November 2011 Board Meeting Monday, November 7, 7:00 pm

*Location Change—Ashe County High School Auditorium



1. Call to Order

- 1.01 Roll Call
- 1.02 Pledge of Allegiance
- 1.03 Approval of agenda

2. Public Comments

2.01 The Board will hear public comments.

3. Awards / Recognitions

- 3.01 Recognition of November *Employee of the Month*—Ruth Turnmire, literacy specialist at Mountain View
- 3.02 Recognition of undefeated Ashe County Middle football team and coaches—2011

4. Action Items

- 4.01 Approval—Board Meeting Minutes for October 3, 2011 and October 20, 2011
- 4.02 Approval—Personnel recommendations
- 4.03 Approval—Request from Greg and Martha Rutledge to allow their children to continue school in Watauga County effective 2011/12
- 4.04 Approval—Request from Ashe County High FFA for an overnight trip to Salisbury on November 16, 2011, for dairy judging event—Daniel Calhoun
- 4.05 Approval—Request from Ashe County Middle for an overnight trip to Washington, D.C., April 23-26, 2012
- 4.06 Approval—Student requests for early graduation for school year 2011/12—Jason Krider and counselors
- 4.07 Approval—Revised Ashe County Middle 2011/12 Winter Sports Coaching Assignments

5. Reports / Discussion Items / Considerations / Updates

- 5.01 Discussion of Sports Hall of Fame—Doug Spell
- 5.02 Tech Talk—Blue Ridge sixth grade students using iPads—Mrs. Martha Turner, teacher

6. Announcements / Information

- 6.01 ASCD Common Core Summit—Greensboro, ACS presenting Implementation Plan on November 8, 2011
- 6.02 Common Core/Essential Standards Training—November 10, 2011—Early Dismissal for students
- 6.03 Veterans Day Celebrations
 - Ashe County Middle—November 8, 2011—2:00 pm/Gymnasium
 - Ashe County High—November 9, 2011—2:00 pm/Gymnasium
 - Blue Ridge—November 9, 2011—1:30 pm
 - Mountain View-November 10, 2011-8:30 am
- 6.04 The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Monday, December 5, 2011, 7:00 pm, at the central office annex.
- 6.05 American Education Week—November 13-19, 2011
 - Blue Ridge—November 14, 3:00 pm
 - Ashe County Middle—November 15, 3:15 pm
 - Westwood-November 16, 3:00 pm
 - Ashe County High—November 16, 3:30 pm
 - Mountain View—November 17, 3:00 pm
- 6.06 Ashe County Middle Prime Rib Dinner—November 19, 2011—6:00 pm/Gymnasium

7. Closed Session

- 7.01 Closed session for the purpose of considering a personnel action that involves an officer or employee of this Board [N.C. General Statute §143.318.11(a)(6)] and real estate [N.C. General Statute §143.318.11(a)(5)]
- 8. Open Session
 - 8.01 Action if warranted
- 9. Adjournment
 - 9.01 Motion to adjourn