

Agenda

1. MEETING CALL TO ORDER
 1. Reading of Public Meeting Notice
 1. Open Meetings Act
 2. Roll Call
 3. Consent Agenda
 1. Additions/Deletions and Agenda Approval
 2. Consider Minutes of Previous Meeting(s) and Their Approval
 3. Consider Current Bills and Their Approval
 4. Consider Activity Accounts and Treasurer's Report
 4. Introduction of Guests; Invite Comments
2. OLD BUSINESS
 1. CONSIDER A WRESTLING COOPERATIVE WITH FRIEND
3. NEW BUSINESS
 1. COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS
 2. REVIEW CURRICULUM & GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
 3. REVIEW ENROLLMENTS
 4. DISCUSS PERTINENT LEGISLATION
 5. CONSIDER ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATIONS AND PARTICIPATION IN THE VOLUNTARY EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM
 6. CONSIDER ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION
 7. CONSIDER APPOINTMENT OF THE FEDERAL AND STATE PROGRAMS REPRESENTATIVE
 8. CONSIDER SETTING RATE FOR OUT OF DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION
 9. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF SUMMER SCHOOL PLANS
 10. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS
 11. CONSIDER NEGOTIATIONS PROPOSAL AND SALARY/FRINGE BENEFIT PACKAGE FOR CERTIFIED STAFF FOR 2014-15
 12. CONSIDER ACCEPTING BID FOR BLEACHERS
 13. CONSIDER ALTERNATES TO THE ROOFING BID
 14. UPDATE ON THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT
 15. DISCUSSION OF A POSSIBLE BOARD RECOGNITION PROGRAM FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
 16. BOARD MEMBER REPORTS
 17. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORTS
4. ADJOURN

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CENTENNIAL BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING January 13, 2014

Notice of meeting was published in York News Times on December 26, 2013.

Meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. with all board members present. Administrators present were Mr. DeWaard, Mr. Borgen, and Mrs. Hammer. Guest was Mr. Anderson.

In lieu of dissent, the consent agenda was accepted as presented.

Paxson and Tonniges were nominated for President. Motion made by Hahn, seconded by Cast, to cease nomination. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0

Paxson was elected President by a 4-2 vote.

Avery was nominated for Vice President. Motion made by Tonniges, seconded by Hahn, to cease nomination. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Avery was elected Vice President.

Hahn and Cast were nominated for Secretary. Motion made by Avery, seconded by Tonniges, to cease nomination. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Hahn was elected Secretary by a 4-2 vote.

Tonniges was nominated for Treasurer. Motion made by Heine, seconded by Cast, to cease nomination. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Tonniges was elected Treasurer.

Motion made by Paxson, seconded by Tonniges, to approve an out of state conference for Mr. Anderson with congratulations. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion made by Tonniges, seconded by Heine, to adopt the 2014 Tentative Board of Education Annual Calendar of Meeting Topics. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion made by Heine, seconded by Hahn, to appoint Virgil Heine to serve as AHERA Representative for the district. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion made by Avery, seconded by Cast, to set the Driver's Education fee at \$175. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion made by Hahn, seconded by Avery, to recognize the CEA as the bargaining agent for the teachers for the 2015-2016 school year. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion made by Avery, seconded by Tonniges, to approve the bid from Anderson Ladd for \$104,152 for athletic flooring. Members polled: Avery, for; Cast, for; Hahn, for; Heine, for; Paxson, for; Tonniges, for. Motion carried 6-0.

Update on the construction project.

Heard Board Member reports

Heard Administrator's reports.

Meeting adjourned at 10:47 p.m.

