

AGENDA

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW GLARUS REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 2024

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1701 2ND STREET

NEW GLARUS, WISCONSIN 53574

7:15 PM

- I. **CALL TO ORDER**
 - A. Agenda Published
 - B. Roll Call
 - C. Approval of Agenda and Revisions
- II. **INTRODUCTIONS-PRESENTATIONS**
 - A. Musical
- III. **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**
- IV. **APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**
 - A. Item(s) To Be Removed From Consent Agenda
 - 1. Board Minutes

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW GLARUS
DISCUSSION AND REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING**

Monday, February 26, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Board President, Bill Oemichen. The agenda was posted at the New Glarus Elementary School, New Glarus Middle School, New Glarus High School, Bank of New Glarus, New Glarus Post Office, Lake Ridge Bank – New Glarus Branch, Woodford State Bank – New Glarus Branch, and the District Website.

ROLL CALL

Present: Bill Oemichen, Ron Roesslein, Travis Zimmerman, Cari Ann Muggenburg, Cassie Ballweg, Casey McCoy, and Heather Thornton.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND REVISIONS

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to approve the agenda as presented. Second by Cari Ann Muggenburg. Motion carried 7-0.

INTRODUCTIONS –PRESENTATIONS

High School Art Projects – Visit to the MS/HS Art Room

Board members visited the HS Art room to learn from Ms. Winters-Hanson and student Max about the great work he is doing with his business. Max provided the Board with an opportunity to watch him work on a project and receive a small gift from Max.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

~None

APPROVAL CONSENT AGENDA

ITEM(S) TO BE REMOVED FROM CONSENT AGENDA

1. BOARD MINUTES & CLOSED SESSION MINUTES
2. APPROVAL OF BILLS
3. TREASURER’S REPORT
4. STAFFING REPORT
5. DONATIONS

Motion by Ron Roesslein to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Second by Travis Zimmerman. Motion carried 7-0.

COMMITTEE UPDATES

POLICY, COMMUNICATION & ADVOCACY; Did not meet.

HANDBOOK AND PERSONNEL; Did not meet.

BUDGET: Did not meet.

CURRICULUM, SPORTS & CO-CURRICULAR: Did not meet.

FACILITIES, TRANSPORTATION, AND TECHNOLOGY: Did not meet.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

A. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REDEMPTION OF CERTAIN OF THE GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, DATED MAY 18, 2016

The Board reviewed the Resolution Authorizing the Redemption of Certain of the General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Dated May 18, 2016.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to approve the Resolution Authorizing the Redemption of Certain of the General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Dated May 18, 2016, as presented. Second by Ron Roesslein. Motion carried 7-0.

B. FFA CONFERENCE IN WISCONSIN RAPIDS – MARCH 18-19, 2024

The Board reviewed a request from New Glarus FFA for an overnight trip to a conference in Wisconsin Rapids on March 18-19, 2024.

Motion by Cari Ann Muggenburg to approve the FFA Conference overnight trip to Wisconsin Rapids on March 18-19, 2024, as presented. Second by Heather Thornton. Motion carried 7-0.

C. RESIGNATIONS

The Board reviewed the resignation of Brenda Waldhart-Bright, Elementary School Teacher.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to accept the resignation of Brenda Waldhart-Bright as presented. Second by Ron Roesslein. Motion carried 7-0.

The Board reviewed the resignation of Jamie Schettler, Speech, and Language Therapist at the elementary school.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to accept the resignation of Jamie Schettler, Speech and Language Therapist as presented. Second by Heather Thornton. Motion carried 7-0.

The Board reviewed the resignation of Amy Legler, Middle School Teacher.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to accept the resignation of Amy Legler, middle school teacher as presented. Second by Cari Ann Muggenburg. Motion carried 7-0.

The Board reviewed the resignation of Sandy Rahberger, MS/HS Special Education Assistant.

Motion by Ron Roesslein to accept the resignation of Sandy Rahberger, MS/HS Special Education Assistant as presented. Second by Travis Zimmerman. Motion carried 7-0.

D. NEW HIRES

~None.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. PRIMARY SCHOOL UPDATES

Dr. Thayer provided the Board with an update on the Primary School.

B. ATHLETIC COMPLEX UPDATES

Dr. Thayer provided the Board with an update on the Athletic Complex. Building drawings have been sent to the Village Planning Commission for approval at their March meeting.

C. STATE LEGISLATIVE REDISTRICTING AND IMPLICATIONS FOR RESPRESENTATION OF THE NEW GLARUS SCHOOL DISTRICT

A report was given by Bill Oemichen on the newly passed redistricting legislation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

~None

FUTURE SCHOOL BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

- March 11, 2024 - Discussion and Regular Board Meeting – 7:15 p.m.
- April 8, 2024 – Discussion and Regular Board Meeting – 7:15 p.m.

