

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE STONE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD
FEBRUARY 1, 2021 13th MEETING
MEETING CONVENED AT 6:00 P.M. – PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER**

APPROVED

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MEMBERS PRESENT

**NINA SHAW
JACOB SMITH
RODNEY BEECH
JULIE BOND
DIANE JOHNSON**

OTHERS PRESENT

**INITA OWEN, SUPERINTENDENT
SEAN COURTNEY, BOARD ATTORNEY**

Stone Co. School Board

1. CALL TO ORDER

School Board President, Jacob Smith, called the meeting to order. Rodney Beech gave the invocation and Jacob Smith led the pledge to the flag.

2. AGENDA ADOPTED

Motion made by Nina Shaw, and seconded by Diane Johnson, to approve the agenda with additions as recommended by Superintendent Inita Owen. The vote to approve was unanimous.

3. APPROVAL OF JANUARY 4, 2021 & JANUARY 12, 2021 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Motion made by Nina Shaw, seconded by Diane Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve the minutes as printed and as recommended by Inita Owen, Superintendent.

4. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Goal 1: Increase involvement between stakeholders and the district

1.1 Cultivate and sustain successful partnerships

1.2 District Updates

Goal 2: Increase student achievement in preparation to be College & Career Ready

2.1, 2.2 Increase Literacy/Increase Math Skills

2.3 Increase Percentage of Students Attending IHL

2.4 Decrease Dropout Rate

Goal 3: Relevant Professional Development

3.1 Needs Assessment

3.2 Teacher/Paraprofessional/Administrator Training

MSBA Evaluation Instrument

1.6, 1.9 Provides system data and leadership to the Board at school board meetings regarding the status of Board adopted goals. Accomplishes the goals of the school district as indicated by data presented in an annual "District Report Card".

1.7 Implements and evaluates the effectiveness of the adopted action plans

2.2 Informs the Board about current trends and developments in education

2.4 Participates in professional activities to enhance knowledge and skills.

3.3 Assures that the school district is in compliance with all Mississippi Department of Education Accreditation Standards.

4.2 Adheres to the Board on "Adoption of Policies" when developing policy or presenting new or Revised policies to the Board for consideration.

5.3 Maintains the official School Board Minutes and other records that pertain to the State's Open Records Act.

7.4 Implements and administers the budget in accordance with Board directives and policy

7.5 Administers the approved budget within Board-established spending amounts and recommends budget amendments.

5. SHS/SMS UPDATES

Tiffany Farmer & Colleen Hickman gave the updates for SMS
Adam Stone gave the updates for SHS

6. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion made by Rodney Beech, seconded by Diane Johnson, to approve the consent agenda. The motion to approve was unanimous.

- (a) Claim docket approved, regular claim numbers 198263 to 198431 in the amount of \$377,681.80; Child Nutrition claim numbers 19744 to 19799 in the amount of \$76,018.50; regular district manual check 198432 to 198432 in the amount of \$150.34
- (b) Approval of the 2021-2022 School Calendar
- (c) Approval of the Stone County School District Budget Calendar
- (d) Agreement/contract between SMS Baseball Boosters and SCSD for Feb. 22, 2021 to April 15, 2021 for pre/post game meals for SMS Baseball Team and Coaches.
- (e) Agreement/contract between Josten’s, Inc. and SCSD for a term of 1 year for the 2022 yearbook
- (f) Approval of student releases from:

- (1) Other school districts to attend Stone County Schools. Tuition and transportation will be provided by parents as applicable.

	STUDENT’S NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL/DISTRICT
1	Cade B. Ladnier	8	Perry County School District

- (2) Stone Elementary to Perk Elementary; parents to provide transportation.

	STUDENT’S NAME	GRADE
2	Angelina Viars	5
3	Timothy Viars	3

- (g) Approval of the disposal of the following fixed assets and remove the items from the existing inventory:

	FIXED ASSET NUMBER & DESCRIPTION	LOCATION
1	#11350 Microsoft Surface Pro	C/O
2	#9029 Dell Desktop Computer	C/O
3	#10911 Chromebook	SMS
4	#9885 Filla Prism Tablet	SMS
5	#6835 Interwrite Board	SHS
6	#6550 Interwrite Board	SHS
7	#7358 Interwrite Board	SHS

- (h) Approval for the following fundraisers:

	SCHOOL & ORGANIZATION	TYPE OF FUNDRAISER	PLACE AND DATE/DATES	RAISE MONEY FOR:
1	SES PTO	Valentine’s Day Snack Kits	2-2 to 2-12-2021	Student Reward Activities
2	SES PTO	EGG-STRA Special	3-1 to 3-12-2021	Student Reward Activities

		Water Bottles		
3	SES PTO	Smencils- Gourmet Scented Pencils	4-12 to 4-30-2021	Student Reward Activities
4	SES Library	Scholastic Book Fair- Selling Books to Students	2-25 to 3-5-2021	Books for Library
5	PES Library	Scholastic Book Fair- Selling Books Online Only	3-1 to 3-10-2021	Books for Library
6	PES PTO	Pura Vida Bracelets	3-8 to 3-26-2021	Student & Staff Incentives
7	PES PTO	Nacho Sales	2-19-2021	Testing Incentives
8	PES PTO	Concession Sales	3-19-2021	Testing Incentives
9	PES PTO	Concession Sales	4-16-2021	Field Day Supplies
10	SHS Baseball Boosters	Split the Pot @ Home Games	2-19 to 5-20-2021	Baseball Equipment
11	SHS Track Boosters	Sell Healthy Snacks during Approved time at School	2-2-2021	Track Expenses
12	SHS Track Boosters	Sell Tomcat Tags for Front of Vehicle	2-2 to 2-16-2021	Track Expenses
13	SHS SkillsUSA	Non Perishable Food Drive	2-8 to 2-19-2021	Items to be Donated to COGIC Food Pantry No Money to be Collected
14	SHS SkillsUSA	Sell Rada Cutlery	3-1 to 3-10-2021	SkillsUSA Activities
15	Drama Booster	Raffle Ticket Sales Prizes Drawn 3-23-2021	3-9 to 3-23-2021	Competitive Projects
16	Drama Booster	Spring Play \$5 Tickets	4-13 to 4-15-2021	Supplement Productions/Royalty Costs for Next Year
17	Drama Booster	"Night of One Acts" Production Project	5-13-2021	Supplement Productions/Royalty Costs for Next Year

(i) Approval of the following travel:

STONE MIDDLE SCHOOL

	PERSON ATTENDING	DATE/DATES	EVENT NAME & DESTINATION	PAID BY
1	SMS Soccer Coach & 20 Students	1-25-2021	Middle School Soccer Championship St. Patrick, Biloxi	Athletics
2	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	2-22-2021	Baseball Game Gautier	Athletics
3	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	3-4-2021	Baseball Game Moss Point	Athletics
4	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	3-8-2021	Baseball Game St. Stanislaus	Athletics
5	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	3-22-2021	Baseball Game St. Patrick	Athletics
6	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	3-25-2021	Baseball Game North Woolmarket	Athletics
7	SMS Baseball Coach & 20 Students	4-15-2021	Baseball Game Bay St. Louis	Athletics
8	SMS Softball Coach &	2-22-2021	Softball Game	Athletics

	20 Players		Bay St. Louis	
9	SMS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-4-2021	Softball Game Pass Christian	Athletics
10	SMS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-15-2021	Softball Game North Woolmarket	Athletics
11	SMS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-18-2021	Softball Game Moss Point	Athletics
12	SMS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-25-2021	Softball Game Gautier	Athletics

STONE HIGH SCHOOL

	PERSON ATTENDING	DATE/DATES	EVENT NAME & DESTINATION	PAID BY
13	SHS Soccer Coach & 35 Players	1-16-2021	JV Soccer Girls & Boys Greene Co. High School, Leaksville	Athletics
14	SHS Girls Soccer Coach & 35 Players	1-11-2021	Soccer Game Gulfport	Athletics
15	SHS JV Soccer Coaches & 40 Players	1-4-2021	Soccer Game Harrison Central High School	Athletics
16	SHS Men's Soccer Coach & 20 Players	1-29-2021	Soccer Playoff Game Bay St. Louis	Athletics
17	SHS Powerlifting Coach & 20 Students	1-23-2021	Powerlifting Competition Moss Point	Athletics
18	SHS Girls & Boys Basketball Coach & 35 Players	1-9-2021	Basketball Game Greene County High School Leaksville	Athletics
19	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	2-13-2021	Softball Game Long Beach	Athletics
20	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	2-18-2021	Softball Game Gulfport (Classic)	Athletics
21	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	2-19-2021	Softball Game Gulfport (Classic -Day 2)	Athletics
22	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	2-26-2021	Softball Game Gulfport (Tourney)	Athletics
23	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	2-27-2021	Softball Game Gulfport (Tourney)	Athletics
24	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-2-2021	Softball Game W. Harrison	Athletics
25	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-9-2021	Softball Game St. Martin	Athletics
26	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-25-2021	Softball Game MGCCC/Perkinston	Athletics
27	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-26-2021	Softball Game Pearl River Central (Carriere)	Athletics
28	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	3-30-2021	Softball Game Moss Point	Athletics
29	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	4-8-2021	Softball Game Bay High	Athletics
30	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	4-9-2021	Softball Game St. Martin (Tourney)	Athletics
31	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	4-10-2021	Softball Game St. Martin (Tourney)	Athletics
32	SHS Softball Coach & 20	4-13-2021	Softball Game	Athletics

