Miami-Yoder School District
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Work Session
Minutes
Wednesday, August 12, 2026
Library
6:30 PM

1.00 The work session meeting was called to order by Mr. Hogeboom, second by Mrs. Darby at 6:34 PM. On roll call vote the following members were present: Mr. Ronny Burr, Mr. Daniel Carneal, Mrs. Sharron Darby, Mr. Jon Hogeboom. Also present were: Ms. Carrie Craig, Elementary Principal; Mrs. Glenda Strouse, Business Manager; Mrs. Corinna Brewer, Secondary Principal; Mrs. Melissa Bringhurst, Athletic Director; Mrs. Tonya Rodwell, Superintendent; and Mrs. Cindy Cooper Secretary to the Board. Absent at roll call: Mrs. Desiree McKnight. (Entered the meeting at 6:45pm)

2.00 Additions and Changes to Agenda

3.00 Motion to approve the Agenda by, Mr. Burr, second by Mrs. Darby

Ayes: Mr. Burr, Mr. Carneal, Mrs. Darby, Mr. Hogeboom, Mrs. McKnight

4.00 Work Session

- New Hires - OK
- Out of District Students -OK
  - 2 Foreign Exchange Students- had to have acceptance to a district before they could come. Host family lives out of district. Both are 11th grade students and the host family works for us so they will transport them.
- Discussion 2026/2027 Budget
  - Added 3 positions in elementary (1st, KG, 3rd) already budgeted the teachers, but now need curriculum & programing fees- not written into the budget
  - Talked in spring we are required to pay tuition for post-secondary – we have been paying tuition, fees, books, and transportation
  - $1,500 for textbooks K-5, $2,000 for 6-12, $2,000 for 9-12
    - without textbooks we are creating instructional gaps
    - It would cost $20,000 k-5, $20,000 6-8, $20,000 9-12 for new Math curriculum
    - In order to afford curriculum we looked at having parents pay for dues, fees and books.
  - Mr. Carneal asked how many kids are doing post-secondary. Reply- Career start 10 students, Concurrent Enrollment 7 students, and 4-5 will stay online.
  - Mr. Payne is introducing Construction Class with certificates

- Transportation Costs over $30,000 for driver salary and gas
- Tuition estimate for a 12 credit course is $2,200
- Mrs. Rodwell suggested looking at setting a threshold, we will pay ____ dues and fees per kid
- We are paying dues and fees for first semester
- Mr. Carneal asked what the plan is for second semester? Mrs. Rodwell asked the board to give her their ideas 1 to 1, then by the September meeting we need to have a clear idea of what we are going to do.
- Mrs. McKnight asked if the board could get a report for the past couple of years per kid cost with dues, fees and expenses? Reply-yes we can get that to you.
- Mr. Carneal asked the board to please reply back to Mrs. Rodwell suggestions and thoughts about this topic by September 7th so it can be further discussed at the meeting on September 9th and they will know how to proceed for the spring semester

- Construction Update
  - Bid came in for construction total 1.7 million, the bond is for 1.2 million
  - If we take out 600 sq. ft for storage it drops to 1.3 million, which is still projecting high
  - We have not signed anything saying yes this company will build it
  - We had to do geo probe- they hit our geo field- we called the supervisor- he said let us know when you get the bill for repairs, and they will pay the bill
  - Generator- possible donation?
    -Have been in contact trying to get assistance- but so far nothing
    -It was asked what size generator was determined? Reply- They didn't decide, but if the funds are there, they would like one big enough for the whole school. If funds are not available, one big enough to run the kitchen, heat and water.
- First Reading Policy- GCC/GDC-3 Staff Leave
  - Formatting issue will be fixed
- Discussion of Vape Detectors
  - On order, for restrooms and locker rooms
- Discussion of Dates for CASB Meeting with Board
  - No date was chosen
- Discussion of Trap Shoot Team
  - USA Clay Target League
  - The Colorado State Competition was in Colorado Springs this year, 309 entries
  - Asking for permission to start the Miami Yoder Trap Shooting Team
  - It is a High School Sport and Eligibility counts
  - Liability- each registered participant receives accident insurance policy & also cover the coaches and volunteers
  - Kids complete their certifications
  - Casey Witney and Hayden Boyer would be the coaches

- Most shooting will take place at the trap house, it will not be at the same time as school sporting events, flexible shooting times, enter scores online
- Coaches will be treated like all other Miami Yoder Coaches
- Trap Shooting Picture will be added to the yearbook just like other sports
- Students can letter in Trap Shooting
- Guns and ammo will be the students cost, and will be kept off school grounds
- Cost:
  -before Dec.31st, free registration fees- they are refunded
  -PPE, earplugs, safety glasses included with fees
- Mrs. Rodwell loves the idea and opportunity
- They will have a class account tied to the school
- Mrs. McKnight asked what is the length of the season? Is it year long? Reply- It starts this fall, scores are submitted and averaged out for fall and spring, State Shoot is in June. 50 targets each weekly event
- It was asked if they had to have hunter safety? Reply- They believe it is included in the registration for whatever safety training they need, but they don't believe hunter safety is required.
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- Reminder, September BOCES Board Meeting
  - 4th Thursday of September, Mrs. Rodwell is reaching out to see if that date can change

4.00 Motion to Adjourn at 7:58 PM by, Mrs. Darby second by, Mr. Hogeboom

Ayes: Mr. Burr, Mr. Carneal, Mrs. Darby, Mrs. McKnight
Nay: Mr. Hogeboom

Mr. Daniel Carneal, President

Mrs. Sharron Darby, Secretary