

## **Board of Trustees**

**November 17, 2022**

The Board of Trustees of the Crowley Independent School District met on Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the Crowley ISD Administration Building, 1900 Crowley Pride Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76036. A quorum of Board members was present. The meeting was duly called and notice of the meeting was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

## **ROLL CALL**

### **THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:**

Daryl R. Davis  
June W. Davis  
Gary Grassia  
Mia Hall  
Kelicia Stevenson  
Nedra Robinson  
La Tonya Woodson - Mayfield

## **Celebrations / Board Points of Pride**

### **Mary Harris Elementary School**

On Friday, November 11th our nation celebrated Veteran's Day to honor those who bravely protect and serve. At Mary Harris Elementary, Ms. Ricard's third grade Social Studies class sent 25 letters to Operation Gratitude to be included in care packages for servicemen and women. Tonight, we join them in saying, "Thank you!"

### **Bill R. Johnson CTE**

Congratulations to our BRJ CTE culinary students who won first place overall at the High School World Food Championships competition in Dallas on Nov. 9th. The team of five served a curried beef taco on a wonton shell, which was topped with rainbow slaw and whipped goat cheese. Great job students and staff!

### **David L. Walker Elementary School**

Amazon Employee Network and ONM Living have partnered with David L. Walker to extend students' opportunities for learning far beyond the school walls. Our students will tour the Amazon Robotics Operation and visit ONM Living to learn about home architecture and construction surrounding the campus. Partnerships matter in CISD!

### **Tarleton – Fort Worth Education Program**

The Tarleton-Fort Worth Education Program has recently adopted June W. Davis and Deer Creek Elementary Schools. The program will sponsor a holiday Angel Tree, offer professional development, develop mentorship opportunities and explore new pathways for para certifications. Thank you to Dr. Becker and the Tarleton leadership for your support!

### **S. H. Crowley Elementary School**

Students were fully engaged as Joshua Christian, lab instructor from the University of North Texas, shared a simulation of how doctors use virtual reality to help simulate real bodies in their virtual labs. Thank you to the UNT Health Science Center at Fort Worth for extending student learning and showing our students what the future holds. #CrowleyPrideUnified

### **Canned Food Drive**

The Crowley Pride Unified Canned Food Drive took competition to the next level. While the blue feeder brought home the trophy, at the game Friday, November 4th, the real winner was Crowley House of Hope. Our district donated 8,852 cans of food to our community because we act like a family and work like a team!

### **North Crowley High School**

The athletic teams at North Crowley High School are all the way up! The No. 20 North Crowley High School basketball team posted a 74- 26 season-opening win over Fort Worth Dunbar Friday night at the Cowtown Tip-Off in Fort Worth. With the victory, head coach Tommy Brakel and North Crowley have now recorded 700 wins all-time in program history. In other news, the No. 19 North Crowley High School football team recorded a dominating 66-17 victory over Keller Timber Creek High School Friday night in the opening round of the University Interscholastic League playoffs. With the win, the Panthers improved to 11-0 overall and will take on El Paso Pebble Hills High School in the area round tomorrow night. We are inviting everyone to join the sendoff Friday morning at 7:30 a.m. at North Crowley High School.

### **Superintendent Report**

The district hosted a very special gathering of the Crowley ISD Community Village before the November 11<sup>th</sup> North Crowley High School Playoff Game against Keller Timber Creek High School. The meeting took place in the Community Room of the Multi-Purpose Stadium and attendees included members from the CISD Ministerial Alliance and Faith Based Partners, City of Fort Worth and City of Crowley Council Members, representative from the Divine Nine Organizations, First Responders, additional community partners as well as, CISD School Board Members.

During his closing comments, Dr. Michael McFarland thanked all staff that was involved for the work that went into planning and coordinating a wonderful event.

### **Recognition Items**

#### **Crowley High School Mighty Eagle Marching Band Recognition**

The Crowley High School Mighty Eagle Band will be recognized for its fall accomplishments:

At the CISD/US Bands competition held at the new CISD Multi-Purpose Stadium, the band earned:

- Best in Class II Individual Music
- Best in Class II Ensemble Music
- Best in Class II Visual
- Best in Class II Visual Effect
- Best in Class II Percussion

-Best in Class II overall

The CHS band earned an overall rating of "Excellent" at the UIL Region 30 marching competition.

