

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES**  
**Tuesday, March 10, 2026**  
**Library**  
**5:30 p.m. – Regular Session**

A regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Blochman Union School District was held at the Benjamin Foxen Elementary School library on March 10, 2026.

Members present: Shannon Clay, Daniella Pearce, Jeania Reasner, Kelly Salas=Ernst. Absent: Thomas Gibbons.

**I. PUBLIC SESSION: 5:30 p.m. Call to Order and Flag Salute**

**II. Welcome Guests**

**III. Reports**

**A. Charter School Reports**

**i. Family Partnership Charter School** – see attached.

**ii. Trivium Charter Schools** – Trisha Vais reported that they had a great Winter Formal with 260 students attending. The event was for grades 6 – 12. They have closed enrollment for all but homeless, foster, and students of military families. Enrollment is down some this year. They had their lottery process and they should have over 1,000 students next year. They have started working with group homes.

**B. Teacher Reports** - none.

**C. Principal's Report** – Doug Brown reported that current enrollment is 208. The Orcutt Lions Club held a BBQ fundraiser for the ASB. The ASB should receive about \$2500 from this event. The end of the trimester was March 5 and report cards will go home this week. The last basketball game is March 23. There will be a party for the teams here at school. Sixth grade is going to science camp next week. Students from Ballard will be joining them. Grades 4 and 5 are going to the Math Superbowl in Orcutt. Testing rewards are coming up. ASB will be doing a fundraiser with Patricio's Pizza.

**IV. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR INFORMATION**

**A. Form 700 – Statement of Economic Interests is due April 1, 2026. Please log on to eDisclosure at <https://www.southtechhosting.com/SantaBarbaraCounty/eDisclosure> to complete your form.**

**V. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION**

**A. Facilities**

i. **General maintenance** – We have been working with an architect to get a new portable installed. They plan to submit to DSA in early April. The portable should be installed in time to be used for the next school year.

B. **Charter school site visits** – Charter school site visits will start at the end of this month and finish in April.

C. **Charter school governance** – The board discussed revising the current charter school MOU to include best practices for governance as presented by BBK Law. This item will be placed on the next agenda.

**VI. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS**

**A. Approval of Minutes**

**i. Minutes of February 10, 2026 Regular Meeting**

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Minutes as presented:**

<b>MOVED:</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst</b>	<b>SECOND:</b>	<b>Daniella Pearce</b>
<b>VOTE:</b>			
<b>Shannon Clay:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Daniella Pearce:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Thomas Gibbons:</b>	<b>Absent</b>		

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**B. Approval of Monthly Warrants – February 2026**

<b>i. Payroll</b>	<b>\$ 249,947.98</b>
<b>ii. Commercial Warrants</b>	<b>\$ 71,631.41</b>
<b>iii. Revolving</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 321,579.39</b>

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Warrants as presented:**

<b>MOVED:</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner</b>	<b>SECOND:</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst</b>
<b>VOTE:</b>			
<b>Shannon Clay:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Daniella Pearce:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Thomas Gibbons:</b>	<b>Absent</b>		

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**VII. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION**

**A. Approval of the Benjamin Foxen Elementary School February 2026 Attendance Report**

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Benjamin Foxen Elementary School February 2026 Attendance Report as presented:**

**MOVED:** Kelly Salas-Ernst      **SECOND:** Jeania Reasner  
**VOTE:**  
**Shannon Clay:** Aye      **Jeania Reasner:** Aye  
**Daniella Pearce:** Aye      **Kelly Salas-Ernst:** Aye  
**Thomas Gibbons:** Absent

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**B. Approval of Blochman Union School District’s 2026/2027 school calendar.**

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve Blochman Union School District’s 2026/2027 school calendar as presented:**

**MOVED:** Jeania Reasner      **SECOND:** Daniella Pearce  
**VOTE:**  
**Shannon Clay:** Aye      **Jeania Reasner:** Aye  
**Daniella Pearce:** Aye      **Kelly Salas-Ernst:** Aye  
**Thomas Gibbons:** Absent

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**C. Approval of Blochman Union School District’s 2025/2026 Transportation Plan.**

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve Blochman Union School District’s 2025/2026 Transportation Plan as presented:**

**MOVED:** Jeania Reasner      **SECOND:** Daniella Pearce  
**VOTE:**  
**Shannon Clay:** Aye      **Jeania Reasner:** Aye  
**Daniella Pearce:** Aye      **Kelly Salas-Ernst:** Aye  
**Thomas Gibbons:** Absent

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**D. Approval of the following revised board policies:**

