

**SPARTA COMMUNITY UNIT DISTRICT #140**



# BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

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| **Corey Rheinecker**  **President** | **Kevin Holliday**  **Vice President** | **Angela Craig**  **Secretary** | **Howard Gallois**  **Board Treasurer** | **Mekalia**  **Cooper** | **Ron**  **Heinen** | **Jennifer**  **Morgan** |
| **Dr. Gabrielle Schwemmer, Superintendent** | | | | | | |

*The following is a brief summary of the Board of Education meeting held on December 8, 2022.*

**Personnel**

Terry Mezo will be retiring as Spanish Teacher at Sparta High School at the end of the school year.

Brock Barns was approved as a Volunteer Assistant Wrestling Coach at Sparta High School.

Amanda Orella was given a leave-of-absence as Volleyball Coach at Evansville Attendance Center. Faith Argus was approved as the Volleyball Coach at Evansville Attendance Center for the 2022-2023 school year. Howard Gallois was approved as a volunteer assistant coach.

Robert Bohnert was approved as the Head Bowling Coach at Sparta High School. Steve Dierks and Keith Shasteen were approved as volunteer assistant coaches.

**Finance**

The Board of Education approved the resolution stating the aggregate amount of taxes to be levied for the year 2022 is $4,574,631 not including the Bond and Interest Levy of $912,370 and that the aggregate amount of taxes to be levied for the year 2022 does not exceed 105% of the taxes extended in the year 2021.

The Board authorized the letting of a $49,142 lease for the purchase of computer equipment.

The Board approved the bid of $95,568 from Molanda Company for the Evansville Attendance Center playground.

**Miscellaneous**

FFA was approved for an overnight trip to SIUC.

The next regular board meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, January 12, 2023, at Sparta Lincoln School.

**Congratulations**

The November Superintendent Shout-Outs were:

* Riley Robertson, Evansville Attendance Center
* Alexis Tadlock, Sparta Lincoln School
* Alexandria McFadden, Sparta High School

The December Superintendent Shout-Outs were:

* Emma Fernandez, Evansville Attendance Center
* Kyla Howe, Sparta Lincoln School
* Sydney Rheinecker, Sparta High School