



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING SUMMARY

MAY 8, 2008

The Mount Baker School Board held its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, May 8 at Harmony Elementary School. The following is a summary of the meeting:

- The Board Approved –
 - a. Personnel Actions – Attachment “A”
 - b. Principal Contract for Bridget Rossman, Harmony Elementary School
 - c. Principal Contract for Kent Rogers, Acme Elementary School
 - d. Resolution #07/08:19 – Extension of Capital Projects Fund
 - e. Resolution #07/08:20 – Extension Transportation Vehicle Fund
 - f. Donation from Laurie McClintock for Life Skills Class @ Harmony Elementary \$2,000.00
 - g. Donation from Nooksack Tribe for Junior and Senior High Schools \$20,000.00
 - h. Healthy Student Survey Questions
 - i. Overnight Trips –
 - i. July 6 – 12 – Wrestling @ Spokane
 - ii. July 20 – 24 – Football @ Wenatchee
 - iii. July 26 – 30 – Boys Basketball Team Camp @ Gonzaga
 - iv. August 1 – 4 – Cheer Camp @ Tacoma University of Puget Sound
 - j. Policy #3207 – Prohibition of Harassment & Bullying, including Cyberbullying

- The Board Heard Information About –
 - a. Good of the Order – Attachment “B”
 - b. Donation from Nooksack Tribe for High School Senior Grad Night \$500.00
 - c. Timber Harvest Project on District Property
 - d. Safe Routes to Schools Grant
 - e. Deming Diking Commission/Whatcom County River and Flood Division
 - f. Oppression of Children in Iran
 - g. School Board Activities
 - i. Mt Baker Scholarship Foundation
 - ii. High School Track Meet
 - iii. Ready! for Kindergarten Workshop
 - iv. WSSDA Leadership Task Force
 - v. School Visits –
 - 1. Harmony Elementary

- Meeting(s) Schedule – All meetings begin at 7 pm in the District Office unless otherwise noted
 - i. Work sessions & Special Meetings –
 - 1. Thursday, May 22 – Budget
 - ii. Regular Meetings
 - 4. Thursday, June 12



**MOUNT BAKER SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 507
EMPLOYMENT ITEMS, MAY 8, 2008 BOARD MEETING**

CERTIFICATED EMPLOYMENT

Lingbloom, Morgan, Science Teacher JH, Cont., 1.0 FTE 2008-09, Replaces Adrienne Somera
McLachlan, Mary, PE Teacher HS, Cont., 1.0 FTE Beginning 2008-09, Replaces Mark Murray
Thompson, Anthony, SLP Kendall, Cont., 1.0 FTE Beginning 2008-09, Replaces Jill Carlile

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT

Ensley, Betty, Food Service Summer Program, 3.5 Hrs Day 6/19/08 – 7/28/08
Lawrence, Cindy, Food Service Summer Program 3.5 Hrs Day 6/19/08 – 7/28/08
Logan, Allyson, Secretary II Harmony, Cont., 8 Hrs/199 Days, Replacing Mandi Fox
Varang, Gary, Head Mechanic, Temp., Retire/Rehire, 6 Hrs/260 Days

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Pfeffer, Linina, Teacher Acme, 1 Day Per Week, 4/2/08 - 6/16/08
Riedesel, Nicole, Teacher Harmony, Temporary Reduction 2 Hrs Day, 4/21/08 – 6/16/08
Smull, Melinda, Bus Driver, 5 Days Unpaid Leave 5/5/08 – 5/9/08

RESIGNATIONS

Moore, Ann, ESL Teacher Kendall, Resigning .1 FTE (Position Cont., .9 FTE @ 2008-09)
Moore, Linda, Fall Musical Director & Winter Drama Director High School, Resignation @ 4/17/08

SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYMENT

DeRoco, Erin, Honor Society Advisor High School, Resignation @ 6/16/08
Fox, Mandi, Building Tech Support Harmony, Resignation @ 3/31/08
Mathews, Todd, Building Tech Support Harmony, 4/1/08 – 6/16/08
McLachlan, Mary, Head Volleyball Coach HS, Beginning Fall 2008
Menti, Melissa, California Science Trip Advisor, 2008-09

Attachment "A"



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TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK – MAY 5 - 9

This week was *Teacher Appreciation Week*. Many official and unofficial celebrations were held around the district, recognizing and thanking our wonderful Mt Baker Teachers for their good work for our students and our community.

NOOKSACK TRIBE DONATIONS

- i. For High School Senior Grad Night from Nooksack Tribe - \$500.00
- ii. For High School Students from Nooksack Tribe - \$20,000.00

HARMONY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DONATION – LAURIE MCCLINTOCK

\$2,000 from Laurie McClintock – The donation will be used to purchase gross motor equipment for Life Skills Class students. This may include outside toys that are accessible for students with limited mobility as well as equipment that can be used in the classroom for sensory integration.

MT BAKER 2007 RETIREES TEA – THURSDAY, JUNE 12

Several Mt Baker staff members will be honored at a tea on Thursday, June 12. 3 – 5 pm in the District Office. Everyone is invited to come congratulate these people on their long and industrious careers. Those being feted are **Pat Bieber-Holmes** (*Special Programs Director*), **Ellyn Erickson** (*Acme Elementary Principal*); **Pat Gilmore** (*Kendall Elementary Teacher*); **Cindy Mellema** (*High School Secretary*) and **David Teshera** (*Custodian/Bus Driver*).

Attachment “B”