have the properly zoned. Sandi Linde, Green Lake School Counselor, will attend a board meeting in the future to explain and update the board on how the ACP (Academic Career Planning) period is working.

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL REPORT: Green Lake was selected to participate in the NAP assessment this year. The NAP assessment is for students in 8th grade. Along with this assessment we will be doing the usual assessments. The ACT results became available today. Green Lake did very well in comparison to surrounding school districts.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS REPORT: The plans for the international house have been received. The school is working with the School Forest Committee on the ABA property.

CULTURE, COMMUNICATION, TRANSPARENCY REPORT (CCT): This committee is working on implementing staff recognition and is planning on having this program ready in November. The committee will be doing a presentation to staff on November 2 to explain what this program is and what they hope to accomplish.

SCHOOL SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT: The School Safety Committee had to cancel their meeting scheduled for October 10 due to scheduling conflicts. At the September 12 meeting the Committee reviewed the pick-up and drop-off procedures and this processes is now going very well and we have received positive feedback. Discussed threat assessment at the last meeting and the committee will be attending threat assessment training in March. The Safety Resources Officer (SRO) has been approved by all 4 entities that will share the services. The SRO will be in the Green Lake School District 50% of the time and the Princeton School District 50% of the time during the school year. During the summer the SRO will split their time between Green Lake and Princeton police departments.

FINANCE REPORT: Food service is up from last year for the first month of school. Year to date expenditures are on track and the finance committee is recommending a balanced budget. The committee has worked diligently on the budget watching and reviewing all expense and revenue accounts, and has been able to put funds into fund balance for the last couple years. School vans are saving the district money on busing and rentals and the savings are on the projected track to save the district approximately \$300,000 over 12 years.

EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT PROGRAM (ECCP)/START COLLEGE

NOW/PART-TIME OPEN ENROLLMENT CHANGES: Discussion on what this program is and how it works. This is covered under state statutes. We have a student that is applying for this program. The class that will be taken is an on-line class taken through U. W Oshkosh.

ATTENDANCE /CANCELLATIONS FOR COMMITTEE AND BOARD

MEETINGS: Reminder that if a meeting is scheduled we need to do everything possible to hold the meetings that have been scheduled and or posted.

PAPERLESS BOARD MEETINGS CONTRACT: Discussion on options for something different. A couple of options are to scan the board packets and email them to board members and post the board packet on the website, or board docs or google. Should probably renew for 1 year and explore or options.

Action Items:

APPROVE THE FINAL BUDGET FOR 2018-19: A motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve 2018-2019 budget as presented. Motion carried by a roll call vote Sydney Rouse – YES; Loni Meiborg – YES; Sarah Allen – YES; Ron Triemstra – YES; Meade Grim – YES; Andy Gryske – YES; Sue Sorenson – YES; 7 – 0 absent – 0.

ACCEPT THE DONATION FROM TRACTOR BENEFIT, INC.: A motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Andy Gryske to accept the donation of \$205.00 from Tractor Benefit Inc. Motion carried by voice vote. 7 – 0 absent – 0.

APPROVAL OF THE (ECCP) APPLICATIONS: A motion was made by Loni Meiborg seconded by Sarah Allen to approve the Early College Credit Program application. Motion carried by voice vote. 6 – 1 absent – 0.

Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to adjourn. Motion carried by voice vote. 7 – 0 absent – 0. Meeting adjourned at 7:04 pm.

The next meeting will be held on November 14, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in the library media center.

Notices of any special meetings will be posted in the display case of the school at 612 Mill Street, the Horicon Bank, and the Green Lake Post Office.

Approved November 14, 2018

School District of Green Lake Minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting

September 26, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Education was held Wednesday, September 26, 2018 in the Library Media Center. The meeting was called to order at 5:01 p.m. by President, Sue Sorenson.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Ripon Commonwealth Press and the Green Lake Reporter. In addition, notices of the meeting were posted in the display case of the school, at the Horicon Bank, the Green Lake Post Office and the school district website.

