

**AGENDA**  
Hennessey Public Schools  
Regular Virtual and Physical Meeting  
Seminar Room, Auditorium  
213 N Walnut  
Hennessey, Oklahoma 73742  
Tuesday, October 15, 2019 at 7:00 PM

This meeting will be conducted via teleconferencing, via videoconferencing, and at a physical location.

1. Call to Order
  1. Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum
  2. Welcome of Visitors
2. Public Comments
  1. Comments regarding agenda items (please sign speaker list prior to start of meeting)
  2. Other comments - Speaker should contact the Supt. or Board President 48 hours (2 working days) prior to the meeting to be placed on the agenda
3. Consent Agenda
  1. Minutes of September 10, 2019 regular board meeting.
  2. Purchase Orders, Change Orders and Corresponding Warrants
  3. Stipends for Donor's Choose projects funded prior to October 15, 2019.
  4. Categorical budgets for the General Fund, Building Fund, Child Nutrition Fund and Coop Fund for the 2019-2020 school year (see attachment).
  5. Resolution calling for annual school election to be held on February 11, 2020 with a runoff, if required, to be held on April 7, 2020. Said election shall be for the purpose of electing one member of the Hennessey Board of Education, office #5, for a 5-year term.
  6. Request to close polling places for split precincts (100 or fewer registered voters) for the annual school election, and annual school runoff election, if required.
  7. Resolution to renew Lease-Purchase Agreement with Farmers & Merchants Bank, Crescent, Oklahoma in the amount of \$2,515,000.00 dated June 27, 2018.
  8. Revised Policy Item 431 - Reporting Suspected Child Abuse and/or Neglect.
  9. Fundraisers for 2019-2020 School Year
  10. Presentation of Drop Out and College Remediation Report.
4. Regular Business
  1. Discussion and possible board action regarding Activity Fund Transfers (If needed).
  2. Discussion and possible board action regarding purchase of activity bus.
  3. Discussion and possible board action regarding bids for flooring. The board has the right to accept, reject or table any or all bids.
5. New Business
6. Superintendent's Reports
  1. Financial Update

2. Facilities
3. Update on School Programs
4. Community Engagement Issues
5. Student/Staff Policy Issues
7. Personnel
8. Adjourn



# *Hennessey High School*

## *Hennessey Middle School*

### **MS & HS Principal**

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## **October Board Update**

► Teachers of the Month – Lisa Bossa (MS Geography, Softball Coach)

► Student Activity Updates

- Eagle Advisory - (All classroom teachers) - HS Advisory continues to allow students time to practice and develop organizational skills, explore and prepare for college & careers, as well as weekly character lessons utilizing Josten's Renaissance character ed program called "the Harbor". 10th grade took the ACT, results overview pending. 11th took the ASVAB aptitude test earlier this month and the National guard speakers will be here Monday to interpret scores and discuss matching career results and military opportunities next week.
- HS Band - (Community members & HHS Staff) - The Pride of Hennessey will be performing on October 22nd at the OSSAA District Marching Contest in Skiatook. The band has put in many extra hours over the last two weeks to prepare for their marching contest. A special thank you to the parents and community members who have put in countless hours to help assist in the preparation for the contests, ball games, and leading practices.
- Photography – (Beth Curran) – HS Photography has been learning the automodes of the camera and photo composition techniques.
- HS Cheerleaders - (Beth Curran) - The HS Cheerleaders held a very successful mini cheer camp with over 80 Elementary school girls participating.
- HS Art - (Beth Curran) - HS Art classes finished up their drawing unit and are making paper mache masks for Halloween.
- Yearbook - (Beth Curran) - Yearbook students attended a yearbook workshop for designing their cover and theme.
- MS Academic Team - (Craig Ullery) - Mr. Ullery has a 7th and 8th grade team for Quizbowl that practices on Wednesdays. Mr. Ullery tutors middle school kids after school on Mondays.
- MS/HS Choir - (Beth Berkenbile) - The choir department is full of songs: There are twelve 5th through 8th graders meeting every Tuesday to prepare for Circle the State with Song regional choir which will be held here on January 7th. Three students will be participating in the Western Oklahoma Honor Choir moning, October 21st. Sophomore, Jaden Matthews, will sing in the HS Mixed Choir; Ethan Munroe, 8th grade, will sing in the JrHi Mixed Choir; and Jayden

Hladik, 7th grade, will sing in the Treble Choir (a mixture of HS and JrHi girls). Mrs. Berkenbile is rehearsing with students Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday after school and Friday morning before school to prepare students for the HS & Jr Hi All-State Choir auditions on Nov. 2nd. Also, students are preparing for the Children's All-State Choir auditions

- Avid - (Linzie Briley) - As part of the tutorial process in the AVID Elective class, students have been visiting with a few 1st and 2nd grade classes in the elementary to help students with reading. The students help with listening to readers, reading to students, and helping them with AR tests. Their visits provide the opportunity for students to read aloud and be given assistance if needed. Many of these students do not get these opportunities at home nor does the teacher have the allotted time to listen to each individual student read an entire book. Many of the students are able to read several books in the time that they are there. The AVID students are enjoying the visits and the elementary students love to see them each week.

► Student Enrollment Counts:

9<sup>th</sup> – 50, 10<sup>th</sup> – 62, 11<sup>th</sup> – 59, 12<sup>th</sup> – 61, Total HS students – 232 ↓1

6<sup>th</sup> – 74, 7<sup>th</sup> – 56, 8<sup>th</sup> – 71, Total MS students - 201 ↑1

