

ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE

MEETING DATE: February 20, 2012

AGENDA ITEM: Superintendent Reports

A. Enrollment

B. District events

C. Update on Equity Center lawsuit

D. May Trustee Election update

E. Bring Your Own Device Pilot at AHS

F. Terry and Helen Hyles Attendance Awards for 2011-12

PRESENTER: Dan Manning

ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S): ALL

Report Information:

A. Enrollment as of 2-20-12 is 4,654

By campus:

Vandagriff ES: 486

Coder ES: 471

Stuard ES: 567

McCall ES: 501

McIS: 358

AMS: 749

• Daniel 9th: 432

AHS: 1,090

• TLC: 24 (counted in the 9th and AHS enrollment numbers)

B. District events

- 1. Community Meetings in February- Vandagriff: Feb. 13th, 6:30 PM, AMS: Feb. 27th, 6:30 PM. Campus Lunch meetings: Vandagriff March 28th and Stuard April 3rd.
- 2. Sports update- Basketball- Girls are playing for Area on Friday, 2-17. The Boys play for Bi-District on Feb. 21. Girls and Boys Soccer second place in soccer tournament.
 - 3. Marva Collins Awards Program: May 7th, 7:00 PM, AHS
 - 4. Annual Employee Banquet, May 15th, 6:30 PM, Daniel Ninth Grade Campus
 - 5. Next Board Meeting: March 19, 2012- Regular Meeting 7:00

C. Equity Center lawsuit

The lawsuit has been assigned to Judge John K. Dietz.

D. Spring Election update; Places up for election:

Place 1 – Incumbent Jay Stringer

Place 2 – Incumbent Johnny Campbell

Place 3 - Open

First day to sign up for a place on the ballot: Feb. 6 (8-4:30)

Last day to sign up for a place on the ballot: March 5 (8 - 5.00 pm)

Last day to sign up as a write-in – March 5 (5:00 pm)

Election packets have been available for pick up in the administration building since January 26, 2012.

Election Day: May 12

Early Voting Sites – Has been determined by Parker County Election Office (in Election Order)

Voting Day Sites – To be determined by Parker County Election Office

E.. **Bring your Own Device**- In late March of 2012, Aledo ISD will be launching a pilot program allowing students at Aledo High School (grades 10-12) to bring their own electronic learning device (iPad, kindle, laptop, etc.) to school for use in the classroom to enrich their learning experiences. They can use them for taking notes, doing research, or reading. It is NOT a requirement for students to have a device in order to be successful at school nor will use be unlimited. The purpose of this pilot is simple: To observe how students can use their electronic devices in the classroom to enhance their learning.

Here are the basic guidelines we will follow:

- Students may bring a device after parents have signed a user agreement acknowledging responsible use rules and that the school is not responsible for the performance, maintenance and/or repair of a student device, nor if it is lost or stolen at school.
- Teachers will allow responsible use of electronic devices but reserve the right to restrict student use if in the judgment of the teacher, it is being used inappropriately.
- Teachers will not be required to alter the delivery of lessons or to integrate the use of electronic devices into their classroom instruction. It is strictly optional at this point.
- Because students are not required to bring a device to school, their success in class should not be dependent on having a device at school.

The pilot will hopefully provide some valuable feedback as we study the gradual roll out of a BYOD in the future.

F. The Terry and Helen Hyles Attendance Award for Teaching Staff

We will draw 10 names of teachers who have been absent two days or less the first semester. Each of the recipients will receive \$200.

FISCAL NOTE: None

Administrative Recommendation: Report Only