Mike Hahn, Secretary
Centennial Board of Education

MH:mr

Board Report for Newspaper

FEBRUARY 2014

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Vendor Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
ACADEMIC SUPERSTORE	SOFTWARE	795.00
ADMIN ARSENAL CORPORATION	SOFTWARE	493.20
AMAZON.COM	TEXTBOOKS	296.35
ARTICULATE TECHNOLOGIES, INC	SUPPLIES	304.00
AUTO VALUE PARTS STORES	PARTS/SUPPLIES	1,549.01
BEAVER HARDWARE	PARTS	104.76
BOYS TOWN	CONTRACT SERVICES	1,739.50
BRONCO SPUR	SUPPLIES	32.50
CAMELOT TRANSPORTATION, INC	TRANSPORTATION	2,880.00
CAPITOL ONE COMMERCIAL	SUPPLIES	152.30
CAROLINA BIOLOGICAL SUPPLY	SUPPLIES/TEXTBOOKS	361.65
CENTENNIAL ACTIVITY FUND	DISTRICT REIMBURSEMENT	5,089.67
CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY	REIMBURSEMENT	120.00
CENTRAL NEBRASKA REHABILITATION SERVICES	PHYSICAL THERAPY	9,798.93
CORNHUSKER INT. TRUCKS INC	EQUIP/MAIN	479.27
CULLIGAN OF CRETE	SUPPLIES	81.95
CUMMINS CENTRAL POWER, LLC	PARTS	153.13
DAVID CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	PSYCH SERVICES	3,696.42
DISTRIBUTED WEBSITE CORPORATION	SOFTWARE	795.00
EAKES OFFICE PRODUCTS CENTER	SUPPLIES	40.99
EAST BUTLER PUBLIC SCHOOL	STIPEND	100.00
EDUCATIONAL SERVICE UNIT #5	SERVICES	10.00
EGAN SUPPLY CO	SUPPLIES	192.08
ESU #6	CONTRACTED SERVICES/SUPPLIES	1,153.00
FILLMORE CENTRAL PUBLIC SCHOOL	STIPEND	100.00
GALES WELDING	SUPPLIES/REPAIRS	271.38
GOVCONNECTION, INC	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	646.82
HAMMER, MEGAN	REIMBURSEMENT	868.50
HARDING & SHULTZ, P.C.	LEGAL SERVICE	157.00
HENRY, SHANNON	CONTRACTED SERVICES	7,547.75
J.W. PEPPER & SON, INC	SHEET MUSIC	68.49
JOHN KOHL AUTO CENTER	MAINTENANCE	335.54
KONICA MINOLTA	SERVICES	823.79
LINCOLN WINNELSON CO	SUPPLIES	212.91
MARK ORTMEIER	REIMBURSEMENT	26.75
MATHESON TRI-GAS INC	SUPPLIES	134.67
MIDWEST SYMPOSIUM	REGISTRATION	140.00
MOBILITY MOTORING LLC	VEHICLE	573.00
NANTKES, JENNIFER	CONTRACTED SERVICES	492.83
NASB	FEES	1,170.00
NEBRASKA CENTRAL EQUIPMENT, INC	SUPPLIES	928.66
NEBRASKA TRUCK CENTER, INC	REPAIRS	1,232.85
O'REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC	PARTS	27.43
PAC N SAVE	FOOD/SUPPLIES	134.01
PAYFLEX	FEES	158.40

Board Report for Newspaper

FEBRUARY 2014

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Vendor Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
PERFORMANCE FORD	REPAIRS	158.45	
PRESTO-X CO	EXT FEE	96.93	
QUIA CORPORATION	SOFTWARE	98.00	
SEWARD COUNTY PPD	ELECTRICITY	6,487.47	
SEWARD PUBLIC SCHOOL	STIPEND	100.00	
SHEEHAN, KIMBERLY	REIMBURSEMENT	175.00	
SOURCEGAS	FUEL	13,280.42	
STRIV, INC	PUPIL SERVICES	2,770.00	
THERAPRO	SUPPLIES	43.95	
UNITED FARMERS COOPERATIVE	FUEL	8,877.96	
UTICA PARTS & SERVICE	REPAIRS	708.58	
VILLAGE OF UTICA	WATER/SEWER	1,046.09	
WALMART COMMUNITY	SUPPLIES	187.85	
WILLIAMS, ASHLEE	REIMBURSEMENT	223.70	
WINDSTREAM	TELEPHONE	279.22	
YORK NEWS TIMES	ADV/PRINTING	147.22	
YORK PUBLIC SCHOOLS	TUITION	200.00	
			Fund Total:
			81,350.33
			Checking Account Total:
			81,350.33

