

Bremen City Schools
Board of Education
Board Retreat
June 2, 3, 2011

The Bremen Board of Education met for a Board Retreat at Winn's Lake Lodge in Rockmart, Georgia on Thursday, June 2, 2011 and Friday, June 3, 2011. After the pledge and invocation by Chairman Daryl Sellers, the meeting was turned over to Superintendent David Hicks.

The board reviewed the agenda and voted 5-0 to approve the agenda with amendments. (Motion: Mr. Rob Walker, Second: Mr. Vann Pelt). Chairman Daryl Sellers and Superintendent David Hicks welcomed the board and administrators and reviewed the purpose of the meeting.

The following gave presentations on the 2010-2011 highlights and 2011-2012 areas of focus for their school or department followed by a question and answer session:

- Dr. David Hicks - Superintendent
- Mr. Bill Garrett - Jones Elementary School
- Mrs. Christa Smith - Bremen Academy/Bremen Middle School
- Mr. Duane McManus - Bremen High School
- Mrs. Janis Parrish – Curriculum and Instruction
- Ms. Anne Chaffin – Special Education
- Mr. Brian Wheeler – Technology
- Mr. Russell Cooper – Facilities/Maintenance

During the afternoon session, Superintendent Hicks and Mrs. Celia Edwards led a FY12 budget review and discussion. The board then voted 5-0 to approve the tentative FY12 budget (Motion: Mr. Rob Walker, Second: Mr. Vann Pelt). The board also approved to enter into a lease agreement with Dell Computers to replace and update school and system technology (Motion: Mr. Vann Pelt, Second: Mr. Rob Walker, vote 5-0).

The June 3rd morning session consisted of a training session on FTE and budgeting with consultant Doug Eza.

The meeting was adjourned.

David Hicks, Superintendent

Daryl Sellers, Chairman