CLOSED SESSION

The Board will entertain a motion to convene into closed session pursuant to s. 19.85 (1) (c) and/or (f) and/or (f) Wis. Stats., as appropriate to discuss a staff member’s performance evaluation and plan for improvement. The Board may take action in closed session, if necessary and appropriate. Thereafter, the Board will entertain a motion to reconvene into open session. After reconvening into open session, the Board may take further action that is necessary and appropriate. The Board will then entertain a motion to adjourn.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to move into closed session at 8:05 p.m. Second by Ron Roesslein. Motion carried 7-0 with a roll call vote. Bill Oemichen, Aye, Ron Roesslein, Aye, Travis Zimmerman, Aye, Cari Ann Muggenburg, Aye, Cassie Ballweg, Aye, Casey McCoy, Aye, Heather Thornton, Aye.

Motion by Travis Zimmerman to move back into open session at 8:39 p.m. Second by Ron Roesslein.

Motion carried 7-0 with a roll call vote. Bill Oemichen, Aye, Ron Roesslein, Aye, Travis Zimmerman, Aye, Cari Ann Muggenburg, Aye, Cassie Ballweg, Aye, Casey McCoy, Aye, Heather Thornton, Aye.

ADJOURN

Motion by Casey McCoy to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m. Second by Ron Roesslein. Motion carried 7-0.

Respectfully submitted by Cari Ann Muggenburg, Clerk, Kris Anderson, District Executive Assistant

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW GLARUS COMMITTEE AS A WHOLE MEETING

Monday, February 26, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

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ROLL CALL

Present: Bill Oemichen, Ron Roesslein, Travis Zimmerman, Cari Ann Muggenburg, Cassie Ballweg, Casey McCoy, and Heather Thornton.

DISCUSSION ABOUT BOARD SELF-EVALUATION

Board Members and Administration broke out into groups to discuss items from the Board Self-Evaluation that Board members felt they needed more information on.

ADJOURN

Meeting was adjourned at 7:11 p.m. by Board President, Bill Oemichen.

Respectfully submitted by Cari Ann Muggenburg, Clerk, Kris Anderson, District Executive Assistant

CHECK NUMBER	CHECK VENDOR	CHECK DATE	INVOICE NUMBER	INVOICE DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
65949	ARMGA, AUSTIN	02/23/2024	02/23 GBB	ATHL OFFL	109.60
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65950	FASICK, PATRICK	02/23/2024	02/23 GBB	ATHL OFFL	70.00
				Totals for 65950	70.00
65951	FASICK, ROBERT	02/23/2024	02/23 GBB	ATHL OFFL	70.00
				Totals for 65951	70.00
65952	COYLE, CHARLES	02/23/2024	02/24 GBB	ATHL OFFL	84.52
				Totals for 65952	84.52
65953	PURKO, ALISSA	02/23/2024	02/24 GBB	ATHL OFFL	84.52
				Totals for 65953	84.52
65954	WIPPERFURTH, DANIEL	02/23/2024	02/24 GBB	ATHL OFFL	84.52
				Totals for 65954	84.52
65956	LANCASTER SCHOOL DIS	02/29/2024	02/29 GIRL	GBB SECTIONAL SEMI-FINAL	1,850.00
				Totals for 65956	1,850.00
65957	BENDER, AARON	03/01/2024	03/02 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	87.40
				Totals for 65957	87.40
65958	BETHKE, THOMAS	03/01/2024	03/01 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	85.06
				Totals for 65958	85.06
65959	HANSON, MARK	03/01/2024	03/01 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	85.06
				Totals for 65959	85.06
65960	KNUTSON, DAVID	03/01/2024	03/02 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	87.40
				Totals for 65960	87.40
65961	NOVAK, MARK	03/01/2024	03/01 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	85.06
				Totals for 65961	85.06
65962	YAEGGI, BRENT	03/01/2024	03/02 BBB	BBB PLAYOFF GAME	87.40
				Totals for 65962	87.40
65963	AkitaBox Inc	03/06/2024	191920	renewal	1,323.00
				Totals for 65963	1,323.00
65964	ALPINE AUTO ELECTRIC	03/06/2024	36509	bus supplies	289.00
				Totals for 65964	289.00
65965	AUTO VALUE NEW GLARU	03/06/2024	709057201	bus supplies	51.96
				Totals for 65965	51.96
65966	BAKER, FLYNN	03/06/2024	FEB SERVIC	FEBRUARY SERV	44.87
				Totals for 65966	44.87
65967	BRENDAS BLUMENLADEN	03/06/2024	43446	FLORAL ARRANGEMENT	60.00
		03/06/2024	39715	flowers	270.00
		03/06/2024	43445	FLORAL ARRANGEMENT	60.00
				Totals for 65967	390.00

