## FORT LORAMIE LOCAL SCHOOLS





Smoke Signals

Administrative Bulletin to Staff

# Daniel B. Holland, Superintendent

December 20, 2023

## **BOARD BRIEFS**

The following is a summary of the Regular Board of Education Meeting held on December 18, 2023.

- The Board approved minutes of the Regular Business Meeting held on November 20, 2023. The monthly financial report indicated November General Fund receipts of \$524,381 and expenditures of \$798,328. The anticipated carry-over balance for the end of the 2023-2024 fiscal year is \$7,350,305.
- In the Elementary Principal's report, Scott Rodeheffer reported as follows:
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Fall OST Results 85% of students passed

Limited – 4%
Basic – 11%
Proficient – 34%
Accelerated – 37%
Advanced – 19%

Average Score - 729

• In the Junior/Senior High School report, Mr. Hollenbacher reported as follows:

### DATES FOR NEXT SEMESTER

ACT testing for all juniors: this test will be Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> at FLHS. All juniors will report and take this state-funded ACT at the high school. This is the last year the state will be requiring all juniors to take the exam, next year, students will be able to opt-out of this opportunity.

Right now, a tentative date of March 20<sup>th</sup> is scheduled for all seniors to be at FLHS for CPR and AED training with Wilson Medical Center. This training will be paid for by the district, as it allows us to comply with state law, and is a requirement for graduation.

Then on March 22<sup>nd</sup>, we will once again have our Career Day Speakers. Last year we filled the HS gym with over 40 speakers from different professions, and we are hoping to duplicate that success this year.

### DRAMA CLUB

The Drama Club will have their production on April  $18^{th}$  – April  $21^{st}$ . The production, which will once again be a collaboration between Fort Loramie and Russia students, will be The Adams Family.

- The Superintendent's report included information on the following:
  - o Discussed the upcoming income tax renewal with the Board of Education.
  - o Reviewed sewer line issues at high school and potential methods to fix the problems.
- Approved the membership in Ohio School boards Association for 2024 at the cost as outlined below:

1) Membership Dues \$4,385.00 2) Briefcase Subscription Free \$4,385.00

• Accepted the following donations:

<b>Source</b>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Item</u>
Anonymous	\$150.00	Food Drive Prizes
Lincoln Electric	\$500.00	Lego Robotics Club
American Legion	\$100.00	National Honor Society
American Legion	\$100.00	History Club

Sets dates for the Organizational Meeting and January Regular Meeting as presented:

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Organizational Meeting	January 10	7:00pm
Regular January Meeting	January 10	7:20pm

Notes: The Ohio Revised Code requires that the organizational meeting occur by January 15. In preplanning for these meetings, two items you should be considering are the election of a president and vice-president, and setting regular meeting dates for the next calendar year.

- Designated Vern Siegel as President Pro Tem for the Board's 2024 Organization meeting.
- Approved extended leave of absence for Rebekkah Delawder.
- Approved supplemental contracts for 2023/2024 co-curricular classified positions:

<b>EMPLOYEE</b>	POSITION	EXP.
Jason Streib	Weight Room Monitor	

- Approved one (1) substitute teachers as approved by the ESC for the 2023/2024 school year.
- Organizational Meeting: January 10, 2024 at 7:00pm
- Regular January meeting is January 10, 2024 at 7:20 pm.