BUILDING FUND

BVH Architects	5,462.43
Cheevers Const	666,951.68
	<u>\$672,414.11</u>

CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY ACTIVITY ACCOUNT

Jan-14

ACCOUNT	Dec-14 BALANCE	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS	Jan-14 BALANCE
BOOKS	\$194.60	\$305.00	\$305.00	\$194.60
BOXTOPS	\$3,059.63	\$830.50		\$3,890.13
PICTURES	\$1,461.67			\$1,461.67
GENERAL	\$16,637.40	\$154.58	\$1,561.75	\$15,230.23
READING CLASSIC				
TOTAL	\$21,353.30	\$1,290.08	\$1,866.75	\$20,776.63

Elementary Activity Bank Balance: \$22,285.38

Outstanding Checks: \$1,508.75

Balance: \$20,776.63

Elementary Activity Savings Account \$2,945.43

Interest on Activity Savings Account \$1.48

Other

Total in Savings: \$2,946.91

January 31, 2014

	Jan. 1 Balance	Received	Expenditures	Jan. 31 Balance
ART	\$139.09			\$139.09
ATHLETICS	\$7,350.25	\$16,269.00	\$4,963.59	\$18,655.66
BAND TRIP	\$12,616.98			\$12,616.98
BOOSTER CLUB	\$9,389.75	\$180.00	\$10,887.47	-\$1,317.72
BOYS BASKETBALL	\$2,263.70	\$151.29	\$927.32	\$1,487.67
BRONCO STORE	\$1,239.06	\$450.29	\$88.00	\$1,601.35
C CLUB	\$419.02			\$419.02
CLASS '14	\$2,678.86		\$872.08	\$1,806.78
CLASS '15	\$3,243.27			\$3,243.27
CLASS '17	\$140.17			\$140.17
CLASS '13	\$169.95			\$169.95
CLASS '16	\$2,061.49			\$2,061.49
CONCESSIONS	\$26,285.11	\$5,820.11	\$5,295.48	\$26,809.74
CONC. MAN.	\$1,493.94	\$372.62		\$1,866.56
CROSS COUNTRY	\$118.80			\$118.80
DANCE TEAM	\$1,776.24			\$1,776.24
DIST. EVENTS	\$3,050.39		\$209.68	\$2,840.71
DRAMA	\$6,213.54			\$6,213.54
FBLA	\$983.38			\$983.38
FCA	-\$39.95			-\$39.95
FCCLA	\$161.44	\$158.51	\$24.00	\$295.95
FOOTBALL	\$1,299.87		\$18.75	\$1,281.12
FFA	\$10,689.44	\$2,614.00	\$452.00	\$12,851.44
GENERAL	\$8,556.61	\$63,415.73	\$67,065.86	\$4,906.48
GIRLS BASKETBALL	\$1,053.86	\$259.00	\$1,499.56	-\$186.70
GOLF	-\$37.86			-\$37.86
INSTR.	-\$1,095.20	\$400.00	\$25.00	-\$720.20
JH GIRLS B-BALL	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$125.00	\$0.00
JH YEARBOOK	\$147.64			\$147.64
LIBRARY	\$96.03	\$7.00		\$103.03
MAT GIRL	\$1,050.83	\$428.90		\$1,479.73
NAT. HONOR	\$40.10			\$40.10
ONE ACT	-\$25.54			-\$25.54
SCIENCE	\$390.81			\$390.81
SHOP/TECH	\$1,946.68			\$1,946.68
SHOW CHOIR	-\$937.14	\$358.85		-\$578.29
SOFTBALL	\$223.61			\$223.61
SPANISH CLUB	\$421.65	\$1,866.01		\$2,287.66
SPEECH	-\$107.75		\$32.00	-\$139.75
ST. COUN.	\$1,271.93	\$963.41	\$366.85	\$1,868.49
STUDENT FEES	\$0.00			\$0.00
TRACK	\$359.09			\$359.09
VOCAL	-\$1,968.64	\$80.00	\$200.21	-\$2,088.85
VOLLEYBALL	\$151.50			\$151.50
WRESTLING	\$2,314.02	\$196.00	\$150.00	\$2,360.02
WT. ROOM	\$92.66			\$92.66
YEARBOOK	-\$10,287.06	\$977.00		-\$9,310.06
	\$97,476.62	\$95,017.72	\$93,202.85	\$99,291.49
CENTENNIAL BANK BALANCE				\$105,516.16
OUTSTANDING CHECKS				\$6,224.67
OUTSTANDING DEPOSITS				
Total				\$99,291.49

