

Rock County Christian School
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
March 28, 2013

Board members present: Marc Grindle, Linda Ross, Jackie Borgwardt, Gary Bulta, Matt Finnegan and William Muether

Staff members present: Tim Befus and Bob Cerniglia. Absent: Linda Hutson.

1. There was no Student of the Month for March.
2. Bill read from 1 Peter 2:21-23. We have been given the Word of God, which reminds us that suffering is not for nothing but that it is used by God for His sovereign purpose. Christians have been “called” to suffer but God gives us the Holy Spirit to endure. Follow Christ’s example in His suffering for us. His suffering was unjust but He patiently endured them for our benefit. We must remember to go to God in our hour of need and put all trust in Him.
3. Motion made and seconded to approve the February school board minutes as amended. Minutes approved by unanimous vote.
4. Mr. Befus presented the following in his Administrator’s Report:
 - Banquet fundraising total is \$22,200 (goal was \$25,000).
 - Informational meeting on April 9th hosted by the Wisconsin Council of Religious and Independent Schools (WCRIS) at Brother Dutton to discuss school vouchers.
 - Parent/teacher conferences scheduled for April 4-5.
 - End of candy sales is April 8th.
 - ACSI Speech Meet is April 12th.
 - Spring Association Meeting scheduled for April 15th.
 - Shopperama at the Beloit campus is April 27th.
 - A deficit of \$2500 is projected this year due to a shortfall at the school banquet and a technical wiring project this year at the Janesville campus.
 - Contracts provided to the faculty. All are returning.
5. The following team reports were presented:

Academic Excellence – Team met March 3rd. Two AP classes planned for next year: writing and calculus. Faculty provided Bible textbook recommendations for this year’s curriculum review. Math curriculum review is scheduled for next year. Next meeting scheduled for April 24th.

Spiritual Maturity – No report. Team hasn’t met since last school board meeting. Next meeting April 3rd.

Godly Stewardship – Team met today. Letters to be sent to donors who weren’t present at this year’s banquet but have been faithful in giving at previous events. More host families needed for our international students. One idea is to solicit families at area churches.

Community Relations – Team met March 18th. Berrien Baptist was Church of the Month for March and El-Ray Bowl was Business of the Month. When presented the award, El-Ray Bowl commented how well our students behaved at the last Bowlathon. For April, Applebees is Business of the Month and Roxbury is Church of the Month. Team selected 13 churches they intend to visit this spring. Free bottles of water will be provided to parents at the upcoming Parent Appreciation Day on April 15th. After-hours meeting with area businesses scheduled for April 10th. Gary Builta plans to attend. News articles continue to be provided to local newspapers.

6. Old Business: None.

7. New Business: Interview for one of two school board candidates went well. He provided his Christian testimony and other background information. Election to fill two vacancies will occur at the upcoming Spring Association Meeting.

8. At this point in the meeting, a motion was made and approved to move to the executive session. Due to confidentiality of matters discussed, executive minutes are reported separately and are not posted to the school website.