Roll Call:

Present—Sue Sorenson, Meade Grim, Sydney Rouse, Sarah Allen and Ron Triemstra
Absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske
Others present – Superintendent, Mary Allen; School Board Clerk, Donna Waterworth, Operations Manager, Tom Archambo and other community members and media.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

A motion was made by Sydney Rouse second by Ron Triemstra to table agenda item 4h (to approve Early College Credit Program Application) until October when more information will be available and to approve the agenda with change and consent agenda. Motion carried by voice vote. 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

Community Connection

President Sue Sorenson led those in attendance in the Pledge of

Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA - NON-AGENDA ITEMS: None

RECOGNITION/GIFTS: The custodial and office staff were recognized for their hard work over the summer and getting the school ready for the start of the new school year. Maggie Bresser of Gysber's Jewelry was recognized for their donation of school supplies for students in need. Luke Morgan was recognized for his Eagle Scout Project which was a gaga ball pit that he built on the elementary playground.

Discuss/Information Items:

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR ALTERNATIVE COMPENSATION PLAN

PRESENTATION: Members of the Professional Educator Alternative Compensation Plan Committee were present to explain the alternative compensation plan for Professional Educators. Jason Ladwig, Josh LeGreve, Peter Hintz, Jody Borgardt and Morna Helbach were the presenters and reviewed the compensation guidelines and mission statement and explained how the compensation rubric will work. Other members of the committee are Tom Archambo, Operations Manager; Gina Baxter, Elementary Principal and Ron Triemstra, School Board Member.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT HS PRINCIPAL NEWS: The District will be receiving \$40,000 from the 1st round of Safety Grants awarded. We will be updating our communication system. This project will be completed over winter break. Our 3rd Friday in September count is up slightly over last year.

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER: We will be looking for someone with experience to share with the School District of Princeton, Village of Princeton and City of Green Lake. There was much discussion on this topic including cost and how the Officer will split his time between the organizations involved.

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS COMMITTEE REPORT: The Committee President shared a letter that was sent the renters at the ABA.

MARKETING COMMITTEE REPORT: No meeting.

CULTURE, COMMUNICATION, TRANSPARENCY REPORT (CCT): This committee was started in June and its goals are to measure and promote culture and communication at Green Lake.

SCHOOL SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT: The School Safety Committee met on September 12, at this meeting the Committee reviewed the pick-up and drop-off procedures, discussed school resource officer and had public comments.

ENVISION GREATER FOND DU LAC CONSORTIUM: Our students have the opportunity to participate in several projects, possible projects include Lemonade Day for grades 4-6; Career Connections Academy for grades 7-8; Project G.R.I.L.L., IGNITE Youth Idea Challenge and Youth Apprenticeship for grades 9-12 and Business, Industry and Education Day for K-12 Educators & Business Representatives. The cost of this program is \$10.74 per student. We would like to participate in as many of the opportunities as possible.

POLICIES 313; 3140; 3143; 3161; 3170: Discussion on policies presented.

Action Items:

APPROVAL OF THE PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR ALTERNATIVE

COMPENSATION PLAN: A motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the guidelines for the Professional Educator Alternative Compensation Plan as presented, with the allocation of a \$20,000 budget from Fund 10, designated for the Innovation Stipend for the 2018-19 school year. The maximum stipend award is \$2,500.00 for the 2018-19 school year. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE THE EMPLOYMENT OF A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER: A motion was made by Sarah Allen, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve the salary of no more than \$33,000 from Fund 80 for the employment of a School Resource Officer for the Green Lake School District in cooperation with the Green Lake Police Department, Princeton School District and the Princeton Police Department. There was discussion on how this program will be implanted and who will oversee this program. Motion carried by roll call vote 4-1 Rouse – Yes, Allen – Yes, Triemstra – Yes, Grim – No, Sorenson – Yes absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF CLASSROOM INSTRUCTIONAL AIDE: A motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Meade Grim to accept the resignation of Lisa Morris Schilling, Classroom Instructional Aide. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE THE EMPLOYMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AIDE:

Motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sarah Allen to approve the employment of Samantha Hazelburg as Special Education Aide. Motion carried by voice vote. 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE EMPLOYMENT OF PART-TIME MUSIC TEACHER: Motion

was made by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve the employment of a part-time music teacher (0.25 FTE) with a salary of \$9,500.00. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE EMPLOYMENT OF FOOD SERVICE COORDINATOR: Motion was made by Sarah Allen, seconded by Meade Grim all to approve the employment of a new Food Service Coordinator at the rate of \$17.00/hour. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE AGREEMENT WITH ENVISION GREATER FOND DU LAC

CONSORTIUM: Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the agreement to join a consortium with Envision Greater Fond du Lac to provide career-related educational programming for students. The cost is \$10.74 per student or \$3,222.00 for 300 students. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVE EARLY COLLEGE CREDIT APPLICATION: This item was tabled until more information can be gathered. The Board will review at the application at the October Board of Education Meeting.

APPROVAL OF 1ST READING OF POLICIES 3130; 3140; 3143; 3161;

3170: Motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sarah Allen to approve the 1st reading of policies 313; 3140; 3143; 3161; 3170. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

APPROVAL OF 08/11/2018 -09/23/2018 INVOICES TO BE PAID: Motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve payment of 08/11/2018 -09/23/2018 invoices to be paid. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske.

Motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sarah Allen to adjourn. Motion carried by voice vote 5 – 0 absent – Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske. Meeting adjourned at 6:44 pm.

The next meeting will be held on October 17, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in the library media center.

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Approved October 17, 2018

School District of Green Lake Minutes of the Board of Education Special Meeting

September 5, 2018

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held Monday, September 5, 2018 in the Library Media Center. The meeting was called to order at 5:04 p.m. by President, Sue Sorenson.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Ripon Commonwealth Press and the Green Lake Reporter. In addition, notices of the meeting were posted in the display case of the school, at the Horicon Bank, the Green Lake Post Office and the school district website.

Roll Call:

Present – Sue Sorenson, Ron Triemstra, Sydney Rouse, and Sarah Allen. Absent Meade Grim, Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske. Also present – Superintendent Mary Allen, Elementary Principal Gina Baxter, Operations Manager Tom Archambo, School Board Clerk Donna Waterworth, Carol Wirth with DPI, and member's media.

MEETING NOTICE: School Board Clerk, Donna Waterworth, attested to the proper posting of Special School Board Meeting.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:

Motion was made by Ron Triemstra, second by Sydney Rouse to approve the agenda. Motion carried by voice vote of 4-0; absent Meade Grim, Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske

President Sue Sorenson led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA - NON-AGENDA ITEMS: None

RECOGNITION/GIFTS: None

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY BORROWING IN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$900,000 PURSUANT TO SECTION 67.12(8), (a) 1, WISCONSIN STATUTES Motion by Ron Triemstra, second by Sydney Rouse to approve resolution authorizing temporary borrowing in amount not to exceed \$900,000 from BOK Financial Securities,

Wisconsin, Fortifi Bank, Wisconsin at the net interest rate of 2.2951% pursuant to section 67.12(8), (a) 1 Wisconsin statutes. Motion carried by roll call vote 4-0 Triemstra – Yes, Rouse – Yes, Sorenson – Yes, Allen – Yes; Absent – Meade Grim, Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote of all present in favor of.

CONSIDER DESIGNATION OF FUND BALANCE: Motion by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Sarah Allen to designate the fund balance as committed. Motion carried by roll call vote 4-0 Triemstra – Yes, Rouse – Yes, Sorenson – Yes, Allen – Yes, absent – Meade Grim, Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske. Motion carried by a unanimous roll call vote of all present in favor of.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Sydney Rouse, second by Sarah Allen at 5:26 p.m. Motion carried by voice vote. 4-0; Absent Meade Grim, Loni Meiborg and Andy Gryske. Motion carried by a voice vote.