Year To Date

	Sept. 1, 2013 Balance	Received	Expenditures	YTD Balance
ART	\$139.09	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$139.09
ATHLETICS	-\$13,812.97	\$72,338.77	\$39,870.14	\$18,655.66
BAND TRIP	\$14,394.35	\$3,661.38	\$5,438.75	\$12,616.98
BOOSTER CLUB	\$0.00	\$10,667.25	\$11,984.97	-\$1,317.72
BOYS BASKETBALL	\$529.20	\$5,735.34	\$4,776.87	\$1,487.67
BRONCO STORE	\$654.32	\$3,585.17	\$2,638.14	\$1,601.35
C CLUB	\$419.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$419.02
CLASS '14	\$2,678.86	\$0.00	\$872.08	\$1,806.78
CLASS '15	\$2,238.51	\$1,817.76	\$813.00	\$3,243.27
CLASS '17	\$0.00	\$140.17	\$0.00	\$140.17
CLASS '13	\$169.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$169.95
CLASS '16	\$614.05	\$4,444.50	\$2,997.06	\$2,061.49
CONCESSIONS	\$27,799.51	\$25,798.30	\$26,788.07	\$26,809.74
CONC. MAN.	\$0.00	\$1,866.56	\$0.00	\$1,866.56
CROSS COUNTRY	\$50.30	\$645.00	\$576.50	\$118.80
DANCE TEAM	\$1,776.24	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,776.24
DIST. EVENTS	\$2,751.76	\$2,467.00	\$2,378.05	\$2,840.71
DRAMA	\$7,865.81	\$0.00	\$1,652.27	\$6,213.54
FBLA	-\$173.25	\$2,321.33	\$1,164.70	\$983.38
FCA	-\$39.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$39.95
FCCLA	-\$364.77	\$2,133.99	\$1,473.27	\$295.95
FOOTBALL	\$7,871.42	\$1,421.00	\$8,011.30	\$1,281.12
FFA	\$8,122.03	\$18,059.71	\$13,330.30	\$12,851.44
GENERAL	\$7,164.25	\$366,289.68	\$368,547.45	\$4,906.48
GIRLS BASKETBALL	\$80.38	\$1,280.57	\$1,547.65	-\$186.70
GOLF	-\$37.86	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$37.86
INSTR.	-\$927.14	\$2,528.04	\$2,321.10	-\$720.20
JH GIRLS B-BALL	\$0.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$0.00
JH YEARBOOK	\$647.64	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$147.64
LIBRARY	\$211.30	\$31.99	\$140.26	\$103.03
MAT GIRL	\$487.23	\$992.50	\$0.00	\$1,479.73
NAT. HONOR	\$40.10	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40.10
ONE ACT	-\$25.54	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$25.54
SCIENCE	\$390.81	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$390.81
SHOP/TECH	\$1,826.68	\$120.00	\$0.00	\$1,946.68
SHOW CHOIR	-\$1,746.47	\$2,533.70	\$1,365.52	-\$578.29
SOFTBALL	\$2,168.70	\$300.00	\$2,245.09	\$223.61
SPANISH CLUB	\$0.01	\$2,287.65	\$0.00	\$2,287.66
SPEECH	-\$29.47	\$0.00	\$110.28	-\$139.75
ST. COUN.	\$2,382.07	\$4,165.36	\$4,678.94	\$1,868.49
STUDENT FEES	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
TRACK	\$404.24	\$0.00	\$45.15	\$359.09
VOCAL	-\$2,467.14	\$1,076.50	\$698.21	-\$2,088.85
VOLLEYBALL	-\$225.94	\$432.44	\$55.00	\$151.50
WRESTLING	\$172.29	\$9,044.00	\$6,856.27	\$2,360.02
WT. ROOM	\$92.66	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$92.66
YEARBOOK	-\$6,259.08	\$3,951.00	\$7,001.98	-\$9,310.06
	\$68,033.20	\$552,386.66	\$521,128.37	\$99,291.49
			Total	\$99,291.49

