

Family Fiesta Night April 21, 2009

Family Fiesta Night will take place Tuesday, April 21 from 7:00-8:30 PM at the elementary school. This event will focus on the Spanish language and culture and include music, dance, art, and foods and is a wonderful extension to student's weekly Spanish classes. The evening will be divided into 20 minute blocks of time. Families will have time to visit 4-5 stations during the night. An announcement will be made using the intercom when it is time to change to a new station.

Activity & Location	Activity Information
Marcos y Sabor Mariachi Band Session 1- Last names starting with A-M Session 3- Last names starting with N-Z Gymnasium	This is a Mariachi band from Omaha. The leader, Marcos Mora is the director of the South Omaha Arts Institute. You will love the sound and style that this band brings.
Piñata and Colored dots All sessions Playground-by the basketball hoops	It's piñata time! You will get a chance to swing and hit the piñata and get <i>dulces</i> . You will also get a chance to win a prize with the "Colored Dot Prize Walk."
Maraca Making All sessions Art Room	You will be making your own maracas that you get to decorate and shake to the music.
Soccer All sessions Playground	GOOOOOOOOOOOAL! Get a chance to shout this outside playing <i>fútbol</i> with your friends.
Food Samples and Story Time Sessions 1, 2 and 3 Cafeteria	Give your taste buds a new experience. Try a sample of hot peppers, Tres Leches cake, Mole sauce, or Tomales. You will also hear a fun story in Spanish.
Latin Dancing All sessions West 2 nd floor hallway	Learn a classic Spanish dance. Make your <i>pies (feet)</i> move to that Latin music.
Games on the Laptops All sessions Room 133	Check out the Spanish website for our school and all of the fun online games you can play with it.
Group games and Nachos All sessions Room 104	Play your favorite games like trashball, Simon dice, flyswatter, and Bingo, while showing off your Spanish language skills! Make sure to grab some nachos and cheese while you're there.
Label Body Parts All sessions Room 205	Pick someone in your family to label all of their body parts in Spanish. Grab your camera because they will look pretty silly.

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**SAUNDERS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 001, NEBRASKA
(ASHLAND-GREENWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS)
SERIES 2009 NEW MONEY ISSUE**

**Non-Rated, 20-yr maturity
(Fill solution, 14.33 cents or less, 2% AV growth, wrap prior)
[Preliminary - For Discussion Only]**

Period Ending	Principal	Interest	Debt Service	Other Debt Service	Net Levy	Assessed Valuation	Mill Levy
12/01/2009		147,749.22	147,749.22	261,182.50	408,931.72	433,697,842.26	0.942895
12/01/2010		320,420.00	320,420.00	294,085.00	614,505.00	442,371,799.11	1.389114
12/01/2011		320,420.00	320,420.00	294,845.00	615,265.00	451,219,235.09	1.363561
12/01/2012		320,420.00	320,420.00	294,720.00	615,140.00	460,243,619.79	1.336553
12/01/2013		320,420.00	320,420.00	293,930.00	614,350.00	469,448,492.19	1.308663
12/01/2014		320,420.00	320,420.00	292,320.00	612,740.00	478,837,462.03	1.279641
12/01/2015	265,000.00	320,420.00	585,420.00		585,420.00	488,414,211.27	1.198614
12/01/2016	285,000.00	312,470.00	597,470.00		597,470.00	498,182,495.50	1.199299
12/01/2017	305,000.00	303,207.50	608,207.50		608,207.50	508,146,145.41	1.196915
12/01/2018	330,000.00	292,532.50	622,532.50		622,532.50	518,309,068.32	1.201084
12/01/2019	355,000.00	280,322.50	635,322.50		635,322.50	528,675,249.69	1.201725
12/01/2020	380,000.00	266,300.00	646,300.00		646,300.00	539,248,754.68	1.198519
12/01/2021	410,000.00	250,530.00	660,530.00		660,530.00	550,033,729.77	1.200890
12/01/2022	440,000.00	232,900.00	672,900.00		672,900.00	561,034,404.37	1.199392
12/01/2023	475,000.00	213,320.00	688,320.00		688,320.00	572,255,092.46	1.202820
12/01/2024	510,000.00	191,707.50	701,707.50		701,707.50	583,700,194.31	1.202171
12/01/2025	550,000.00	167,737.50	717,737.50		717,737.50	595,374,198.20	1.205523
12/01/2026	590,000.00	138,862.50	728,862.50		728,862.50	607,281,682.16	1.200205
12/01/2027	635,000.00	107,887.50	742,887.50		742,887.50	619,427,315.80	1.199313
12/01/2028	685,000.00	74,550.00	759,550.00		759,550.00	631,815,862.12	1.202170
12/01/2029	735,000.00	38,587.50	773,587.50		773,587.50	644,452,179.36	1.200380
	6,950,000.00	4,941,184.22	11,891,184.22	1,731,082.50	13,622,266.72		