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Approved November 14, 2018

School District of Green Lake Minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting

August 22, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Education was held Wednesday, August 22, 2018 in the Library Media Center. The meeting was called to order at 5:01 p.m. by President, Sue Sorenson.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Ripon Commonwealth Press and the Green Lake Reporter. In addition, notices of the meeting were posted in the display case of the school, at the Horicon Bank, the Green Lake Post Office and the school district website.

Roll Call:
Present—Sue Sorenson, Loni Meiborg, Sydney Rouse and Ron Triemstra
Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen
Others present – Superintendent, Mary Allen; Elementary Principal, Gina Baxter; Operations Manager, Tom Archambo, School Board Secretary, Donna Waterworth and other community members and media.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

A motion was made by Ron Triemstra second by Sydney Rouse to approve the agenda and consent agenda. Motion carried by voice vote. 4 – 0 absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen

Community Connection

President Sue Sorenson led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA - NON-AGENDA ITEMS: None

RECOGNITION/GIFTS: Volunteers for the 2017-18 school year were recognized.

Discuss/Information Items:

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Reviewed the CESA 6 report. See attachment to paperless.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT HS PRINCIPAL NEWS: Enrollment is holding steady. Beginning of the year kick-off is Tuesday, August 28 and will include a welcome breakfast. New this year is threat assessment training, which is a new mandatory reporting item. Wednesday is a teacher work day and Open House starting with elementary students at 3:00 pm. Academic Career Planning (ACP) is a twenty minute period and will right after 2nd hour this year. Last year it was a 20 minute period at the end of the day. Second round of safety grants has been awarded and Green Lake will receive \$16,300.00

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: Participated in the CHAT PLUNGE in conjunction w/Theda Care covered the ABC's of building blocks for a brighter future. New safety procedures will include drop off and pick up procedures for elementary.

SCHOOL SAFETY INTERVENTION COMMITTEE REPORT: Held first meeting last week. The committee consists of parents, law enforcement, administration, custodians, school counselors and 2 board members. The committee will hold its next meeting on September 12.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT: Step program and the possibility of hiring a grant writer was discussed at the last committee meeting. Budget looks good and will be putting funds into fund balance. The short term borrowing amount will be less than previously anticipated. Reviewed the 18-19 budget.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS: The floor in the multipurpose room is complete. Next meeting is scheduled for August 27, 2018.

MARKETING COMMITTEE REPORT: No report at this time.

1st READING OF POLICIES: 2430;2430.02 2431; 3111; 3112; 3120; 3120.01; 3120.04; 3120.06; 3120.07; 3120.08; 3121; 3122; 3122.01; 3122.02; 3123; 3124; 3139 – No questions were presented.

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES WAGE SCHEDULE: Reviewed and discussed.

Action Items:

RESIGNATION OF CLASSROOM INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES: Both aides accepted new positions in a different career path. Resignations have not yet been submitted in writing. Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Loni Meiborg to table until September. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor 4 – 0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF FOOD SERVICE COORDINATOR:

A motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the resignation of the Food Service Coordination. Motion carried by voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL OF 2017-18 BULLYING REPORT: Motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the 2017-18 Bullying Report. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL OF THE 2017-18 SECLUSION AND RESTRAINT REPORT: Motion was made by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Loni Meiborg to approve the 2017-18 seclusion and restraint report. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM RESIDENT

ASSISTANT: Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Loni Meiborg to approve the International Student program resident assistant. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL OF LONG TERM SUBSTITUTE FOR 7-12 PHYSICAL

EDUCATION TEACHER: Motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the long term substitute for 7-13 Physical Education Teacher. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL OF EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES WAGE SCHEDULE: Motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Sydney Rouse approve extracurricular activities wage schedule. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

APPROVAL 1st READING OF POLICIES: 2430;2430.02 2431; 3111; 3112; 3120; 3120.01; 3120.04; 3120.06; 3120.07; 3120.08; 3121; 3122; 3122.01; 3122.02; 3123; 3124; 3139 : Motion was made by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve the 1st reading of policies 2430;2430.02 2431; 3111; 3112; 3120; 3120.01; 3120.04; 3120.06; 3120.07; 3120.08; 3121; 3122; 3122.01; 3122.02; 3123; 3124; 3139. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 4-0 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen.

