



GALENA UNIFIED SCHOOLS DISTRICT #499

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GALENA USD #499 BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MONDAY, September 12, 2022 - 6:30 PM

Building Reports

Building administrators provided information regarding the first four weeks of school and initial enrollment numbers. The board was provided information regarding upcoming Homecoming events. Some of the homecoming activities include...

- Football Homecoming is Friday, September 23rd.
- GHS will again have a homecoming parade down Main Street. Start time is 1:15. Each grade level will be making floats that will be in the parade.
- There will be district wide activities during that week to foster school spirit and support the bulldogs.
- The alumni tent will be set up at the football game.
- The Galena Education Foundation will be hosting a golf scramble on Saturday, September 24. If you are interested in playing in the tournament or in sponsoring the event, please contact the district office at 783-4499.

Mr. VanCleave also reminded the BOE that a Kansas Supreme Court Justice will be visiting our campus on October 3. Government students of Galena, as well as Riverton and Baxter Springs, will have the opportunity to attend.

Revenue Neutral Rate and Budget Hearings

The Revenue Neutral Rate (RNR) and Budget Hearings were held prior to the regular meeting. The board approved the RNR Resolution during the RNR hearing. The budget for the 2022-2023 school year, based on the needs assessment recently approved by the board and student learning data reviewed during the October, December and February meetings, was approved during the regular session of the board. The needs assessment can be found on the district website at usd499.org

District Operations

With regard to District Operations:

- The board approved district participation in the Federal Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program Grant
- The board was provided an update regarding health protocols for the 2022-2023 school year.
- The board approved revisions to Policy KG and IHF.

Upcoming Meetings

The next regular scheduled Board of Education meeting is Monday, October 10, 2022 at 6:30 P.M.