



2020-21 Administrative Bulletin

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1. BOARD HAPPENINGS

See **Enclosure #1** to view the Board Happenings for September!

Marilyn Hissong, ext. 1001

2. TEENS AND TECHNOLOGY VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

See **Enclosure #2** to learn more about the virtual technology conference for teens scheduled for September 30th.

Tamyra Kelly, ext. 1050

3. REMINDER: EMPLOYEE FLU SHOT SCHEDULE

See **Enclosure #3** to view the Flu Shot schedule for EACS employees.

Tori Bontrager, ext. 1003

4. REMINDER: CPR/AED TRAINING

Classes are offered free of charge twice a month through the end of the school year. September and October classes will be held in the Heritage area and November classes will be held in the Woodlan area. All classes will start at 4:15 PM, class size is limited and requires pre-registration. If you need this certification for your license renewal, email or call (ext. 7008) Abby Koroncevicius, Health Services Coordinator.

October – November 2020 Class Schedule:

October 13 (Tuesday at HEHS)
October 29 (Thursday at HEHS)
November 5 (Thursday at WOHS)
November 17 (Tuesday at WOHS)

Certification is through the American Heart Association and lasts for two years. Any employee interested in or needing certification renewal may also participate in this training.

Abby Koroncevicius, ext. 7008

- ✓ Wash your Hands,
- ✓ Wear a Mask,
- ✓ Watch your Distance!

DREAM IT. DO IT.

BOARD HAPPENINGS

September 1 and 15, 2020

SEPTEMBER 1st

- Board President [Tim Hines](#) paid tribute to and asked for a moment of silence for [Dr. Daryl Yost](#), former East Allen County Schools administrator and Superintendent, who recently passed away very unexpectedly. [Dr. Yost](#) came at East Allen County Schools in 1958 serving as our Director of Personnel. After 3 years, he became our Superintendent and served the district well in that position for 9 years. We extend our heartfelt sympathies to his wife, former EACS Superintendent [Dr. Kay Novotny-Yost](#), and their families.
- The following items were approved by the Board: Renewal of MOU with Associated Builders and Contractors of Indiana/Kentucky; Revised AG 4121 - Substitute Personnel and Review/Adoption of AG 4122 – Teacher Appreciation Grant; MOUs between JAG-Indiana and [Heritage Jr./Sr. High School](#) and [New Haven Jr./Sr. High School](#); Award of 2020 Bus Bid; and Summer 2020 Masonry Project Closeout. The Board also reviewed: the Student Discipline Report; and AG 5113 – School Attendance, and AG 6122 – Evaluation of Student Progress.

SEPTEMBER 15th

- A public hearing was held for the proposed 2021 Budget, Bus Replacement Plan and Capital Projects Plan as well as Additional Appropriations for Rainy Day Fund.
- [Keith Madsen](#), Director of Technology, updated the board as to what has been happening in our classrooms, accomplishments, grants awarded, and Department employees.
- The following items were approved by the Board: Indiana Literacy Early Intervention Grant; Alternative Education Grant; MOU with Heartland Sings; Contract with Behavior Consultant Linda Okleshen; Resolution – Rainy Day Fund Additional Appropriations; School Improvement Plans (Summaries); Contract with Verizon Wireless on Behalf of East Allen, Northwest Allen, and Southwest Allen County Schools for Purchase and Service of MiFis for Home Internet Access; and Summer 2020 Flooring Project Closeout. The Board also reviewed the iPad Lost/Stolen/Damage Report.