Future Meeting Date/Agenda items: The September Board of Education Meeting will be held at 5:00 p.m. on September 5, 2018. The meeting will adjourn to the Annual Board meeting and reconvene immediately following the conclusion of the Annual Meeting.

Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Loni Meiborg to adjourn. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 640 Absent – Andy Gryske, Meade Grim and Sarah Allen. Meeting adjourned at 6:14 pm.

The next meeting will be held on September 5, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in the library media center.

Notices of any special meetings will be posted in the display case of the school at 612 Mill Street, the Horicon Bank, and the Green Lake Post Office.

Approved September 26, 2018

School District of Green Lake Minutes of the Board of Education Regular Meeting

July 18, 2018

The meeting of the Board of Education was held Wednesday, July 18, 2018

in the Library Media Center. The meeting was called to order at 5:08 p.m. by President, Sue Sorenson.

Notice of this meeting was given to the Ripon Commonwealth Press and the Green Lake Reporter. In addition, notices of the meeting were posted in the display case of the school, at the Horicon Bank, the Green Lake Post Office and the school district website.

Roll Call:

Present—Sue Sorenson, Loni Meiborg, Meade Grim, Sydney Rouse, Sarah Allen and Ron Triemstra

Absent – Andy Gryske

Others present – Superintendent, Mary Allen; Elementary Principal, Gina Baxter; Operations Manager, Tom Archambo and other community members and media.

CONSIDER APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:

A motion was made by Meade Grim second by Ron Triemstra to approve the agenda with the changes to discussion and action items – remove policies 2430 and 2431 from approval of 1st reading and remove Committee Assignments from the consent agenda. Motion carried by voice vote. 6 – 0 absent – Andy Gryske

Community Connection

President Sue Sorenson led those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA - NON-AGENDA ITEMS: None

RECOGNITION/GIFTS: IB Diploma and Certificate Students, Oak Ridge Coating Donation, Rotary Donation and donation to the choir department.

Discuss/Information Items:

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT HS PRINCIPAL NEWS: Discussion on changing the date of the August Regular Board meeting due to conflicts with staff.

Action Items:

APPROVAL OF PURCHASE OF ELEMENTARY READING PROGRAM: A motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the purchase of the Elementary Reading Program. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor 6 – 0 absent – Andy Gryske.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION OF K-4 MUSIC TEACHER:

A motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Sarah Allen to approve the resignation of the K-4 Music Teacher, Motion carried by voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske

APPROVAL OF CONTRACT FOR 7-12 SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER:

Motion was made by Sarah Allen, seconded by Meade Grim to approve the contract for the 7-12 Special Education Teacher. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVAL OF CONTRACT FOR SPEECH/LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST:

Motion was made by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Sarah Allen to approve the contract for the Speech/Language Pathologist. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske

APPROVAL OF PAY INCREASES FOR SUPPORT STAFF: Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Loni Meiborg to approve the pay increase for support staff. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 5-0 Absent – Andy Gryske; Abstain – Meade Grim.

APPROVAL OF DISTRICT'S ACADEMIC STANDARDS FOR 2018-19:

Motion was made by Sarah Allen, seconded by Meade Grim to approve the District's Academic Standards. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske

APPROVAL OF OUTDOOR EDUCATION OVERNIGHT CAMPING TRIPS FOR 2018-19:

Motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Meade Grim all to approve the Outdoor Education overnight camping trips for 2018-19 school year. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVAL OF FEDERAL FUNDS PROCEDURE MANUAL:

Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Ron Triemstra to approve the Federal Funds Procedure Manual. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVAL OF CHANGE TO AUGUST BOARD MEETING:

Motion was made by Ron Triemstra, seconded by Loni Meiborg to change the August Board Meeting to August 22, 2018. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVE THE CHANGE OF VEGETABLE/FRUIT EXTRA AND EXTRA

