

**CENTENNIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES
MEETING OF TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2011**

PRESENT:

Committee: Jane Schrader Lynch and Cynthia Mueller

Board Members: Kati Driban and Mark B. Miller

Staff: Dennis Best, Amy Campbell, Jenny Cressman, Mike Devitt, Donna Dunar and Bob Reed

Community: Lynne Lucot, Tracey Rahn, Robert Shaffer

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M by Mrs. Schrader Lynch.

1. Introductions of all in attendance.
2. On a motion by Mrs. Schrader Lynch to approve the minutes from May 23, 2011, seconded by Mrs. Mueller, the minutes were approved in a vote 2-0.
3. After some discussion regarding combining Home and School Associations' By-Laws, Mrs. Mueller made a motion to move this item to Administration. This motion was seconded by Mrs. Schrader Lynch.
4. Dr. Dunar requested that the Committee grant approval to allow elementary teachers of third, fourth and fifth grades to begin implementation of the Everyday Math Program ahead of step, 2011-2012. Following the Everyday Math Training held during May and June, many teachers are enthusiastic about the program and would like to begin without delay. There will be no adverse affects to our students. Roughly half of the third, fourth and fifth grade teachers will be using the Harcourt series during 2011-2012. There was a request for technology to be implemented in every classroom. Dr. Dunar indicated that technology would be there and training provided. On a motion by Mrs. Mueller seconded by Mrs. Lynch, approval was recommended to go to the full Board at the June 28, 2011 meeting.
5. Mr. Reed, Director of Technology, presented a proposal to purchase Skyward Data Warehouse. Mr. Best, Principal at Klinger Middle School and Dr. Devitt, Assistant Principal at WTHS, presented the rationale for this purchase. Currently the Skyward Data Mining System does not facilitate data mining. The principals at elementary and secondary are faced with the pain staking work of importing PSSA scores through Excel to generate information to help serve intervention and placement of students. The Skyward Data Warehouse System would facilitate data mining and make for greater ease and efficiency in terms of serving our students needs. On a motion by Mrs. Mueller, seconded by Mrs. Lynch the committee gave

direction to Administration to move forward to explore options to purchase the Skyward Data Warehouse System for one year.

6. On a motion by Mrs. Schrader Lynch to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mrs. Mueller, the meeting was adjourned in a vote 2-0 at 8:30 p.m.

The next Education Committee meeting is scheduled for September 26, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,

Donna Dunar, Ed. D
Director of Elementary Education