FEBRUARY 2014
January 2014 Bank Statement

CENTENNIAL PUBLIC SCHOOL INVESTMENTS

FUND	BANK	TYPE OF INVESTMENT	INT. RATE	AMOUNT	INT. REC
Lunch Fund	First Bank of Utica	Checking 180000		\$5,532.45	
			Total	\$5,532.45	
Depreciation Fund	Farmers & Merchants	MMA 436 949		\$94,493.48	\$12.04
			Total	\$94,493.48	
Unemployment Ins.	Cornerstone Bank	Certificate 66245		\$53,115.60	
	Cornerstone Bank	MMA 81190		\$14,045.21	\$1.08
			Total	\$67,160.81	
2013 Bond	Cornerstone Bank	Construction Fund		\$6,651,098.84	
Building Fund	First Bank of Utica	Checking 18 064 6		\$284,355.92	\$77.38
		Qualified Cap Bond 180554		\$17,978.56	\$1.75
			Total	\$302,334.48	
General Fund	Farmers & Merchants	MMA 436 436		\$92,456.91	\$11.78
	Farmers & Merchants	CD 71455 24mo		\$121,804.87	
	Farmers & Merchants	CD 80211 17 mo 7/2/2014		\$119,676.33	
	First Bank of Utica	MMA 18 065 3 General Acct		\$103,074.63	\$28.23
	First Bank of Utica	CD16282		\$121,416.98	
	Cornerstone Bank	MMA 300079871		\$56,138.98	\$4.31
	Cornerstone Bank	CD 16634 24mo 02/17/2015		\$129,341.57	
	Cornerstone Bank	CD 71241 16 mo 4/15/15		\$130,100.05	
	York State, Gresham	MMA 1027291		\$55,422.57	\$6.35
	York State, Gresham	CD 5204		\$188,448.89	
	York State, Gresham	CD 5215		\$128,072.03	
	First Bank of Utica	PayFlex Acct		\$3,646.55	
			Total	\$1,249,600.36	\$50.67
First Bank of Utica	Checking 180505			\$863,245.60	\$124.20
				\$863,245.60	
			Total Invested All Accounts Combined	\$2,582,367.18	

Total amount invested at Farmers & Merchants \$428,431.59
 Total amount invested at First Bank of Utica \$1,399,250.69
 Total amount invested at Cornerstone Bank, Waco \$382,741.41
 Total amount invested at York State, Gresham \$371,943.49
 Total Invested \$2,582,367.18

Committee Assignments

2014

Americanism	Jodi Cast, Chr. Larry Paxson Wayne Heine
Transportation	Doug Tonniges, Chr. Jodi Cast Larry Paxson
Bldg. & Grounds	Mike Hahn, Chr. Doug Tonniges Mark Avery
Finance	Larry Paxson, Chr. Mark Avery Wayne Heine
Negotiations	Wayne Heine, Chr. Doug Tonniges Mike Hahn
Computer/Technology	Mark Avery, Chr. Jodi Cast Mike Hahn
NASB Voting Delegate/ LRN Representative	

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The Centennial Board of Education believes the many benefits of a high school education cannot be fully realized in less than four years. Further, it views the entire senior year as an important period during which the student should be able to enjoy many experiences providing academic growth and enrichment, exploration of new areas, and social growth and maturity.

All students (grades 9-12) are required to register for and complete a minimum of 60 hours of credit each year. Exception: (Students enrolled in vocal music may register for 56 hours of credit.) All seniors are required to successfully complete a minimum of 45 hours of credit in their fourth year of high school.

