

Banks school board goes to work with all director positions full

A fresh, positive atmosphere pervaded the Banks school board meetings August 10, when a full five-member board of directors, for the first time in several months, allowed the board to begin plans for the upcoming school year. Board chairman Will Moore and vice-chairman Kathy Edison fielded a variety of procedural questions from new board mem-

bers. Moore led workshop discussion concerning goals for the district, facility planning, and improving communication and transparency. The board agreed that developing a good understanding of the current state of the district was critical to decision making.

Interim Superintendent Jim Foster's administrative team is at work. Business Manager Si-

mon Levear, Director of Student Services Shelley Mitchell, Director of Technology and Assessment Gary Hartman, Elementary Principal Bob Huston, Junior High Principal and Curriculum Director Mark Everett continue in their positions. For the 2009-2010 school year Jim Smith will be high school principal and Wymon Smith will be athletic director. The position of

high school vice-principal is not funded.

Last month the board joined public boards across the state

by approving required "house-keeping" authorizations, designations and approvals. Edison

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Class of 1969 schedules reunion

The Banks High School, class of 1969, will hold its 40 year reunion on, Saturday, October 3 at McMenamin's Grand Lodge in Forest Grove, starting at 5:00 p.m. There will be a no host bar and dinner, as well as other activities.

For further details and to

RSVP please send inquiries to BHS Class of '69, 328 SE Walnut Street, Hillsboro, OR 97123, or e-mail to bhs class of69@gmail.com.

More information is available on Classmates.com, or call Melvin Lardy, 503-324-8127, or Dave Rabon at 503-844-9828.

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