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65968	BUILDERS FIRST SOURC	03/06/2024	70066398	tech ed supplies	218.31
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		03/06/2024	69381057	tech ed supplies	195.50
		03/06/2024	70491794	tech ed supplies	405.05
				Totals for 65968	860.11
65969	CASSIS, MAX	03/06/2024	FEB SERVIC	FEBRUARY SERV	55.80
				Totals for 65969	55.80
65970	CESA 2	03/06/2024	16493	NVCI WORKBOOKS	1,650.00
				Totals for 65970	1,650.00
65971	CULTIVATE BHE	03/06/2024	240245892N	Feb Serv	900.00
				Totals for 65971	900.00
65972	DUERST, NITA	03/06/2024	02/21	MILEAGE	44.22
				Totals for 65972	44.22
65973	H21 GROUP	03/06/2024	235111	ROUTER	42,598.00
				Totals for 65973	42,598.00
65974	INGWELL, FINN	03/06/2024	FEB SERVIC	FEBRUARY SERV	49.00
				Totals for 65974	49.00
65975	MARTY, TAMMY	03/06/2024	02/28	MILEAGE	32.16
				Totals for 65975	32.16
65976	McMAHON ASSOCIATES,	03/06/2024	934061	PROPERTY SURVEY	5,410.79
				Totals for 65976	5,410.79
65977	MONONA PLUMBING AND	03/06/2024	2401160	PLUMBING SERVICES	273.00
				Totals for 65977	273.00
65978	NCS PEARSON INC	03/06/2024	24712375	TESTS	21.33
		03/06/2024	23732840	TESTS	0.90
				Totals for 65978	22.23
65979	PROFESSIONAL PEST CO	03/06/2024	663950	MS/HS MO SERV	93.00
		03/06/2024	663951	GS MO SERV	54.00
				Totals for 65979	147.00
65980	RABEL, NORA	03/06/2024	FEB SERVIC	FEBRUARY SERV	28.73
				Totals for 65980	28.73
65981	RHYME BUSINESS PRODU	03/06/2024	35999450	lease	511.92
				Totals for 65981	511.92
65982	SKYWARD, INC.	03/06/2024	229148	Proposal# 11193 tk - (12) Aruba Access Points	7,872.12
		03/06/2024	229149	See Proposal #11196 tk - Fortinet Renewal	6,999.59
				Totals for 65982	14,871.71
65983	TDS TELECOM	03/06/2024	FEB 2024	FEB SERV	143.12
				Totals for 65983	143.12

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65984	UNITED LABORATORIES	03/06/2024	401554	CUSTODIAL SUPPLIES	380.39
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65985	VIKING HARDWARE - TR	03/06/2024	61856	TECH ED SUPPLIES	100.23
		03/06/2024	61703	TECH ED SUPPLIES	95.47
Totals for 65985					195.70
65986	WE ENERGIES	03/06/2024	MS/HS FEB	MS/HS FEB SERV	3,840.60
		03/06/2024	GS FEB 202	GS FEB SERV	2,527.73
Totals for 65986					6,368.33
65987	W I A A	03/06/2024	02/24 GIRL	GIRLS BB REGIONAL	1,361.60
		03/06/2024	02/23 GIRL	GIRLS BB REGIONAL	649.88
Totals for 65987					2,011.48
65988	WISCONSIN ASSOC OF S	03/06/2024	S114648	CONFERENCE FEE	990.00
		03/06/2024	S114821	CONFERENCE FEE	90.00
Totals for 65988					1,080.00
65989	WISCONSIN HOSA	03/06/2024	703	CONFERENCE FEE	135.00
Totals for 65989					135.00
232400004	KRAEMER BROTHERS, LL	03/04/2024	13711	ATHL/COMM COMPLEX - PAY APP 3	719,281.56
Totals for 232400004					719,281.56
232400005	KRAEMER BROTHERS, LL	03/04/2024	13710	PK2 - PAY APP 3	735,856.60
Totals for 232400005					735,856.60
Totals for checks					1,537,876.22

3. Treasurer's Report
4. Staffing Report

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**STAFFING REPORT
MARCH 11, 2024**

HIRES / CHANGES	Employee Leaving Position	New Employee in Position	hours per day / % of empl	Term of Employment	Position
	Tracy Bristow	Claire McMannes	100%	2024-25 School Year	Early Childhood / Special Ed Teacher