<u>Required Credit Hours</u>		<u>Credits</u>
ENGLISH - 40 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	English 9 I/II	10
Grade 10	English 10 I/II	10
Grade 11-12	English 11 I/II	10
Grade 12	<u>Choices</u> : English 12 I/II, AP English I/II, Applied English 12	10
MATHEMATICS - 30 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	Algebra A, Algebra I, Algebra II	10
Grade 10	Algebra B, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Applied Math	10
Grade 11-12	<u>Choices</u> : Algebra II, Geometry, Applied Math, Consumer Math, Trig/Pre-Calculus, College Prep Math, AP Calculus	10
SCIENCE - 30 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	Physical Science	10
Grade 10	General Biology	10
Grade 11	Chemistry I/II, Standards Science	10
Grade 12	<u>Choices</u> : Physics, Anatomy, Microbiology, Chemistry, AP Biology	10
SOCIAL STUDIES - 30 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	World History	10
Grade 10	American History	10
Grade 11- 12	Government	10
BUSINESS - 10 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 11 - 12	Economics	10
PHYSICAL EDUCATION - 10 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	P.E/Health	10
COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY - 10 CREDIT HOURS		
Grade 9	Computer Tech	10
SPEECH - 5 CREDIT HOURS (Beginning with Class of 2017)		

ALL OF THE ABOVE CLASSES MERIT FIVE (5) CREDIT HOURS PER SEMESTER

TOTAL REQUIRED CREDIT HOURS -	160
TOTAL ELECTIVE CREDIT HOURS -	<u>80</u>
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION -	240

NOTE: Beginning with the Class of 2017, students will have 165 hours of required credit and 75 hours of elective credit with the new Speech requirement.

COMMUNITY SERVICE REQUIREMENT - 60 HOURS (15 hours/school year)

Community Service Hours **MUST BE PRE-APPROVED** by the principal or guidance counselor.

In an effort to help students keep pace over their 4 years of high school, students will not be able to participate in the Homecoming dance, Prom, or Class Competition Day Out of School if they have not met the following:

- Freshman (must have 5 hours completed & turned in by Prom/Day Out of School)
- Sophomores (must have 15 hours completed & turned in by Homecoming and 20 hours completed & turned in by Prom/Day Out of School)
- Juniors (must have 30 hours completed & turned in by Homecoming and 35 hours completed & turned in by Prom/Day Out of School)
- Seniors (must have 45 hours completed & turned in by Homecoming and 50 hours completed & turned in by Prom/Day Out of School)

DRIVER EDUCATION

Students successfully completing driver education at Centennial will receive three (3) credit hours. Driver education grades do not count toward student grade point averages.

February 10, 2014

Dear Mr. DeWaard, and the Centennial Board of Education,

This is to inform you that I will be taking early retirement at the end of this school year. I have enjoyed working for Centennial and appreciate the opportunities that you have provided for the students and myself. Thank you for letting me be a part of the Centennial family for all of these years.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Diane Braasch". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Diane Braasch

February 1, 2014

Sue Bollwitt
233 South 14th Street
Seward, NE 68434

Dear Mr. DeWaard and Centennial School Board Members,

Please accept this letter as a formal announcement of my intent to retire, contingent upon the Board's acceptance of my participation in the Centennial Volunteer Early Retirement Incentive Program.

The forty years I have had in the Centennial Public School system have been rewarding, and I take pride in the fact that I was able to have my entire career with this school system. Centennial has been supportive over the many years to accommodate my needs and wishes in the classroom, allowing me to touch the lives of many students over the years. Thank you for allowing me to serve.

Sincerely,


Sue Bollwitt

Marilyn Hyde
865 4th St.
Utica, NE 68456

February 5, 2014

Centennial Board of Education and
Mr. Tim DeWaard
Centennial Public Schools
1301 Centennial Avenue
Utica, NE 68456

Dear Centennial Board of Education and Mr. De Waard,

Please accept this as the formal notification of my resignation of employment at the conclusion of the 2013-2014 school year. This is contingent upon the Board's acceptance of the Centennial voluntary Early Retirement Incentive Program.

It has been a pleasure to work for over forty-one years for the Centennial School District. I have worked with many wonderful and professional people. The greatest privilege has been the opportunity to get to know hundreds of amazing young students I have had in my classes.