PERSONNEL

~ Welcome New Hires ~

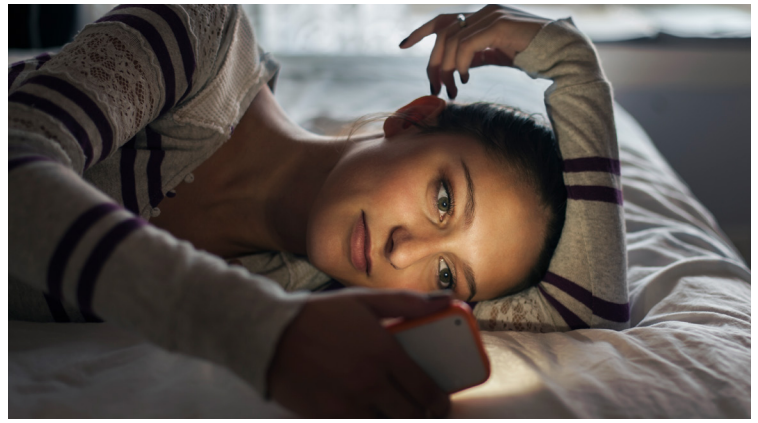
- Carolyn Carpenter, teacher, NHHS
- Lesli Johnson, secretary, HEHS
- Shelby Johnston-Werling, teacher, HEHS
- Lyndsey Lockridge, secretary, WOEL
- Caira Martin, teacher, LEEL
- Hay Tha Moo, paraprofessional, SOEL
- Grace Rowland, food service, WOEL
- Lindsay Schott, food service, CEEL
- Lauren Thomas, paraprofessional, NHPS
- Cary Wortman, custodian, LEHS

~ Resignations ~

- Brett Cramer, teacher, HEHS
- Dawn Hamrick, paraprofessional, NHPS
- Shane Kerr, custodian, NHHS
- Danielle Monroe, teacher, WOEL
- Augustine Pugh, Assistant Principal, NHIS
- Madison Rochford, paraprofessional, SOEL
- Sherry Smith, paraprofessional, NHPS-ECP
- Vickie Turner, bus driver

TEENS & TECHNOLOGY

Virtual Conference



Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2020 | 6 – 8 p.m.

Click here to register.

This virtual event is open to the community and will focus on educating teens, parents, professionals, educators and others who work with youth about healthy technology habits, how to be safe and smart, and the impacts of COVID on children. *Teens are encouraged to attend.

Agenda

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| 6 – 6:05 p.m. | Welcome Curtis Smith, Corporate Director of Community Engagement, Parkview Health | 7 – 7:20 p.m. | Prevention and Treatment for Adolescents and Substance Use Carolyn Greer, MD, MS, FACOG, FASAM, Bowen Recovery Center |
| 6:05 – 6:25 p.m. | Focusing on Healthy Digital Habits in Families and Children Brandon McDaniel, PhD Parkview Research Center | 7:20 – 7:40 p.m. | Beyond the Disease: How the COVID Pandemic has Impacted Our Children's Health and Development Tony GiaQuinta, MD PPG – Pediatrics |
| 6:25 – 6:45 p.m. | How Predators Use Technology to Groom Children Cathie Bledsoe, Youth Educator for Indiana's Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force | 7:40 – 8 p.m. | Mental Health Panel – Q&A |
| 6:45 – 7 p.m. | Tech Panel – Q&A | 8 p.m. | Closing Remarks Curtis Smith |

Contact Lauren Reining at 260-266-7771 with questions.

EACS EMPLOYEE FLU SHOTS

All EACS staff may attend any of the following events to get their yearly flu shot:

Cedarville: October 7th, 7:30 am – 8:45 am

Heritage: October 12th, 6:45 am – 8:15 am

Transportation: October 12th, 9:00 am – 11:00 am

Paul Harding/EAU: October 12th, 3:30 pm – 4:45 pm

Leo Jr./Sr. High: October 13th, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

New Haven High: October 13th, 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm

New Haven Primary: October 19th, 7:30 am – 9:00 am

Woodlan: October 19th, 2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

New Haven Intermediate: October 20th, 7:45 am – 8:45 am

Please note: only employees of EACS can attend these events (no children will be allowed), you must wear a mask, and you must maintain social distancing at all times.