**EXTRACT FROM MINUTES OF MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF SAUNDERS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 0001
(aka Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools)**

A meeting of the Board of Education of Saunders County School District 0001 (also known as Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools), was convened in open and public session at 7:30 p.m. on April 13, 2009, in the High School Library of the Ashland-Greenwood High School, in Ashland, Nebraska. Present were: President Kevin Garner, and members _____

Absent: _____

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof, a copy of the proof of publication or certificate of posting being attached to these minutes, which notice advised of the availability of the agenda for the meeting. Notice of the meeting was given in advance to all Members of the Board of Education and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to these minutes. The President publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy in the room where the meeting was being held. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

The President stated it was necessary for the Board to consider the calling of a bond election. After discussion, Board Member _____ introduced and moved the adoption of the following resolution:

RESOLUTION

“BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Saunders County School District 0001 (aka Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools) as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Education finds and determines that the School District is fully organized and has been so organized for more than one year prior to the passage of this Resolution as a Class III School District under Chapter 79, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, as amended, maintaining both elementary and high school grades under the direction of a single Board of Education, the School District embracing territory having a population of more than 1,000 and less than 150,000 inhabitants.

Section 2. The Board of Education hereby finds and determines that it is necessary that funds be provided for the purpose of constructing site improvements, additions and renovations to the existing Ashland-Greenwood Middle/High School and the Ashland-Greenwood Elementary School, and providing the necessary furniture, equipment and apparatus for such facilities; and for such purposes it will be necessary to issue bonds in the total principal amount of not to exceed \$6,950,000; and that a proposition for the issuance of bonds for such purpose has not been submitted to the electors of this School District within six months preceding the date of the election called by this resolution.

Section 3. That a special election is hereby called and shall be held in the School District on Tuesday, June 9, 2009, and at such special election there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this School District the following proposition:

“Shall Saunders County School District 0001 (aka Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools), in the State of Nebraska, issue the bonds of said School District in the principal amount of not to exceed Six Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$6,950,000) for the purpose of constructing site improvements, additions and renovations to the existing Ashland-Greenwood Middle/High School and the Ashland-Greenwood Elementary School, and providing the necessary furniture, equipment and apparatus for such facilities; said bonds to be issued at such time or times as may be determined by the Board of Education, to bear interest at such rate or rates as may be determined by the Board of Education and to become due at such time or times as may be fixed by the Board of Education; and

“Shall the School District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in the School District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the interest on and principal of said bonds as the same become due?”

The ballots to be voted upon and cast at said election shall have printed thereon the foregoing proposition, followed by the words: “FOR said bonds and tax” and “AGAINST said bonds and tax” following each of said proposition.

Section 4. Notice of said election shall be given to the qualified electors of said School District for at least twenty days prior to such election and a copy of the sample ballot shall be published one time not more than ten days nor less than three days prior to

the election, such notice and sample ballot to be published in the *Ashland Gazette*, a newspaper of general circulation in said School District, and the Secretary of the School District be and hereby is directed to cause such notice and sample ballot to be published.

Section 5. The Secretary of the School District be and hereby is authorized and directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Saunders County Election Commissioner, who shall designate the polling places, appoint the election officials and otherwise conduct the election as provided by law. The School District does hereby agree to reimburse said Election Commissioner for the expenses of conducting the election. Ballots for voting by electors of the School District in counties other than Saunders County (if any) shall be certified across county lines and shall be voted, counted and canvassed as provided by law.

Section 6. The form of ballot and form of notice of said bond election shall be substantially in the form submitted to this meeting, a copy of which forms shall be made a part of the minutes. The Secretary of the School District is hereby authorized and directed, in conjunction with the Election Commissioner conducting the election, to arrange for the printing of the necessary ballots for said election and to do all other things and take all other action appropriate or necessary in order to cause said proposition to be submitted to the qualified electors of the School District as above provided.