OPEN POSITIONS	Position	Term of Employment	hours per day / % of empl	Reason for opening
Administration	High School Principal	July 1, 2024 - Year Round	100%	Jeff Eichelkraut transfer of Admin Contract
Teacher	Elementary Teacher	2024-25 School Year	100%	Brenda Waldhart Bright retirement
Teacher	Speech / Language Pathologist	2024-25 School Year	100%	Jamie Schettler retirement
Teacher	Middle School Social Studies Teacher	2024-25 School Year	100%	Amy Legler retirement on hold at current time
Teacher	Elementary Teacher	2024-25 School Year	100%	Sally Nealis retirement
Teacher	Special Education Teacher	2024-25 School Year	100%	Carson Bainbridge 1 year contract for 2023-24
Support Staff	Special Education Assistant	2024-25 School Year	7.75 hours/day	Sandy Rahberger retirement

- 5. Donations
- B. Discuss Item(s) Removed From Consent Agenda
- V. **COMMITTEE UPDATES**
 - A. Policy, Communication & Advocacy
 - B. Handbook and Personnel
 - C. Budget
 - D. Curriculum, Sports & Co-Curricular
 - E. Facilities, Transportation & Technology
- VI. **DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS**
 - A. Softball Co-op Renewal

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Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association

Cooperative Team Sponsorship Signatures

By our signatures we agree we have, as a school administration and school board, reviewed and discussed the items indicated on this form. We further confirm that our school district will provide the same level of institutional oversight to this program as to other sports sponsored by our district. In addition, we acknowledge that any monetary funds provided to us by outside sources will be handled according to district policies. Parent support groups, etc., shall not be involved in paying program expenses directly.

Please provide your school name

New Glarus High School

Signature of Board of Education or Governing Body President

Signature of District Administrator

Signature of Conference Commissioner

Softball Co-op Renewal Proposal

Background:

- Monticello and New Glarus began a co-op for the high school program in the Spring of 2021
- Prior to 2021, New Glarus/Monticello struggled with declining participation in the sport, in part due to poor W/L success at varsity level

<u>Year</u>	<u>Monticello W/L</u>	<u>New Glarus W/L</u>
2020	No season (Covid)	No season (Covid)
2019	1-19	0-20
2018	0-12	1-14
2017	3-16	10-13
2016	1-10	5-18

- New Glarus and Monticello were looking at declining participation #'s and were in danger of not being able to provide softball as a sport. With that in mind, the co-op began in 2021.

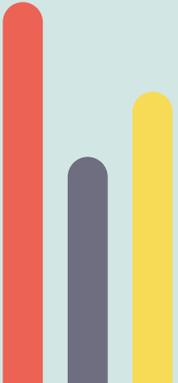
Note:

- Monticello is the host/primary school in the co-op, which means:
 - We play in Monticello's conference (Six Rivers East)
 - Monticello is responsible for hiring coaching staff
 - Monticello is primarily responsible for transportation to/from games
 - Monticello hosts most of the practices/games (this *could* change in the future, to have more practices/games in New Glarus, even with Monticello remaining the host/primary school)

Renewal Request:

- All WIAA co-ops must be renewed (approved by school admin/school board) every 2 years.
- We would like to see a 2-year extension to the co-op for 2024-25 and 2025-26. New Glarus is still not in a position to provide a quality softball program for our students on our own. And our relationship with Monticello in this co-op is in a good place, with our youth programs overlapping in certain camps/leagues in the summers.
- This is supported by the NGBA (New Glarus Youth Baseball/Softball Association) and several families with rising high school students who will play in the co-op in the next two years.

High School Science Biology Curriculum Proposal



Purpose of Pilot Request

- We have not replaced our Biology curriculum in a long time.
- Curriculum has evolved into a lot of teacher made materials combined with older textbooks.
- We have been waiting until a curriculum was highly rated on EdReports
- BSCS Biology curriculum recently was posted as a highly rated curriculum
- We would like to pilot the curriculum this spring to see if it is something that we would like to adopt in 2024-2025.



