

BLEVINS SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
OCTOBER 23, 2008

The Special Blevins School board meeting was held October 23, 2008 at the Blevins School District Office in Blevins, AR.

Meeting was called to order at 6:04 p.m. by President Joan Noesser. Pray was said by Danny Lauterbach and the pledge was said by all.

Board members present were: Joan Noesser, Danny Lauterbach, Richard Snell, Jimmy Rhodes. Tim Estes arrived at 6:32 p.m.

Others in attendance were: Randy Treat, Pat Loe, Shirley Treat, Mr. Moritt, Court Reporter, Mr. Paul Bloom, Mrs. Sharon Street and parents, students and friends of students involved.

Joan Noesser read statement about student's having or taking pills on the Emmet Campus.

Parents were told they could combine hearings or have open or closed. They chose to have separated hearings and have each closed.

Pat Loe read the current drug policy from the student handbook. Pat Loe contacted by sheriffs office and advised of drugs on campus. Mrs. Loe started investigation.

9th grader 152 – Mr. Bloom explained the process to student and family. Mrs. Street asked Pat Loe for the story of incident. Student brought pills and sold to another student for \$5.00. Mr. Treat recommended expelling according to drug policy. Mr. Moritt, 9th grader 152 Attorney questioned Mrs. Loe. Mr. Bloom, School Board Attorney asked board if they had any questions. Mr. Moritt questioned Mrs. May. Mrs. Street addressed the board.

Board went into executive session at 6:49 p.m. and came out at 7:14 p.m. Tim Estes made motion to send 9th grader 152 to ALE for the remainder of the school year. Danny Lauterbach seconded. Motion passed with a vote of 6 to 0.

10th grader 344- Mr. Bloom explained to father the process. Mrs. Street asked Pat Loe for the story of incident. Student bought pill from another student for \$5.00 and took it. Mr. Treat recommended expelling according to drug policy. Mr. Wicker addressed the board. Mrs. Street addressed the board.

Board went into executive session at 7:25 p.m. and came out at 7:31 p.m. Tim Estes made motion to send 10th grader 344 to ALE for the remainder of the semester. Richard Snell seconded. Motions passed with a vote of 6 to 0.

4th grader 916 - Mr. Bloom explained to the process. Mrs. Street asked Pat Loe for the story of incident. Student bought pills to school. Mr. Treat recommended expelling according to drug policy. Mr. Bloom questions parents and board as to any questions. None were voiced. Mrs. Street addressed the board.

Board went into executive session at 7:48 p.m. and came out at 7:56 p.m. Danny Lauterbach made motion to send student to Saturday school at Emmet for the rest of the semester. Carl McGill seconded. Motions passed with a vote of 6 to 0.

4th grader 891 - Mr. Bloom explained to the process. Mrs. Street asked Pat Loe for the story of incident. Mr. Treat recommended expelling according to drug policy. Mr. Bloom questions parents and board as to any questions. None were voiced. Mrs. Street addressed the board.

Board went into executive session at 8:28 p.m. and came out at 8:30 p.m. Danny Lauterbach made motion to send student to Saturday school at Emmet for the rest of the semester. Tim Estes seconded. Motion passed with a vote of 6 to 0.

4th grader 229 – (Joan excused because of kin to mother) Mr. Bloom explained to the process. Mrs. Street asked Pat Loe for the story of incident. Mr. Treat recommended expelling according to drug policy. Parents question Pat Loe. Mrs. Street makes statement. Parents make statement. Discussion held with student.

Board went into executive session at 8:44 p.m. and came out at 8:49 p.m. Danny Lauterbach made motion to send student to Saturday school at Emmet for the rest of the semester. Carl McGill seconded. Motions passed with a vote of 5 to 0.

Richard Snell made motion to adjourn at 8:53 p.m., Tim Estes seconded. Motion passed with a vote of 6 to 0.