The foregoing Resolution having been read in its entirety, Member _____ seconded the motion for its passage and adoption. After consideration, the roll was called and the following members voted in favor of the passage and adoption of said Resolution: _____

_____. The following members voted against the same: _____. The following members were absent or did not vote: _____.

The passage of said Resolution having been consented to by more than a majority of the members of the Board of Education, the President declared the Resolution duly passed and adopted.

DATED this 13th day of April, 2009.

Secretary

President

SAMPLE BALLOT
SCHOOL BOND ELECTION
SAUNDERS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 0001
TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2009

“Shall Saunders County School District 0001 (aka Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools), in the State of Nebraska, issue the bonds of said School District in the principal amount of not to exceed Six Million Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$6,950,000) for the purpose of constructing site improvements, additions and renovations to the existing Ashland-Greenwood Middle/High School and the Ashland-Greenwood Elementary School, and providing the necessary furniture, equipment and apparatus for such facilities; said bonds to be issued at such time or times as may be determined by the Board of Education, to bear interest at such rate or rates as may be determined by the Board of Education and to become due at such time or times as may be fixed by the Board of Education; and

“Shall the School District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in the School District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the interest on and principal of said bonds as the same become due?”

- FOR said bonds and tax
- AGAINST said bonds and tax

PUBLISH IMMEDIATELY BEFORE ELECTION:

June 4, 2009

Resolution Joint School/City Library

Whereas, the Board of Education of the Ashland Greenwood Public Schools has reviewed the proposal for a Community Resource Center put forth by Mr. Doug Whitehead at its regular meeting on March 16, 2008. And whereas the board understands that Mr. Whitehead and other individuals involved in planning and fundraising would like a commitment from the Ashland Greenwood Public Schools regarding its participation in such a project.

Whereas, the school district was approached by representatives of the City of Ashland a few years ago about constructing a joint school district and city library.

And whereas, the school board has previously agreed to participate in a Joint Advisory Committee to develop a plan for the Community Resource Center and several board members participated regularly on that Joint Advisory Committee.

Therefore be it resolved, that the Ashland Greenwood Public Schools Board of Education continues to be committed to working with the City of Ashland through the Joint Advisory Committee and:

- A) Continues to be willing partner to work with the City of Ashland on the feasibility and possible construction of a joint school district and city facility provided such a facility includes a library and auditorium that will be available for use by the school district;
- B) Understands the City of Ashland may determine at some point in time that it is not in their best interests to build a joint library facility and this board will respect that decision and would fully support the city if they decide to build such a city owned library facility elsewhere;
- C) Is willing to fund the interior furnishings of an auditorium including seating, lighting, curtains, sound system, etc. up to and not to exceed \$1,000,000 and shall maintain that commitment for a period of two years from the date of this resolution's adoption, after which such a commitment would need to be reviewed in light of changes in funding sources;
- D) Is willing to commit up to five acres of property located immediately west of the Middle/High School for such a project;
- E) Is willing to commit its technology resources at no charge to the public library to such a joint project. One part of the district technology commitment is access to Network Nebraska and its resources including Internet 1 and 2; eLearning opportunities and the statewide synchronous video network. Another part of this technology shall be access to on-line subscription based resources including but not limited to netLibrary, NebraskaAccess, Grolier's Online Encyclopedia, Tumblebook on line books for kids, Awesome Stories.com, maps101, Enchanted Learning, Safari Montage education on-line video library and a myriad of other technology resources;

- F) In return for this commitment the board believes it would be a reasonable expectation that the City of Ashland will also make a financial commitment to the construction and operation commitment to a joint facility;
- G) And, Expects that all fundraising for such a facility shall be conducted on behalf of the facility to the benefit of both the city and the school district and both shall share equally or nearly equally in the same.

This commitment shall, however, be contingent upon the city and the school district developing an agreement for the construction, operations and upkeep of the facility and this plan shall be approved by both the Ashland Greenwood Public Schools Board of Education and the Ashland City Council.

The resolution having been read in its entirety, Member _____ moved and Member _____ seconded to approve the resolution as presented. And upon roll call vote the following members voted in favor of the motion, _____ and the following members voted to oppose the resolution, _____ and _____ members were absent or did not vote.

The motion having been approved by a majority of the members of the Board Education is declared adopted by the President.

President

Attest: Secretary