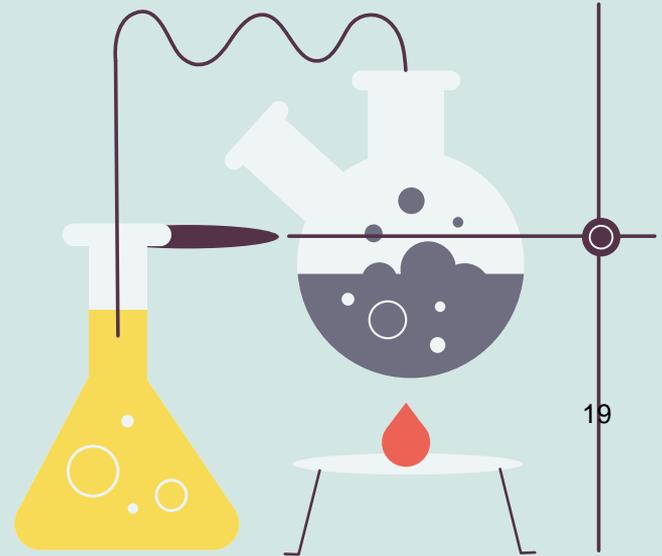
BSCS Biology: Understanding for Life

BSCS Biology: It is designed to prepare students for life in our complex, interconnected world.

The program includes four units, each centered around a 21st century societal challenge that we can no longer ignore, such as antibiotic-resistant infections. Students are challenged to investigate. They “figure out” rather than “learn about” scientific phenomena. This approach is different. It requires a different kind of work. And the unfamiliar can be frustrating, at first—especially for students who have learned to play the game of school by memorizing facts to get an A.

However, as we’ve seen through field testing and initial program adoption in 2020-2021, this approach is powerful. And teachers believe this program is going to change the way students learn and use science throughout their lives.

****Link to curriculum website**



Requirements for Choosing a Curriculum



Explicitly meets standards

Especially in regards to cross-cutting concepts and science and engineering practices (2 strands within the standards)



Embedded assessments

Particularly answering questions #3 & #4 of PLC



Viable and guaranteed curriculum

All students have equal opportunity to the same content, knowledge, and skills in each class regardless of teacher



Based on research

EdReports
“all green”



Scope & Sequence

Well defined scope and sequence including spiraling curriculum in mastery vs. exposure



PD

Professional Development available



Inclusive

All students in one classroom receiving the same instruction

Ed Reports Review



Units of Study

Unit 1- Infectious Diseases

Unit 2- Hereditary-Genetic Disease

- We plan to pilot the genetics unit during Trimester 3

Unit 3- Matter and Energy

Unit 4- Biodiversity and Humans

Process to Pick Curriculum

Use EdReports as a screener for curriculums

Step 1



Pilot a unit during Trimester 3 of 2023-2024

Step 3



Step 2



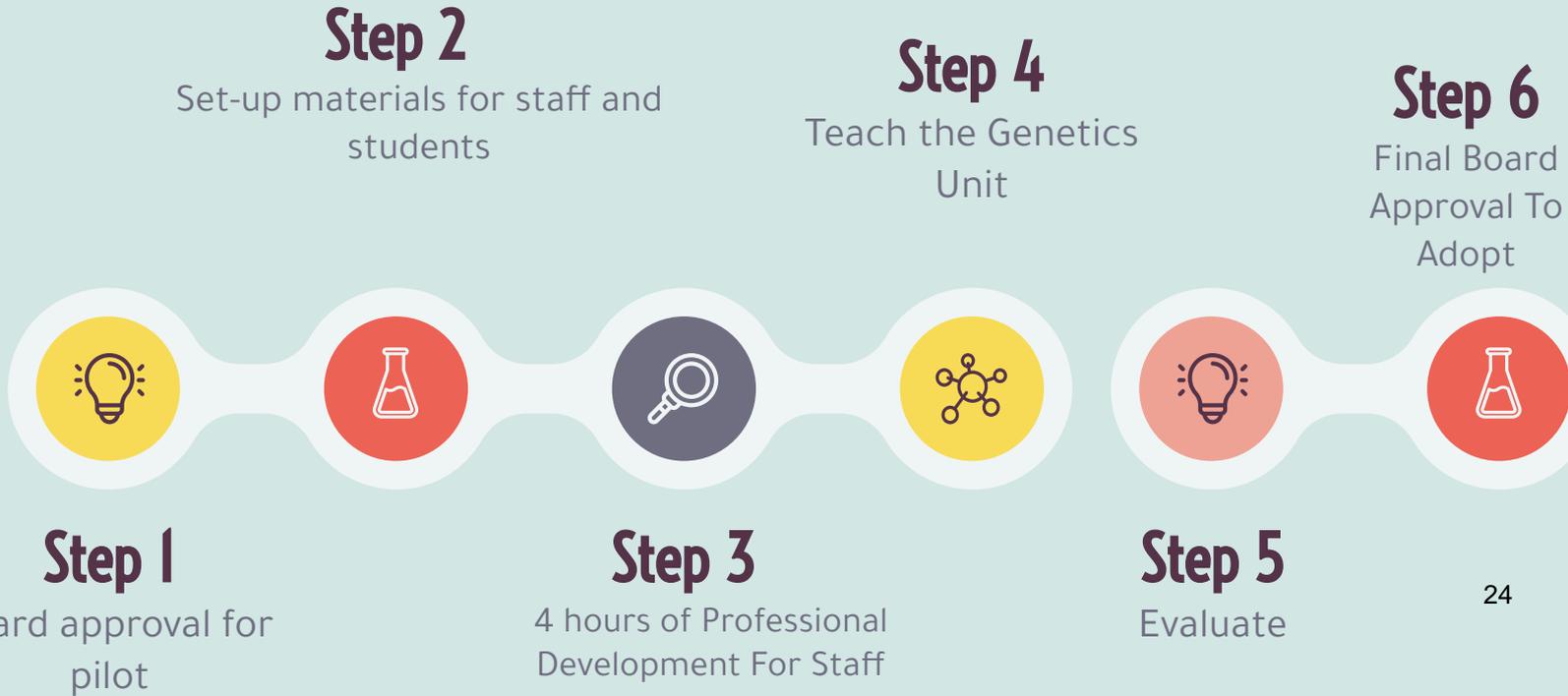
Discuss curriculum with collaborative team.