ENTRE' PRICES: A motion was made by Meade Grim, seconded by Sydney

Rouse to approve the increase of fruit/vegetable extra to \$0.50 and extra entre' to \$2.00. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVAL OF 1ST READING OF POLICIES: 2412; 2413; 2414; 2416; 2416.01; 2421; 2421.01; 2430.01;2440; 2451; 2640; 2460.03; 2461; 2464; 2510; 2521; 2531; 2605; 2623; 2700.01 : Motion was made by Sarah Allen, seconded by Sydney Rouse to approve the 1st reading of policies 2412; 2413; 2414; 2416; 2416.01; 2421; 2421.01; 2430.01;2440; 2451; 2640; 2460.03; 2461; 2464; 2510; 2521; 2531; 2605; 2623; 2700.01. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

APPROVE/ACCEPT DONATIONS: Motion was made by Loni Meiborg, seconded by Ron Triemstra to accept the donations as present under Community Connection. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske.

Future Agenda items: Police Resource

Motion was made by Sydney Rouse, seconded by Meade Grim to adjourn. Motion carried by a voice vote of all in favor. 6-0 Absent – Andy Gryske. Meeting adjourned at 6:30 pm.

The next meeting will be held on August 22, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in the library media center.

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Approved August 22, 2018

School Closing Information: When weather conditions necessitate an early school dismissal, the school district and parents have a shared responsibility for the safety of the students. The school district will operate under the assumption that students in grades 5 and above are able to supervise themselves at home and supervise their younger brothers and sisters when school is dismissed early, and a parent is not at home. Parents who are not at home during the day due to work schedules are encouraged to discuss with their children the procedures they should follow if they will be at home without adult supervision due to an early school dismissal. The school district will contact the parents of students in grades 4K-4 who do not have an older sibling to inform them of the emergency situations which require an early school dismissal. To sign up for a text alert when Green Lake School is delayed or closed go to: http://www.fox11online.com/subindex/about_us/text_alerts and follow the prompt. Make sure to pick Green Lake School as your school.

The school district will attempt to contact radio and television stations prior to 6:15 a.m. whenever school is canceled or the start of the school day is delayed.

- Radio stations which will broadcast information about the Green LakePublic Schools weather/emergency related schedule changes are WRPN (1600 AM) and WISS (102.3).
- Television stations which will broadcast the information are WLUK-TV, WMTV-TV, WGBA-TV, WFRV-TV, and WBAY-TV.
- Check our school website and Facebook page for cancellations

Please make note that anytime school is canceled or dismissed early due to weather, road conditions, or other emergencies, all after school activities, athletic practices and contests are also canceled.

Weather conditions may make school bus travel unsafe on some roads. Each bus driver has been given the authority to determine if a portion of his/her route is unsafe for travel due to road conditions.



The winter season has arrived! For the safety of our children, the elementary teachers have agreed on some winter recess attire rules. These rules must be followed by all children, or they will be required to spend the recess inside.

1. All children must have winter boots to play outside. Those without boots will have to stay in the "No Boot Zone".
2. All children grades 4K-3 must wear snow pants to go out in the snow. Children in these grades who have boots, but no snow pants will be required to stay on the blacktop.
3. Children in grades 4-6, snow pants are optional. Those without snow pants may not play in the snow.
4. Please help to make sure your child is wearing attire that they are able to independently put on and remove.

****hats and mittens are required at all times****

We have a program available that will provide items for any family that is not able to purchase the necessary items for school. If you have a need, feel free to contact your child's teacher or you can email the Student Office at dornfelda@glisd.k12.wi.us.

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Important Upcoming Dates:

- Dec. 13th – Dec. 21st.....Scholastic Book Fair
- Dec. 18th.....MS & HS Winter Choir Concert (grades 6 – 12) @ Thrasher 7:00 pm
- Dec. 13th.....Middle School & HS Band Concert (grades 7-12) Pillsbury Center @
GLCC 7:00 pm
- Dec 19th.....Red Cross Blood Drive – HS Gym
- Dec. 14th.....Elementary 4K – 5 Winter Concert – HS Gym 6:00 pm
Includes 5th and 6th grade Band
- Dec 24th – Jan 1st.....Winter Recess

