

There were no 2020-2021 budget amendments to discuss or approve.

The board entered into executive session at 8:27 pm and returned at 8:58 pm.

No action was taken regarding recommendations for the band/music teacher position.

David McWright made a motion to offer Leah Cooper a one-year probationary contract for an elementary teacher position. Terry Queen seconded and the motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0.

Terry Queen made a motion to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by John Seales. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 and the meeting adjourned at 9:02 pm.

May 26, 2021

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustees held a special meeting on May 26, 2021, at 6 pm.

The meeting was opened at 6:01 pm with a prayer by Terry Queen.

A quorum was established at 6:01 pm with seven members present.

The board entered into executive session at 6:16 pm and returned at 6:32 pm.

Terry Queen made a motion, with Ashley Braswell seconding, to offer Riley Irwin a one-year probationary contract for the music teacher/band director position. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0.

David McWright made a motion to approve TEKS Certification as presented and was seconded by Terry Queen. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0.

Josh Schoenfield made a motion to amend the calendar as presented and was seconded by Terry Queen. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0.

Mr. Siler advised that he still has not heard back from the adjustors regarding moving forward with repairs due to the flood damage. Mr. Siler contacted the school's law firm regarding proceeding with the roofing project. Oscar Trevino advised the board to guide Mr. Siler to possibly add on an action item to the June meeting regarding possibly hiring an architect due to the size and scope of the project. Mr. Siler is going to try and contact architecture firms.

Ashley Braswell made a motion to adjourn the meeting



Story Time! On Wednesday, January 12, 2022, the Coke County Library hosted Story Time. There were 10 children present. 'About Penguins' by Catherine Seal was read. The children learned a variety of facts about penguins and made penguin crowns. The next Story Time will be held on February 9. Through the year, several businesses and/or organizations will be hosting Story Time at the library. For February, One Another Robert Lee will be hosting. It is hoped to encourage more community involvement. If any local businesses/organizations would like to host Story Time, please contact Jnae Walls for availability.

and was seconded by Terry Queen. The motion passed with a vote of 7 - 0 and the meeting adjourned at 6:51 pm.

degree in Agricultural Education can apply for the Mia Balko Student Teaching Scholarship. Four senior agricultural education students will receive scholarships each semester. The scholarships, valued at \$1,500, aim to help

students cover expenses during their semester of off-campus student teaching. Students who will be student teaching off-campus in fall 2022 are encouraged to apply.

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More than \$20,000 in Texas Farm Bureau scholarships available

High school and college graduations may be months away, but now is the time to start thinking about applying for scholarships, according to John Ross Copeland, Coke County Farm Bureau president.

Coke County students are encouraged to apply for more than \$200,000 in Farm Bureau college scholarships offered on the local, district and state levels.

"Scholarships and awards are an excellent opportunity for Farm Bureau families to earn money to pursue their education," John Ross said. "We encourage all eligible students to apply."

There are three high school scholarships available: Memorial/Honorary District Scholarship, Young Farmer & Rancher Scholarship and the Dick Mitchell Memorial Scholarship.

Enrolled college students can apply for four scholarships: Young Farmer & Rancher Scholarships for Enrolled College Students, TFB S.M. True Jr. Agricultural Scholar Award, Mia Balko Student Teaching Scholarship and the Rural Veterinary Scholarship.

High school scholarships

Memorial/Honorary District scholarships are available to high school students who have not yet graduated. Thirty-nine \$1,000 scholarships and 13 \$1,500 scholarships are awarded annually on the district level.

Thirteen \$1,000 scholarships are awarded to high school students through the TFB Young Farmer & Rancher Scholarship based on academic achievement and the applicant's desire to pursue a career in an agricultural-related field.

The TFB Dick Mitchell Scholarship, a \$1,000 award, is designated for one high school

senior who completed the virtual Thrive Experience as part of TFB's Student Success Series this summer.

Collegiate scholarships

The TFB Young Farmer &

Rancher Enrolled College Student scholarship offers three \$2,000 scholarships to students pursuing an undergraduate degree in an agriculture major. College students pursuing a



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