Step 4



If the pilot goes well, look to adopt in 2024-2025

Next Steps



Questions?





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March 7, 2024

Members of the New Glarus School Board:

Thank you, once again, for allowing us the opportunity to request the approval of the 57th annual (after a few years hiatus ☺) Sixth Grade overnight trip to Wyalusing State Park from May 15 through May 17th. As a part of our sixth grade curriculum, the New Glarus Sixth Grade Staff and Students take time out of the regular school structure to spend three days and two nights in and around Wyalusing State Park. Throughout this journey we are able to work together in ways we cannot if we are at school. This trip allows us to provide several hands-on opportunities focusing on Wisconsin history, outdoor education, and collaboration all while learning about the geography of the area we live in. We are grateful that some NGHS students have agreed to assist us to make this an even better overall Sixth Grade trip.

Our first day will be spent exploring Bethel Horizons near Dodgeville, where participants are offered the chance to hike, rock-climb, learn outdoor adventure games, and get an “up-close and personal” look at native animals. These lessons often include a focus on pond ecology, learning about and identifying native (and invasive) plant varieties, and bird identification. The staff at Bethel has always been accommodating to our students’ needs and make sure all are welcome. A wonderful way to begin our journey, as well as nicely breaking up the ride to Wyalusing!

Every year we also try to provide several different opportunities for our students at Wyalusing. In the past we have included activities like: “Star Splitters”, a group that comes to Wyalusing State Park to give lessons for our students to learn about the night sky; and “Stones, Bones, and Sticks”, a presentation on early Native Americans and how they survived in the area surrounding Wyalusing. We have recently added a “learning how to canoe” lesson (weather permitting), including safety tips for safe travel and an orienteering study with hands-on practice at the park.

We would like to make you aware that we have applied for and received several grants and donations to make our trip affordable for families this year. We are happy to report that we received the following generous contributions: Community Fund Grant for \$400, \$520 from the New Glarus PTO, and \$1000 from the New Glarus Brewing Company. These funds, combined with our 6th grade budgeted field trip monies, allow us to cover the \$40 fee for ALL students! You are certainly welcome to join us at Wyalusing State Park on the evening of May 16th at 6:00 pm for our “Family Night.” We are excited to let you know that we again plan to organize a bus this year for families interested in traveling to Wyalusing for Family Night. Guests and campers enjoy a great meal followed by an evening of entertaining skits. It’s worth the trip!

We appreciate your consideration to allow this tradition to continue,
Sixth Grade Team

Amy Burdette

Amy Legler

Bobby Schmitz

Andy Westby

HOSA State Leadership Conference

April 14 - 16, 2024

The HOSA State Leadership Conference is for all active HOSA members to participate in. We plan to bring four regional competitors who qualified for State in their respective events. A full itinerary for the event will be released on March 15th. The event begins at 12pm on Sunday, April 14th and ends at 12pm on Tuesday, April 16th.

Location: Chula Vista Resort, Wisconsin Dells - 1000 Chula Vista Pkwy, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

Number of students attending: 4

Number of chaperones: 1 (Rychia Bosman - HOSA Advisor)

Cost of Transportation: \$365 roundtrip with school van

Lodging Costs: \$480 total

- 1 chaperone room = \$100 x 2 nights = \$200
- 1 student room (4 students) = \$140 x 2 nights = \$280

SLC Registration Fees: \$75 x 5 people = \$375

Meals are provided as part of the cost of registration for attendees.

