# OFFICAL MINUTES OF THE CALDWELL COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION COMMUNITY BOARD MEETING

Date | time: 3/21/2016 6:00 PM | Location: South Caldwell High School | Called to order by Darrell Pennell, Chairman

#### In Attendance

Caldwell County Board of Education Members: Chairman Darrell Pennell, Vice Chairman Duane Knight, Dottie Darsie, Linda Coffey-Greer, Tim Hawkins, Joe Sims, and Teresa Branch

Caldwell County Schools Administrative Staff: Dr. Steve Stone, Superintendent; Dr. Jeff Church, Associate Superintendent; and David Johnson, Director of Finance

## Community Board Meeting | 6:00 PM | Opening Ceremonies

The public enjoyed a musical selection by Baton Elementary School students and an art presentation by schools in the South District.

Darrell Pennell, Chairman, welcomed the community and thanked Michael Peake, Principal, South Caldwell High School, for hosting the meeting.

Michael Peake, Principal, South Caldwell High School, welcomed the community to South Caldwell High School and thanked the Board, the community, feeder schools, staff members, and students for taking the time to attend the meeting.

Board Member Joe Sims led the Invocation for the Board.

Vice Chairman Duane Knight, introduced students from the South Caldwell's NJROTC program, Granite Falls Middle School Chorus, and Dudley Shoals Elementary School, for the Presentation of Colors, the *National Anthem*, and the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

#### Welcome and Introduction of Central Office Staff

Dr. Steve Stone, Superintendent, welcomed the community and introduced the Central Office Staff.

### **Public Comment**

Darrell Pennell, Chairman, opened the meeting for public comment. There was no public comment.

### Presentation of School Improvement Plan Updates

Board Member Teresa Branch recognized the following elementary school principals who presented their attached School Improvement Plan Updates:

- Baton Elementary School, Principal Jason Teffeteller
- Dudley Shoals Elementary School, Principal Gwyn Roop
- Granite Falls Elementary, Principal Chris Greene
- Rebecca Summer, Assistant Principal, Hudson Elementary School
- Courtney Wright, Principal, Sawmills Elementary School

Board Member Tim Hawkins recognized the following middle school principals who presented their attached School Improvement Plan Updates:

- Granite Falls Middle School, Principal Bill Schreiber
- Hudson Middle School, Principal Julia Knight

Board Member Linda Coffey-Greer recognized the following high school principal who presented his attached School Improvement Plan Report:

South Caldwell High School, Principal Michael Peake

## **Special Presentations**

Board Member Dottie Darsie introduced the following schools for special presentations: Granite Falls Middle School, Sawmills Elementary School, Granite Falls Elementary School, and Hudson Middle School.

## Recognitions

Darrell Pennell, Chairman, applauded everyone for the wonderful musical presentations, the ushers, South Caldwell High School Pro Start students for the wonderful meal they provided the Board, and recognized the Art Gallery presentations by schools in the South District.

## Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Board and upon motion of Tim Hawkins, and seconded by Vice Chairman Duane Knight, and with unanimous approval of the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:22 PM.

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Darrell Pennell, Chairman	Steve Stone Ed.D., Superintendent
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