The CHS Mighty Eagle Band will be represented by:

-Band captains Ally O'Heren and Elizabeth Tran

-Colorguard captain Jose Rodriguez

-Drum majors Taylor Burney, Caroline Madrid, and Aidan Tran

The band is looking forward to competing this spring in Winterguard, Indoor Drumline, UIL Solo and Ensemble, and UIL Concert. The Mighty Eagle Band will travel to Florida in April to participate in a Disney musical workshop. The Mighty Eagle Band invites everyone to their upcoming concert on Dec. 12, at 7 p.m. in the CHS auditorium.

### **Meadowcreek Elementary School Football Team Recognition**

The Meadowcreek Elementary School Football team won the Fort Worth Junior Optimist Club championship game on Saturday, Nov. 12. The team went undefeated all season and defeated Fort Worth ISD's T. A. Sims Elementary Bulldogs 13-7 in the championship game.

Coaches Chris Jackson and Michael Armstrong and students from the team were introduced to the Board for recognition.

### **Heartbeat Team Award Winner**

Michael Armstrong, Meadowcreek Campus Monitor and Football Coach, is the November 2022 Heartbeat Team Award winner.

### **CISD Student School Board Trustee Program Pilot**

#### **Introductions and Updates**

The Crowley ISD Board of Trustees welcomed the first set of students to serve in the Student School Board Trustee Program Pilot. During the November 17, 2022 Regular board meeting, Crowley High School junior Sarai Abram and North Crowley High School senior Andrew Golf served as the designated student trustees. Nineteen students will rotate through as student representatives.

The program allows two students to serve in a student trustee capacity at each school board meeting. Student trustees are encouraged to conduct meetings on their campuses to educate other students about district-level decisions and solicit feedback to share with trustees during district school board meetings.

### **Open Forum**

No one spoke during open forum.

### **No. 8433 Consent Agenda**

Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Moved, Member (**Daryl Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend the approval of Consent Agenda, with the removal of item 8.7 New Course Offerings 2023-2024, as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl R. Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes

- Approval of Consent Agenda
- Approval of the October 27, 2022 Regular Board Meeting Minutes
- Financial Statements
- Budget Amendment
- Region 11 Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and Contract for Early Childhood Coaching
- 2021 – 2022 Annual Financial Audit Report

**Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)**

**No. 8434 New Course Offerings 2023 – 2024**

Member (**June W. Davis**) Moved, Member (**Daryl Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion ' Recommend approval of two new CTE courses: Pharmacy Science and Advanced Legal Skills and Professions, to be offered beginning fall 2023 as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl R. Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes

**No. 8435 Appointment of CISD Board Parliamentarian**

No action was taken.

**Future Action Item(s)**

**Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) for Elementary School #16**

On November, 17, 2022 the district will receive bids for the Construction of Elementary School #16. The construction project is scheduled for 14 months, with a Fall 2024 opening. The Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP) for the construction of Elementary School #16 will be presented to the Board for approval at the December 15, 2022 meeting.

**Executive Session**

The Board of Trustees convened in Executive Session beginning at 5:56 p.m. and returned to open session at 1:25 a.m.

**Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)**

**No. 8436 Employment of Administrative Personnel – Early Childhood Instructional Coordinator**

Member (**Kelicia Stevenson**) Moved, Member (**June W. Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion ' I recommend the employment of Tiffany Majors for the position of Early Childhood Instructional Coordinator, as presented. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl R. Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes

**No. 8437 Approval of the Superintendent Performance Appraisal and Contract Modifications**

Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Moved, Member (**Mia Hall**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion ' I recommend approval of the 2022-2023 Superintendent Appraisal and Contract Modifications as discussed, by the Board. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl R. Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes

There being no further business, the president declared the meeting was adjourned at 1:26 a.m.

PRESIDENT \_\_\_\_\_

SECRETARY \_\_\_\_\_

ASSISTANT SECRETARY \_\_\_\_\_