	Players		Pass Christian	
33	SHS Softball Coach & 20 Players	4-15-2021	Softball Game Vancleave	Athletics
34	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	2-13-2021	Baseball Game MGCCC/Perkinston (Jamboree)	Athletics
35	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	2-19-2021	Baseball Game MGCCC/Perkinston (Classic)	Athletics
36	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	2-20-2021	Baseball Game Gulfport (Classic)	Athletics
37	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	2-27-2021	Baseball Game Biloxi	Athletics
38	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-6-2021	Baseball Game Long Beach	Athletics
39	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-9-2021	Baseball Game Picayune	Athletics
40	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-12-2021	Baseball Game Poplarville	Athletics
41	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-13 to 3-20-2021	Baseball Game's (3) Biloxi (Battle of the Beach)	Athletics
42	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-13 to 3-20-2021	Baseball Game's (3) Biloxi (Battle of the Beach)	Athletics
43	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-13 to 3-20-2021	Baseball Game's (3) Biloxi (Battle of the Beach)	Athletics
44	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-26-2021	Baseball Game St. Stanislaus	Athletics
45	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	3-30-2021	Baseball Game Bay St. Louis	Athletics
46	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	4-9-2021	Baseball Game Vancleave	Athletics
47	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	4-13-2021	Baseball Game Moss Point	Athletics
48	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	4-17-2021	Baseball Game FCAHS	Athletics
49	SHS Baseball Coach & 25 Players	4-23-2021	Baseball Game Pass Christian	Athletics
50	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	2-13-2021	Tennis Match Ridgeland	Athletics
51	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	2-25-2021	Tennis Match Gulfport	Athletics
52	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-2-2021	Tennis Match Resurrection, Pascagoula	Athletics
53	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	2-26 to 2-27-2021	Tennis Match (Girl's Tourney) Mobile, AL	Athletics
54	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	2-26 to 2-27-2021	Tennis Match (Girl's Tourney) Mobile, AL	Athletics
55	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-5-2021	Tennis Match Purvis, in Hattiesburg	Athletics
56	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-6-2021	Tennis Match Jones JCJC	Athletics
57	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-9-2021	Tennis Match FHCAS, in Hattiesburg	Athletics
58	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-12 to 3-13-2021	Tennis Match (Boy's Tourney) Mobile, AL	Athletics

59	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-12 to 3-13-2021	Tennis Match (Boy's Tourney) Mobile, AL	Athletics
60	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-22-2021	Tennis Match St. Martin	Athletics
61	SHS Tennis Coach & 8 Players	3-29-2021	Tennis Match Sacred Heart, Hattiesburg	Athletics

7. FINANCIAL REPORTS APPROVED

Motion made by Diane Johnson, seconded by Rodney Beech, to approve the December 31, 2020 school district financial reports as recommended by Cassie Hardy, Business Manager. The vote to approve was unanimous.

8. POLICIES

Motion made by Diane Johnson, seconded by Rodney Beech, the Board voted unanimously to approve (a) Second reading of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA). This is an addendum to policy GBRIA.

Motion made by Rodney Beech, seconded by Diane Johnson the Board voted unanimously to approve (b) 1st reading for the revision of the following policies: GBD- Professional Personnel Hiring, GBR- Sexual Harassment, GBR-P- Sexual Harassment Procedures, GBRID- Military Leave, IDDFAA- District Assurance For Children With Disabilities, IHAA- Policy Statement on Grading for Students with Disabilities, JCD- Alternative School Program.