As both a graduate of Centennial and as a member of the teaching staff, I have a sense of pride in this school. Centennial Public School provides the finest facilities, professional educators who care about students, and the materials needed to provide a high quality education to its students. Thank you for the opportunities I have had.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marilyn Hyde".

Marilyn Hyde

Myra Nicolaus
4416 Alvo Rd.
Utica, NE 68456

February 2, 2014

Centennial Board of Education &
Mr. Tim DeWaard
Centennial Public School
P. O. Box 187
Utica, NE 68456

Dear Centennial School Board of Education and Mr. DeWaard,

Please accept this letter as my formal notification of my retirement at the end of the 2013-2014 school year. This is contingent upon the School Board's acceptance of my participation in the Centennial Voluntary Early Retirement Incentive Program.

Centennial has been great to, and for, me for the last 39 years. I have worked with so many outstanding educators through these years. Most of all I will be forever affected by the students I have taught who have left their heart strings with me.

I have always felt it was a privilege to teach at Centennial. I will continue to follow the successes of teachers and students who are a part of Centennial.

Sincerely,


Myra Nicolaus

February 3, 2014

Dear Mr. DeWaard,

After much contemplation and discussions with my family, I have decided to retire at the end of this school year.

I have greatly enjoyed my position and responsibilities at Centennial Public School. You have some incredible staff and the overall atmosphere does reflect "kids first". I have always said that your school is the most impressive reflecting that very philosophy.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to be employed in a totally different role than I have ever experienced. Your faith in me to even handle it means a great deal to me.

I wish Centennial Public School the best in the future.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sue Van Housen". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Sue Van Housen

Special Education Coordinator

**Secondary Principal's Report
February 10, 2014**

1. **Statewide Writing Assessment (NeSA-W)...**
 - Grade 8 – Jan 30st (90 minute block)
 - Grade 11 – Jan 29th (90 minute block)

2. **FFA – State Degrees & Labor Auction...**

3. **FCCLA – District Star Events...**

4. **P/T Conferences are this week...**

5. **Athletic Teams Gearing Up For Districts and State...**
 - WR – Districts at Centennial this Thurs & Fri
 - GBB – Sub-Districts @ Central City 2/17
 - BBB – Sub-Districts @ Central City 2/24

6. **NASSP National Convention was last Fri & Sat in Dallas...**

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

February 10, 2014

1. The NRCSA Spring Conference will be held on March 20th and 21st in Kearney. I will register everyone for this conference. If you are not planning on attending, please let me know as soon as possible.
2. The Education Forum will be held on February 27th and 28th in Kearney. The Forum will begin with a pre-Conference from 1:00 – 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 27, 2014. The main Conference will start at 8:15 a.m. on Friday, February 28th with a general session keynote speaker Toby Tucker presenting, "Five Simple Things to Increase, Improve and Instill Community Support for Your School". Breakout sessions on topics ranging from "Student Residence for Court-Involved Students" to "Implementing PBiS" will be held throughout the day concluding at 3:00 p.m.
3. NASB is hosting a School Board as Judge and Jury workshop on March 12th in Kearney. This is an evening session beginning at 5:15 p.m. with registration and sandwich supper, meeting at 6:00 p.m. and finishing around 9:00 p.m. Let me know if this interests you.
4. NRCSA will be hosting a Legislative Forum on Wednesday, February 19th at the Cornhusker in Lincoln. This workshop also allows the opportunity to have lunch with Senator Adams. The forum begins at 8:10 a.m. and finishes around 3:45 p.m.
5. I will be attending the AASA National Conference in Nashville. I leave early Tuesday (Feb. 11th) morning and will return on Saturday. The state association pays for my expenses for this conference since I am the past-president of NASA.

**Elementary Principal Report
February 2013**

1. Educational Contests:
 - SumDog

 - Geography Bee

 - State Fair Recognition Ceremony

2. Educational Consultant Visited on Monday, Jan. 27 & Tuesday, Jan. 28

3. Scholastic Book Fair -- PT Conferences

4. Hope Crisis Center -- Mandy VanLaningham

5. Elementary Student Council: Working on next Character Counts Assembly