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Investigation of Potential Threat to Students at Dexter

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Dexter, Missouri - Many people were talking about a potential threat to our children attending Dexter public schools today. Amy James has issued a SchoolReach text alert and sent the ShowMe Times information to share with the public. Thank you for all your concerns today! Safety of our students is a priority!

"As many of you know accusations of threats towards our school circulated on social media over the weekend."

"Please be aware, an investigation has been conducted by our high school administration, the juvenile authorities, and the Dexter Police Department. There is currently no threat to our students or staff at this time. School is being conducted as normal. The safety of our students and staff is our utmost priority."

Thank you,
Amy James
Director of Special Services
Director of Federal Programs
District Compliance Officer
Dexter R-XI School District

If you see a school or student threat on Social Media please contact your local police department. Save the image so the police may track it down.

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Dexter RXI School Board Meeting Minutes from November 15, 2016

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Dexter RXI School Board Meeting Minutes from November 15, 2016

Dexter, Missouri - Amy James, Director of Special Services, Director of Federal Programs, District Compliance Officer submitted the Regular Board Meeting Minutes from the board meeting held on Tuesday, November 15, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

Call to Order/Roll Call/Pledge: The Board President announced the meeting is to begin, ascertains the attendance status of all board members with all members being present, and leads in the saying of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Consent Agenda: The Consent Agenda was approved.

Public Comments: CTA presented updates of school happenings across the campus.

Old Business:

A. No old business was discussed.

New Business:

A. The board rescinded MSBA Policy GB-R1-previously policy GCE-R.

B. The board approved 12 semester graduates, pending completion of graduation requirements.

The board approved the bleacher inspection from Heartland Seating Inc. for \$1400.

The board approved the renewal of the umbrella liability insurance coverage from MUSIC for \$8404.

8. Discussion Items:

Dr. Williams discussed the district's Annual Performance Report (APR).

The nurse's report was submitted by high school nurse Linda Milam and reviewed.

Administrator's from all buildings were present to give a report on the happenings in their building.

The next scheduled board meeting was set for December 15, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

In Closed Session:

The board approved the following additions to the Substitute Teacher List: Joshua Link, Jennifer Slavings, Jansen Williams, Billie Stratton-Nurse.

The board accepted a resignation letter from Bus Driver, Regina Dowdy.

The board accepted a resignation letter from Southwest Paraprofessional, Tracy Botsch.

The board accepted a retirement letter from High School Counselor, Jennifer Miller.

The board accepted a retirement letter from High School Counselor, Judy Patterson.

The board accepted a retirement letter from High School Math Teacher, Linda Hill.

The board accepted a retirement letter from High School Assistant Principal and Athletic Director, Derek Urhahn.

The board employed Bus Driver, Brad Hann.

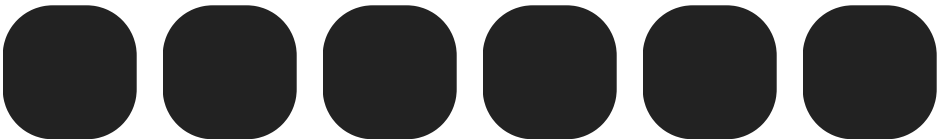
The board discussed the completion of an advanced degree and approved a pay increase for the payroll/insurance clerk. This increase is due to obtaining a Masters in Business Administration.

The board voted to approve salary indexes equivalent to their positions for the remainder of their 2016-2017 contract for; Gavin Miller, Nancy Langley, and Amy James.

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DHS Students Earn All-District Jazz Band Honors

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Dexter, Missouri - The Southeast Missouri District 11 High School All-District Jazz Band auditions were held on Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at Jackson High School.

The Dexter high school Jazz Cats are under the direction of Scott Rybolt.

2016 All-District Jazz Band:

Zarah Olsen - Alternate Alto Sax

Shelby Smith - Tenor 2 Sax

Gracie Bess - Alternate Tenor Sax

Layla Brown - Trumpet 3

Olivia Collins - Trombone 3

Dason Milam - Bass Trombone

Alex Fitzpatrick - Alternate Trombone

Sean Rybolt - Alternate Bass Guitar

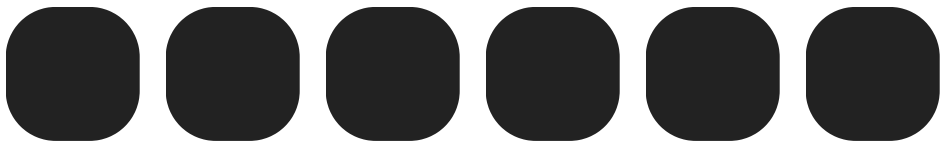
Matt Chester - Drum Set

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The Dexter high school band is under the direction of Scott Rybolt.

The students will perform on Saturday, November 19, 2016 at a concert in Cape Girardeau. They will spend the day learning new songs and working with clinicians.

2016 High School Concert Band All-District:

Sarah Smith - 9th Flute

Abby Mangum - 2nd Oboe

Jillian Avery - 4th Bassoon

Audrey Lutmer - Alternate Bassoon

Victoria Merritt - 14th Clarinet

Amber Scott - Alternate Clarinet

Johnna Hinklin - 4th Bass Clarinet

Emily Johns - 1st French Horn

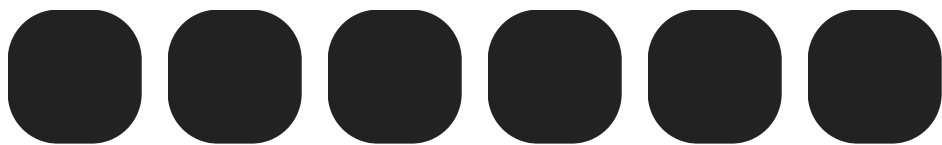
Sean Rybolt - Alternate Percussion Option 2

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DHS Choral Dept Presents the Wizard of Oz

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Dexter, Missouri - The Dexter Choral Department proudly presents, "The Wizard of Oz" beginning Thursday, November 17, 2016.

Performance dates are Thursday, November 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the Dexter High School auditorium; Friday, November 18th at 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, November 19th at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Prices are \$5.00 for adults, \$3.00 for students and children 4 years of age and younger are free.

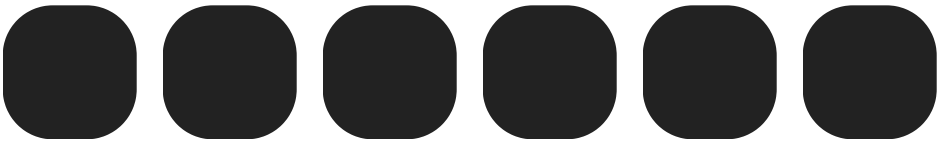
Special pricing for Saturday afternoon is \$3.00 for adults, \$1.00 for students and children 4 years and younger are free.

They would love for you to come and see the show! These awesome group of kids have worked very hard on this production. Come out and watch the magic of this classical performance come to life!

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