PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

AGENDA APPROVED: Motion by Dickson, second by Ayers that the agenda be approved as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

COMMUNICATIONS: President Wagle welcomed everyone to the meeting and read the vision of the District: It is the vision of the Pleasant Valley Community School District that we shall provide the finest academic and extra-curricular programs in the state – not in some things, but in everything; not for some students, but for every student.

Director Brockmann thanked high school administration, support staff and all others involved with creating a positive graduation experience for PV seniors - Beth Marsoun for video production, Phil Pancrazzio for photography, KWQC for broadcasting the commencement ceremony and to 33 Carpenters for providing yard signs to all graduates. Director Dickson and President Wagle echoed Director Brockmann’s recognition.

Superintendent Strusz commented on recent social injustices and the District’s commitment to improvement as educators, students and as a community.

CONSENT AGENDA, June 8, 2020: Motion by Ayers, second by Anderson that the consent agenda be approved as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

The June 8, 2020 consent agenda consists of the following:

- MINUTES: The approval of minutes of the May 26, 2020 Regular meeting.

- PERSONNEL:
  CERTIFIED: Elizabeth Bosworth is recommended for employment as a Special Education Teacher at Riverdale Heights Elementary School starting the 2020-21 school year. Brian DeHoff, 3rd grade Teacher at Hopewell Elementary School, has submitted his resignation effective the end of the 2019-20 school year. Isabel Noble is recommended for employment as Family and Consumer Science Teacher at Pleasant Valley Junior High starting the 2020-21 school year. Jacob Ridenour is recommended for employment as a Junior High / High School ELP teacher starting the 2020-21
school year. Katharine Schroeder is recommended for employment as a 3rd grade Teacher at Hopewell Elementary School starting the 2020-21 school year.

CLASSIFIED: Pam Ellis, food service worker at Pleasant Valley High School, has submitted her resignation effective the end of the 2019-20 school year.

CLASSIFIED (information only): Margarita Huizar is recommended for probationary employment as Part-time Custodian at Riverdale Heights Elementary starting July 1, 2020.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR:
ADDS: Christina Myatt
PVHS Director of Theater
PVHS Theater Choreographer
PVHS Thespian Club Sponsor

DROPS: Christina Myatt
Randy Teymer
Co- assistant Director of Theater
PVJH assistant 8th grade boys basketball coach

OPEN ENROLLMENT: Two IN from Davenport, Eleven IN from Bettendorf

EXPENSES APPROVED:

Motion by Hoskins, second by Anderson that General Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $365,063.62 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Brockmann that Nutrition Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $1,454.95 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Brockmann, second by Dickson that Elementary/Junior High Activity Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $4,649.28 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Ayers, second by Hoskins that High School Activity Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $12,796.80 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Nels that Capital Projects Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $642,957.40 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Nels, second by Brockmann that PPEL Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $127,312.89 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hoskins, second by Dickson that Debt Service Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $92,564.47 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.
Motion by Nels, second by Ayers that Internal Service Fund warrants 6102 through 6105 be issued in the total amount of $39,712.88 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dickson, second by Nels that Trust Fund warrants be issued in the total amount of $1,568.71 in payment of invoices presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

RETURN TO LEARN: Mr. Strusz, Mr. Zimmer and Dr. Lewis updated the Board on progress of the Return to Learn plan to be submitted to the Iowa Department of Education on July 1. The district oversight team of Brian Strusz, Mike Zimmer, Cindy Lewis, Kevin Pennekamp and Beth Marsoun continue their work with facilitating task force teams focusing on the following eight areas:

Curriculum/Instruction/Assessment/Social Emotional Health; Technology; Health and Safety; Maintenance; Transportation; Food Service; Activities; Communication.

Because it has not been determined how education will be allowed to be delivered for the coming school year, the teams are making plans for the following possibilities:

- Complete required continuous online delivery of learning
- Traditional brick and mortar or on site delivery (students will return to a traditional school setting)
- A hybrid method which could possibly include an abbreviated week or a combination of in-person and online teaching

The District distributed surveys to parents, students and teachers to obtain feedback regarding the past eight weeks of online learning and feedback to help plan for each of the three learning models. Survey results are being shared with the eight task force teams to develop their plans and to help devise future parent surveys as we approach the start of the 2020-21 school year. The start of the school year will be dependent upon the status of our state as outlined by Governor Reynolds, the Iowa Department of Education, Center for Disease Control, and state and local health departments.

The District is also working on a two-year phase in of a 1:1 Chromebook initiative. The recent pandemic highlighted the need for increased student access to devices so that online learning can be more effectively delivered. In year one (2020-21) a Chromebook will be assigned to each student grades 7-12. Elementary students will have access to devices best suited to software utilized at their grade level. In year two, 5th and 6th grade students will be assigned Chromebooks and additional devices will be available in each elementary classroom.

District parent Katie Borth addressed the Board regarding health, safely and cleanliness procedures and expectations for the coming school year. President Wagle, a member of the Health & Safety team, assured Mrs. Borth that the District was actively researching recommendations and procedures from across the world to determine how to best keep our students and staff safe and healthy.

At this time, online delivery of summer school enrichment is being developed with a beginning on July 20th.

No required motion.
**K-12 STUDENT/PARENT HANDBOOK UPDATES:** During the last year, Instructional Coaches Liz Bornhoeft, Megan Halverson, Stacey Ruff and Stacie Giesecke updated and reformatted Student/Parent Handbooks at all three levels to ensure accuracy and consistency. In addition to providing great value to the district, the project satisfied administrative internship hours for their Masters in Educational Administration degrees. Research was conducted throughout the year and building principals and administrators were consulted in an effort to update handbook content. The District and the Board expressed gratitude for their efforts.