And to

(c) Review of the following Stone County School District policies: GBI to GJ – Personnel- **Reviewed**

9. 2021-2022 PRINCIPAL RECOMMENDATIONS

Motion made by Rodney Beech, seconded by Diane Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to accept the Principal recommendations from Superintendent, Inita Owen for the 2021-2022 SY, Sandra Danzey, Krista Sablich, Lance Bolen, and Adam Stone.

10. PERSONNEL

Motion made by Rodney Beech, seconded by Diane Johnson, to approve the personnel as recommended by Inita Owen, Superintendent. The vote to approve was unanimous.

(a) RESIGNATIONS:

	EMPLOYEE	POSITION	LOCATION	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXPLANATION
1	Imani Moore	5 th Grade Teacher	SES	1-9-2021	Written Notification
2	Brant Peddy	Social Studies Teacher/Coach	SMS	1-29-2021	Resignation Denied
3	Maurice Thornton	Geometry Teacher/Coach	SHS	5-26-2021	Written Notification

(b) RETIREMENT:

	EMPLOYEE	POSITION	LOCATION	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXPLANATION
4	Tonya Jackson-Hall	CTE Teacher	SHS	5-31-2021	Written Notification
5	Terri Shockley	Sped Teacher	SMS	1-15-2021	Written Notification
6	Mary Stuart	Librarian	PES	5-27-2021	Written Notification

(c) RECOMMENDATIONS – NEW EMPLOYEES: Per Salary Scales

	EMPLOYEE	POSITION	SALARY	LOCATION	EFFECTIVE	REPLACEMENT/
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7	Cassandra Arrington	Floater/Cashier	Step 6, \$9.59 per hour	Child Nutrition	1-25-2021	Shelli Spears
8	Kathleen Dudenbostel	Math Tutor	\$25.00 per hour	SHS	2-2-2021	New Position
9	Monica Meidl	F/T Bus Driver	CC/6	Transportation	1-11-2021	Melody Castello
10	Shania Pavolini	SES Cafeteria Employee	Step 1, Regular, 5 hours, \$8.63 per hour	Child Nutrition	1-25-2021	Juliette Neely
11	Amelia Williams	Receptionist Temporary	\$8.00 per hour	County Office	1-28-2021	Debra Carter
12	Kayla Baggett	Custodian	\$8.25 per hour	SES	2-2-2021	Belinda Martin

(d) RECOMMENDATIONS: Per Salary Scales

	EMPLOYEE	POSITION	SALARY	LOCATION	EFFECTIVE DATE	REPLACEMENT
13	Loretta Bond	Sub Driver	\$21.00 per route	Transportation	12-10-2020	N/A
14	Nickolas Gothard	SES Cashier	Step 1, 7 hours, \$8.99 per hour	Child Nutrition	2-2-2021	N/A
15	Emily Sumrall	FT Bus Driver	DD/0	Transportation	1-11-2021	Frances Behrendt

(e) TRANSFERS:

	EMPLOYEE	POSITION	SALARY	LOCATION FROM	EFFECTIVE DATE	REPLACING
16	Sabribna Deakle	SMS 6-8 Sped Math Inclusion Teacher	N/A	SMS School Improvement Tutor	2-1-2021	Ms. Terri Shockley
17	Carl D. Mallett	SMS 6-8 Social Studies Teacher	N/A	PES PE Teacher	2-1-2021	Brant Peddy
18	Leironica Williams	PES PE Teacher	N/A	SMS Sped Inclusion Teacher	2-1-2021	Carl Mallett
19	Angela Stringfellow	PES Sped T.A.	N/A	PES Title Funded 2 nd Grade T.A.	1-4-2021	Kim Fairley
20	Kelly Burke	PES 2 nd Grade T.A. Title Funded	N/A	PES 2 nd Grade T.A.	1-4-2021	Angela Stringfellow
21	Anna Morrison	PES 1 st Grade Teacher	N/A	PES 2 nd Grade Teacher	1-4-2021	Moved Position From 2 nd Grade
22	Kimberly Fairley	PES 1 st Grade	N/A	PES Sped T.A.	1-4-2021	Moved Position From 2 nd Grade

		Teacher Assistant				
23	Melody Castello	FT Sub Bus Driver	FTS/3	Regular Driver, CC/3	1-11-2021	Vernon Osborne

11. ADJOURN

There being no further business, the Board voted to adjourn until March 1, 2021 with a motion made by Diane Johnson, seconded by Rodney Beech. The vote to approve was unanimous.