Trip costs will be covered by the EIE Grant New Glarus HOSA received this year.

[Link to HOSA SLC website](#)

Safety Patrol Congress Proposal 2024

Dates: Thursday, May 9th and Friday, May 10th

Location: Wisconsin Dells

Number of students: 67 fifth and sixth graders

Adults: 33

Cost per person: \$60.00

Itinerary for Thursday, May 9th:

- Depart from the elementary school building at 8:30 am
- Spend the day at Mt. Olympus (including lunch)
- Dinner
- Return to motel

Itinerary for Friday, May 12th:

- Breakfast
- Upper Dells Jet Boat Adventure*
- Tommy Bartlett Exploratory*
- Lunch
- Wizard Quest*
- Upper Dells Boat Tour*
- Dinner at a fast food restaurant on the way home (paid for by students)
- Return to the elementary school building approximately 7:30 pm

All events and meals are included in the registration cost unless otherwise noted.

*** Not necessarily in this order.**

Chicago-Fifth Grade Field Trip Proposal 2024

Date: Friday, April 19, 2024

Location: Chicago

Number of students: 67 fifth graders

Adults: 14

Cost per person: \$0.00 for field trip but money is needed for dinner on the way home

Itinerary for Thursday, April 6th:

- Depart from the elementary school building at 6:20 am
- Travel by motorcoach and spend the day at the Museum of Science and Industry
- Dinner at the Belvidere Oasis (paid for by students)
- Return to New Glarus about 9:00 pm

Extra Information:

- This trip is funded by the New Glarus Youth Committee, Only in Wisconsin Giving, Inc., New Glarus PTO, and the New Glarus School District (budget money for field trips).
- In the past, we have also included the Willis Tower as part of our day. Unfortunately, the entrance cost has increased a fair amount and therefore isn't within our budget.
- The New Glarus Youth Committee has disbanded. At the end of December, 2022, we were gifted with \$4200 when they disbursed their funds. We used part of the funding last year and were able to save the rest for this year.
- Now that the Youth Committee money will be used up, it is questionable whether this trip will be feasible in the future. We are extremely appreciative that we have been able to offer this opportunity to fifth graders for so many years.

2024 NGHS FCCLA State Leadership Conference Summary

- What?
 - Family, Career and Community Leaders of America Wisconsin State Leadership Conference
 - Students will have the ability to
 - Compete in [STAR](#) (Students Taking Action for Recognition) Events
 - Attend Breakout session on how to make their chapter better, leadership building, FCS Content, and more
 - Vote on Organizational Change (Voting Delegates)
 - Network with other chapter leaders from around the state
 - See Exhibits from Universities and Businesses.
- Who?
 - Chaperone/Teacher
 - Ryan Lehman
 - Students
 - Aliana Smith
 - Kaia Morrison
 - Alivia Lamb
- When
 - April 8-10
 - [Schedule at a Glance](#)
- Where
 - Kalahari Resort - Wisconsin Dells, WI
- Lodging
 - Kalahari Resort - Wisconsin Dells, WI
 - 2 Rooms
 - Chaperone
 - 3 Students
 - All Female Students
- Cost
 - Room Cost
 - \$189/night for two nights
 - Total cost \$756
 - \$378 for Chaperone (Covered through District)
 - \$378 for Students
 - \$126/student
 - \$26/student will come from Fundraised Dollars in the FCCLA Activity account
 - \$100/student cost for lodging
 - Registration
 - Advisor Registration
 - \$90
 - Student Registration

- \$115 (All Students are competing)
 - $\$115 \times 3 = \345
 - Total Cost = \$435
 - Registration Fees covered through Donation
- Total Student Cost
 - \$100

New Glarus School District Library Plan

- **Introduction**
 - Vision and/or mission statement
 - The mission of the New Glarus Elementary and Middle and High School Library Media Centers is to give students the tools to succeed in a world full of information and opportunities. In the library, we strive to help students build their research skills not just for their academic work, but so they can become more engaged and aware global citizens. The library works to support students and teachers in their quest for knowledge while also fostering a love of reading and discovery.
 - Contact information
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- **Library program analysis**
 - [Program Review: Data and Statistics Links](#)
 - [Current Status and Review of Program Worksheet](#)
- **Determined priority areas aligned with school and district priorities**

According to School Board [Policy 2522](#), the major goals of the District's school library media centers are:

- A. To support and enrich the District's standards and benchmarks;
 - B. To provide for personal interests, professional, educational, and recreational reading while promoting an appreciation of good literature;
 - C. To provide a comprehensive and coordinated collection of current resources so that students and staff will conveniently and effectively use a wide variety of materials, including print and non-print media;
 - D. To provide the appropriate technology and equipment for information retrieval, resource sharing, classroom instruction, and student and teacher use;
 - E. To promote and support the appropriate use of technology for interpreting and communicating intellectual content;
 - F. To provide instruction that advances student and staff literacy of print, digital, and other emerging information resources;
 - G. To provide equitable and timely access to resources that support students' personal, academic, and life-long learning;
 - H. To foster a love of reading, curiosity, and investigation by providing a space that is well-maintained, up-to-date, welcoming, and safe for all users.
- **Two to three goals addressing the defined priority areas**
 - [Link to SMART goals](#) and supporting information/plans regarding those goals

- **Budget including Common School Fund spending**
 - A copy of the district's Common School Funding spending, as well as yearly budgets for each building's library budget, can be obtained from the school district's business manager
 - Additional information regarding budgeting and spending can be found in the Status and Review of Program Worksheet linked above

- **District policies and procedures/administrative guidelines connected to library programming**
 - Library Media Center - [Link to Board Policy](#) (Policy 2522)
 - Selection and Reconsideration - [Link to Board Policy](#) (Policy 9130)
 - Pupil Non-discrimination - [Link to Board Policy](#) (Policy 2260)
 - Technology Use - [Link to Student Technology Acceptable Use and Safety Policy](#) (Policy 7540.03)

- **Timeline for implementation, review, and revision of the plan**
 - Board presentations and administrative updates
 - This plan was presented to the School Board during the 2023-2024 School Year
 - Administrative updates are provided regularly by library media staff
 - Revisions made by LMC staff and shared with/approved by the Superintendent when necessary
 - Revisions made to pertinent and relevant school board policies when recommended.
 - The plan will be reviewed and shared with the School Board every five years
 - Annual reports
 - Circulation data, weeding information, a record of acquisitions, and inventory are completed annually by library staff and available upon request from each building's library media specialist.

To the Administration and School Board of the New Glarus School District:

I am writing to let you know of my intent to retire from the district at the end of the 2023-2024 school year. This announcement comes with many emotions. New Glarus School District has been my home away from home for 34 years. I love this school district and the people who work here. I've seen many changes over the years and truly feel like the PLC model that we have adopted is probably the best thing we've ever done. Right up there with that is the change in curricula. I have always been able to say that I am proud to work in this district, especially in the last several years. We have figured out many things that make our schools top notch, and we have our leadership to thank for it. Your support of the staff, eagerness to implement best practices, and ability to see the big picture in education are just a few of the positive things that make this a great place to work. I appreciate that I have had the opportunity to learn and grow both personally and professionally here. This district and the many people in it have shaped me into the person that I am today.

I will truly miss the pride that comes with being able to say that I teach in New Glarus.

With the greatest respect,

Sally Nealis



**New Position Board Approval
03/11/2024**

Name: Claire McMannes
Position: Early Childhood / Special Education Teacher
Percentage of employment: 100%
Term of employment: 2024-25 school year
Placement on Salary Grid: BA, Level 20

- VII. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**
 - A. WASB Legal Conference Update
 - B. Dane County Collaborative Governance Meeting Update
 - C. Primary School Updates
 - D. Athletic Complex Updates
- VIII. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- IX. **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**
- X. **FUTURE SCHOOL BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS**
 - A. April 8, 2024 - Discussion & Regular Board Meeting - 7:15 p.m.
 - B. April 22, 2024 - Reorganizational Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
 - C. April 22, 2024 - Discussion & Regular Board Meeting - 7:15 p.m.
- XI. **CLOSED SESSION:** The Board of Education will entertain a motion to convene in closed session pursuant to s. 19.85 (1) (e), Wis.Stats, as appropriate, to discuss fundraising agreements. The Board will propose recommendations in closed session, thereafter, the Board will entertain a motion to reconvene into open session. The Board may take further action that is necessary and appropriate. The Board will then entertain a motion to adjourn.
- XII. **ADJOURN**

PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A QUORUM OR A MAJORITY OF THE NEW GLARUS SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD MEMBERS MAY ATTEND THIS MEETING. INFORMATION PRESENTED AT THIS MEETING MAY HELP FORM THE RATIONALE BEHIND FUTURE ACTIONS THAT MAY BE TAKEN BY THE NEW GLARUS SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD.

UPON REQUEST TO THE DISTRICT OFFICE, SUBMITTED TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS IN ADVANCE, THE DISTRICT SHALL MAKE REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS INCLUDING THE PROVISION OF INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL IN AN ALTERNATIVE FORMAT FOR A DISABLED PERSON TO BE ABLE TO ATTEND THIS MEETING.