Motion by Hoskins, second by Ayers that the board approve proposed changes to the student/parent handbooks for the 2020-21 school year as presented. Roll call vote. Ayes - Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays - none. Motion carried.

**SEAL OF BILITERACY:** Stephanie Risius was present to share the recipients of the 2019-20 Seal of Biliteracy. The Seal of Biliteracy is awarded to students who have attained proficiency in two or more languages, one of which is English, by high school graduation. The Iowa legislature initiated the program in 2018. The Seal of Biliteracy recognizes the value of language as an asset; recognizes the value of language diversity and cultural identity; prepares students with 21st century skills that will be of benefit in the labor market and global society; and provides employers, universities and grant/scholarship providers with a method to recognize applicants or their dedication to attainment of biliteracy.

Results to date:
- **Class of 2019** = 55 Seniors earned the Seal of Biliteracy in Spanish, French, and Arabic, with a 94% pass rate
- **Class of 2020** = 70 Seniors earned the Seal of Biliteracy in Spanish, French, and Hindi, with a 94% pass rate
- **Class of 2021** = 65 Juniors have earned the Seal of Biliteracy in Spanish & French, and will be recognized as Seniors along with others who will test in February.

The Board thanked Ms. Risius and the World Language Department for establishing a strong World Language program that prepares students well for the Seal of Biliteracy assessment.

The Board also congratulated Ms. Risius for being awarded the 2019 Iowa Masonic Teacher of the Year. The award recognizes an educator who exhibits the standards of Conduct, Courtesy, Responsibility, Honesty, Cheerfulness, kindness, Consideration of Others and Community Involvement.

No required motion.

**2021 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES:** The Iowa Association of School Boards has established August 10 as the deadline for submission of legislative priorities for the 2021 session. The Board reviewed IASB's list of 2020 Legislative Resolutions and Priorities. At the July meeting, the Board will select two or three priorities and appoint the Board’s representative to the delegate assembly scheduled for Wednesday, November 18th.

PV Board of Education 2020 Priorities: Funding priority - The Pleasant Valley Community School District supports protecting K-12 funding from cuts, including diminishment caused by state funding of
vouchers or educational savings accounts, and maintaining K-12 public school funding as the top funding priority with SSA (Supplemental State Aid) established within the first 30 days of the session.

Mental health priority - Provide funding and incentives to establish comprehensive school based mental health programs that include in-school access for students to mental health professionals with provisions for reimbursement by Medicaid and private insurers and comprehensive community mental health systems which offer preventative and treatment services.

No required motion.

**RESOLUTION FOR PURCHASE OF ATHLETIC PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** HF 564, passed during the 2017 legislative session, included the following provision:

*For school budget years beginning on or after July 1, 2016, the board of directors of a school corporation may, by board resolution, transfer from the school corporation’s general fund to the student activity fund an amount necessary to purchase protective and safety equipment required for any extracurricular interscholastic athletic contest or competition that is sponsored or administered by an organization as defined in section 280.13*

Motion by Dickson, second by Ayers that the board approve the transfer of $19,260.34 from the General Fund to the Student Activity fund for the purchase of athletic protective equipment as specified in 2017 HF 564. Roll call vote. Ayes - Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays - none. Motion carried.

**ADJUST DATE OF JULY BOARD MEETING:** Board members recommended that the July Board of Education meeting, previously scheduled for Tuesday, July 21, 2020 be held Monday, July 20, 2020.

Motion by Anderson, second by Dickson that the July Board of Education meeting be held Monday, July 20, 2020; 6:00 p.m. at the Belmont Administration Center. Roll call vote. Ayes - Nels, Brockmann, Dickson, Wagle, Hoskins, Ayers, Anderson. Nays - none. Motion carried.

**MEETING ADJOURNED:** The meeting adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

**FUTURE DATES:**

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OPEN ENROLLMENT

Open Enrollment is the process by which a parent or guardian residing in an Iowa school district may enroll their child into a public school district other than the one in which they reside. The deadline for filing an Open Enrollment Application for students in grades 1-12 is March 1st prior to the school year of requested attendance. The deadline for filing an open enrollment request for an incoming kindergarten child is September 1st of the year open enrollment is first requested. For Open Enrollment information and application, visit the district website at www.pleasval.org / district / new student enrollment/open enrollment info or contact Deborah Dayman daymandeborah@pleasval.org (563)332-5550.

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NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

It is the policy of the Pleasant Valley Community School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, creed, age (for employment), marital status (for programs), sexual orientation, gender identity, and socioeconomic status (for programs) in its educational programs and its employment practices. Further, the board affirms the right of all students and staff to be treated with respect and to be protected from intimidation, discrimination, physical harm and harassment.

The district requires all persons, agencies, vendors, contractors and other persons and organizations doing business with or performing services for the school district to subscribe to all applicable federal and state laws, executive orders, rules and regulations pertaining to contract compliance and equal opportunity.

The district is committed to the policy that no otherwise qualified person will be excluded on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, religion, disability, or age. Further, the board affirms the right of all students and staff to be treated with respect and to be protected from intimidation, discrimination, physical harm and harassment.

Inquiries concerning the application of federal and state nondiscrimination statutes and the implementing regulations to the district may be referred to Mike Zimmer, who has been designated by the district as Educational Equity Coordinator, or to the Director of the Office for Civil Rights, Department of HEW, and Washington, D.C. Mr. Zimmer’s office is at Pleasant Valley Administration Center, 525 Belmont Rd., Bettendorf, Iowa 52722; telephone (563) 332-5550.

Brian Strusz
Superintendent