- i. AR3440, BP4119.21, E(1)4119.21, BP4119.24, BP4156.3, BP4219.21, E(1)4219.21, BP4219.24, BP4256.3, BP4319.21, E(1)4319.21, BP4319.24, BP4356.3, BP5144.1, AR5144.1, BP5145.2, AR5145.2, BP6142.7, AR6142.7, BP6173, AR6173, E(1)6173, E(2)6173, BP6173.1, AR6173.1, BP6173.2, AR6173.2, AR6173.3, BP6173.4, BP6175, AR6175, BB9250, BB9320, BB9320.1, BB9322, BB9323

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the revised board policies as presented:**

**MOVED:** Jeania Reasner      **SECOND:** Daniella Pearce  
**VOTE:**  
**Shannon Clay:** Aye      **Jeania Reasner:** Aye  
**Daniella Pearce:** Aye      **Kelly Salas-Ernst:** Aye  
**Thomas Gibbons:** Absent

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**E. Approval of Blochman Union School District’s 2025/2026 Second Interim Report.**

**\*\*\* IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve Blochman Union School District's 2025/2026 Second Interim report as presented:**

<b>MOVED:</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst</b>	<b>SECOND:</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner</b>
<b>VOTE:</b>			
<b>Shannon Clay:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Daniella Pearce:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Thomas Gibbons:</b>	<b>Absent</b>		

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**VIII. PUBLIC COMMENTS - none**

**IX. MISCELLANEOUS AGENDA ITEMS**

- A. Items Proposed for Future Action or Discussion - none**
- B. Blochman Union School District Board Member Items - none**
- C. Items not on the Agenda - none**
- D. Next Scheduled Board Meeting: April 14, 2026; open session at 5:30 p.m.; Library.**

**X. CLOSED SESSION: The board adjourned to closed session at 6:03 p. m. where they may consider and may act on the following during closed session:**

- A. Certificated and Classified Personnel Actions**
  - i. The board will be asked to review and approve hiring, transfers, promotion, evaluations, terminations, and resignations.**

**XI. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION - The board reconvened in open session at 6:07 p.m. Mrs. Salas-Ernst reported that the following action was taken:**

- A. Employee two substitute teachers**
- B. Approve stipend for classified employee**

<b>MOVED:</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner</b>	<b>SECOND:</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst</b>
<b>VOTE:</b>			
<b>Shannon Clay:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Daniella Pearce:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Thomas Gibbons:</b>	<b>Absent</b>		

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**XII. Adjourn**

**TIME: 6:07 p.m.**

<b>MOVED:</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner</b>	<b>SECOND:</b>	<b>Daniella Pearce</b>
<b>VOTE:</b>			
<b>Shannon Clay:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Jeania Reasner:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Daniella Pearce:</b>	<b>Aye</b>	<b>Kelly Salas-Ernst:</b>	<b>Aye</b>
<b>Thomas Gibbons:</b>	<b>Absent</b>		

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# FPCS Reports

## March 2026

### Admin Office Report

- CCSA Conference - five leadership staff went to the 4-day conference in Long Beach - really good sessions on Special Education, marketing, AI, leadership, human resources, and charter renewal.
- March 28, 2026 - Eggert and four MS Advisors went to Trivium's Wizard of Oz Winter Formal chaperone 29 FPCS middle school students!
- CURRICULUM TEAM: Online G6-12 curriculum pilot with [Subect.com](https://www.subject.com) - SBCEO K-8, Alg1 Math Adoption Faire with teachers piloting Math Nation.



### K-5 Programs

- MBM is taking many field trips and providing students with enrichment activities: Music, Botanical Gardens, Day on the Bay (*Morro*), Read Across America, Hearst Castle



- Parent Teacher conferences were held at the beginning of February
- SMLC staff, student and families have been flexible and patient with the closure of their longtime center location to make a move to Orcutt Presbyterian Church last week.
- Students started 3/3/26 and had a meeting about how to be good guests at the location for the rest of the school year. They LOVE the playground equipment.



- The Home Study program will attend a play and are learning through our SEL platform , Second Step, about Emotion Management.

# FPCS Reports

## March 2026

### Middle and High Programs

- Orcutt Middle hosted a Friends Day Celebration on February 6th
- Students at OMLC and the middle Solvang student will be visiting Universal Studios in Los Angeles. Students will learn important grade level concepts about business and the entertainment industry
- Middle school students meet with our 5th graders to promote returning in 6th grade to one of our programs.
- Baywood middle student attended Cal Poly's Learn by Doing Lab
- 29 Middle School students enjoyed the Winter Formal



- Orcutt High students are regularly attending support classes for their core courses
- The PROD301 Allan Hancock course is being taught at the center by Rebecca Trott
- High school students are busy writing essays and gearing up for an upcoming college visit in Monterey Bay

