

Board of Trustees

February 13, 2025

The Board of Trustees of the Crowley Independent School District met on Thursday, February 13, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the New Central Administration, 1900 Crowley Pride Drive, Fort Worth, Texas, 76036. A quorum of Board members was present. The meeting was duly called and notice of the meeting was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

ROLL CALL

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:

Daryl Davis
June W. Davis
La Tonya Mayfield
Nedra Robinson
Kelicia Stevenson

Celebrations / Board Points of Pride

North Crowley High School

Congratulations to the North Crowley swim team! Kate Luong secured 3rd place in the 200-yard individual medley, earning an unofficial qualification for the 6A State Championships, and also placed 6th in the 100-yard breaststroke. Keira Luong also earned an unofficial state qualification, finishing 3rd in the 100-yard backstroke, along with a strong 4th-place finish in the 100-yard butterfly. The girls' 200-yard Medley Relay and 200-yard Freestyle Relay teams both placed 11th in the region, contributing to an overall 9th-place finish for the North Crowley girls' team. An incredible showing for the team—congratulations to all the swimmers! Next stop: Austin for the 6A State Championships in two weeks!

World Languages Journey Fair

On Saturday, February 8, over 180 students, including fifth graders, gathered at CTE to take the Spanish Credit by Exam and earn high school credit early. We are Crowley proud of these scholars—way to go!

Oakmont Elementary School

On Wednesday, February 5th Oakmont students and staff celebrated 100 days of school. Teachers and students have worked hard this school year, and we could not be more proud of our growth! We are excited for you to finish the year strong. Go Hawks.

Super Bowl LIX

We are Crowley proud of Milton Williams, Crowley High School Class of 2017 alum and defensive tackle for the Philadelphia Eagles! On Sunday, February 9, Williams helped lead the Eagles to a 40-22 victory over the Kansas City Chiefs in Super Bowl LIX, delivering two sacks, a forced fumble, and a fumble recovery. His dedication, talent, and determination continue to inspire our entire Crowley community and demonstrate the power of hard work, perseverance, and unwavering commitment to excellence. We know the next generation of CISD champions were watching and envisioning their futures because of you. Congratulations, Milton, on this incredible achievement!

Crowley Montessori Academy

Our Montessori students had a fun-filled day celebrating Lunar New Year on January 30. Students watched a traditional dragon dance, learned about the Chinese zodiac, and made lanterns. Diversity is our superpower!

Crowley High School

On Tuesday, February 13, Crowley ISD welcomed one of its own, Mr. Billy Baylor, back to the court. Voted "Most Athletic" by his senior class in 1969, Mr. Baylor played all sports, leading the teams with his brothers, who were fondly known as "The Baylor Boys." Mr. Baylor even picked up a part-time job, helping lay the foundation of Crowley High School. The Crowley High School family was over the moon to learn about Mr. Baylor's journey through integration and welcomed him home with open arms to speak to students, sharing his story of love and acceptance even through adversity. He reminds us that Crowley is a family, and we are so very proud. Our Montessori students had a fun filled day celebrating Lunar New Year on January 30. Students watched a traditional dragon dance, learned about the Chinese zodiac, and made lanterns. Diversity is our superpower

Winter Graduation

Eleven inspiring students marked a major milestone as they received their diplomas at Winter Graduation on Monday, February 4. **Crowley High School** Martin Burks, Derek Ellis, Jose Esteves, Jr., Aleesha Ferrell, Bralon Kirvin, Alejandro Navarro Christopher Valentine, Jr. **North Crowley High School** Twayne Hall. De-Quriun Perry-Langham, Malachi Savage Kiara Smith. We celebrate with you and look forward to your incredible future. Crowley Pride Unified!

Recognition Item(s)

Battle of the Books Winners

Students in third through eighth grade gathered at Tarleton State University Fort Worth this month for the annual Battle of the Books competition. Teams from all Crowley ISD elementary and middle schools competed and showed that readers are leaders!

The first-place teams from each grade level will be recognized:

3rd grade - Jackie Carden Elementary School Story Squad

4th grade - Oakmont Elementary School 4 Ever Hawks

5th grade - Jackie Carden Elementary School Fiction Finders

6th grade - Crowley Middle School Ready Readers

7th grade - Summer Creek Middle School Colt Readers

8th grade - Summer Creek Middle School Colt Readers

Open Forum

The following individuals spoke during the open forum:

Dr. Jared Williams

Melissa Stiles

Kimberly Brown

Deborah Baylor

Joy Loftin

Leon Polk

Executive Session

The Board of Trustees convened in Executive Session beginning at 6:51 p.m. and returned to open session at 7:12 p.m.

Report Items

Black History Quiz Bowl Preview

The annual Black History Quiz Bowl will be held Saturday, Feb. 22 at North Crowley High School. This year's theme is African Americans and Labor. Students from every campus in Crowley ISD will compete in the Quiz Bowl and Art Show. Crowley's Got Talent will showcase performances from students and staff.

Legislative Update

The 89th Texas Legislative Session is now in session. A Legislative Updates Presentation was provided to the Board which featured the Crowley ISD Board of Trustees Legislative Priorities Publication. Also, spotlighted was the CISD Advocacy Day at the State Capitol on February 18, 2025.

Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)

No. 8692 2024-2025 School Board Operating Guidelines

Member (**Kelicia Stevenson**) Moved, Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of the 2024-2025 School Board Operating Guidelines, as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

June Davis	Yes
LaTonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

No. 8693 Crowley ISD Board of Trustees Resolution to enter Into Joint Election Agreement with Tarrant County Elections on May 3, 2025

Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Moved, Member (**June Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of May 3, 2025, Crowley ISD Board of Trustees Elections resolution to enter into a joint election agreement with Tarrant County Elections as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0 unanimously.

June Davis	Yes
LaTonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

No. 8694 Crowley ISD Board of Trustees Resolution to Enter Into Joint Election Agreement with the City of Crowley on May 3, 2025

Member (**LaTonya Mayfield**) Moved, Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of May 3, 2025, Crowley ISD Board of Trustees Election Resolution to enter into a joint elections agreement with the City of Crowley as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

June Davis	Yes
LaTonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

No. 8695 District Improvement Plan

Member (**Kelicia Stevenson**) Moved, Member (**LaTonya Mayfield**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of the District Improvement Plan, as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

June Davis	Yes
LaTonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

No. 8696 Naming of Elementary School #17

Member (**June Davis**) Moved; Member (**LaTonya Mayfield**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'I recommend accepting the recommendation of the District to name the school after the Baylor Family'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

June Davis	Yes
LaTonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

Future Action Item(s)

RFP-052-2024-2027 Technology – Interactive Display Boards

A committee made up of teachers from all grade levels, school administrators, Finance, Technology and the Office of Academic Excellence, was formed to select the best interactive display for our K-12 environment. They identified five key benefits:

1. Enhanced Student Engagement: Interactive displays make lessons more engaging by allowing students to interact directly with the content.
2. Multisensory Learning: These displays support various learning styles by incorporating visual, auditory, and kinesthetic elements, helping students better understand and retain information.
3. Collaboration: Interactive displays facilitate group activities and collaborative learning, enabling students to work together on projects and share ideas.
4. Immediate Feedback: Teachers can provide instant feedback on student work, helping to identify areas for improvement and reinforce learning.
5. Inclusive Education: Features like text-to-speech and adjustable font sizes make interactive displays adaptable for students with different abilities, promoting inclusive education.

This proposal will put an interactive display in every classroom in the district, transforming our classrooms into dynamic and engaging learning environments, fostering a deeper understanding and enthusiasm for learning among students.

RFP-025-052-2025-00 closed Feb. 11, 2025. It will be evaluated using the CISD score card and presented at the Regular Board Meeting on Feb. 27 as a Consideration and Possible Action Item.

2025-2026 School Calendar

The district is in the final stages of developing the 2024-2025 school calendar that maximizes instruction time for students and planning/development time for educators.

Drafts of the calendar will be reviewed by the Executive Leadership Team, the District-Wide Educational Improvement Council (DWEIC) and principals before being brought to the School Board possible action at a future meeting. This is a future action item.

There being no further business, the president declared the meeting was adjourned at 7:47 p.m.

PRESIDENT _____

SECRETARY _____