St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 Mission Statement:

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 is dedicated to providing an educational culture that will continually assess the knowledge, changing needs, and challenges of our students and adapt our practices to prepare them to become successful citizens.

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 Strategic Goals for Improvement:

- I. Student achievement will be improved in all areas.
- II. Promote staff development.
- III. Emphasize communication and involvement with staff and the community.
- IV. Maximize and efficiently use funding sources.
- V. Provide a safe, healthy, and inviting learning environment.

MONTHLY MEETINGS: Unless otherwise posted, the Board of Trustees meets at 5:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the District Office, 240 S. 11th Street, St. Maries, Idaho, with the exception of the October and March meetings which will be held at the UpRiver School.



Zone 1 Peter Dirlam PO Box 155 Santa, Idaho 83866 pdirlam@sd41.org Trustee Term: July 1, 2017-June 30, 2021



Zone 2 Jody Ray Hendrickx Board Chair 48 Meadow View Road St. Maries, Idaho 83861 jhendrickx@sd41.org Trustee Term: July 1, 2013-June 30, 2021



Zone 3 Mark Reynolds 58 Bailey Street St. Maries, Idaho 83861 mreynolds@sd41.org Trustee Term: Dec. 21, 2015-June 30, 2019



Zone 4 Sandy Kennelly Vice Chair 1615 Lincoln Avenue St. Maries, Idaho 83861 skennelly@sd41.org Trustee Term: July 1, 2015-June 30, 2019



Zone 5 Devon Barta 2262 Cottonwood Drive St. Maries, Idaho 83861 dbarta@sd41.org Trustee Term: Oct. 20, 2016-June 30, 2019

District Web Site

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 encourages interested parties to visit and utilize the District's Web site at http://www.sd41.org.

A variety of information is available for review, including student projects and activities. Some of the current Web site links include:

- > School Board
- > Schools
- > Student Information
- > Staff
- ➤ Calendars
- > Parent Information
- > Sports Schedules

Video Surveillance Cameras

District officials may use video surveillance cameras to ensure the health, welfare, and safety of District students and staff.

Student Transportation

➤ Transportation Director Paula Queener, (208) 245-3366 215 N. 15th Street St. Maries, ID 83861

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41's Transportation Department will provide services on designated bus routes starting Tuesday, September 5. There are two routes to accommodate students from the UpRiver area who will be attending St. Maries Middle School and St. Maries High

The Transportation Department will hold registration at the transportation office on August 22 and 23 from 8:00 a.m., to 12:00 p.m., to collect information for incoming kindergarten students who will be utilizing bus service.

To ensure transportation, registration must be completed no later than August 28 with the Transportation Department. Kindergarten parents should contact



the transportation office by phone if they are unable to register their kindergartener in person.

Families with students who are new riders or who have changed locations are also encouraged to contact the transportation office prior to the start of school.

Bus times, stop locations, etc., are subject to change based on student ridership.

For approximate pick-up times and route descriptions, families should contact the Transportation Department at 245-3366 for additional information.

Network/Internet Use Policy

Use of District Technology is a privilege for students and certain rules must be observed.

Shortly after school begins, parents of all students will be sent the "District-Provided Access to Electronic Information, Services, and Networks, Policy No. 502.17" which they will be required to sign and return to their student's school.

If parents elect to enroll their student online through the recently established Skyward Family Access, parents and guardians can review the referenced Policy

online and confirm that they have read and understand the Network Policy.

The Policy defines the terms of use of technology throughout the District. Students and parents will be held accountable for the proper use of technology. Any student who knowingly attempts unauthorized access, damages equipment, vandalizes equipment or other user's data may have their access to technology terminated.

A copy of the entire Policy is available on the District Web site.

The Child Find Program

The purpose of Child Find is to identify children who may have individual needs that result from disabilities or developmental

Child Find helps determine if a child has a disability and what kind of educational services should best meet his/her needs.

Anyone who is concerned about a student between 3-21 years of age who may have special needs, including home-schooled students, should call the District Office at 245-2579.

The Early Childhood Screening has been scheduled for Monday, August 28, 2017 at the Presbyterian Church. To schedule a screening appointment or for more information, please call Heyburn Elementary after August 15 at 208 245-2025.

Medical Insurance/Medicaid

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 does not provide medical insurance to automatically pay for medical expenses when students are injured at school or while participating in extra-curricular activities. The District does make student medical insurance available to families for their individual purchase through an insurance company that provides supplemental insurance services to the District's students.

Additional information can be found on the District's website at: http://www.sd41.org.

Student Handbooks & Fees

St. Maries Middle School and St. Maries High School Student Handbooks will be distributed to students during registration. Elementary Student Handbooks will be sent home with students during the first week of school. Handbooks are also available on the District Web site.

Students in grades 6-12 must provide a \$50.00 book deposit at the time of registration. At the end of the 2017-2018 school year, 8th grade students will have their middle school book deposit fee refunded to them. A \$50.00 high school book deposit fee will be required when a student registers at

St. Maries High School. The high school book deposit fee will be refunded once a student graduates or transfers.

At the end of each year, fines may be assessed against students who lose or cause abnormal wear on books. Fines will be subtracted from the \$50.00 deposit. At the beginning of the following school year, students must bring the deposit balance back to \$50.00. Parents will be informed by mail of any amount owed by their student.

Associated Student Body (ASB) activity cards may be purchased

by all middle and high school students. Fees generated from the sale of ASB cards are used to help finance extra-curricular school activities. All high school students participating in extra-curricular activities must purchase an ASB card at a cost of \$30.00. Middle school students participating in athletics must purchase an ASB card at a cost of \$15.00. Middle school students may purchase the \$30.00 high school activity card to get into all home activities.

Gate prices are \$5.00 for adults and high school students without an ASB card and \$2.00 for chil-

Section 504 Sexual Harassment

St. Maries Joint School District No. 41 hereby advises students, parents, employees, and the general public that it does not discriminate on the basis of handicap (Section 504), race, color or national origin (Title VI and Title VII) or sex (Title VI, Title VII, and Title IX), and offers employment and educational opportunities without regard to sex, race, color, national origin or handicap.

Grievance procedures are available to interested persons and inquiries regarding this non-discrimination policy may be directed to:

St. Maries Jt. School District No. 41 P. O. Box 384

240 S. 11th Street St. Maries, ID 83861

208-245-2579

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The Family Rights & Privacy Act

The right to review and inspect all official records, files and data directly related to students is available to all parents and legal guardians. Additionally, students who are 18 years of age or older, have the right to review their individual records and files.

The District forbids a third-party disclosure of student records unless written consent is given by the parents specifying the records to be released, the reasons for the release, and to whom to be released, or in accordance with judicial order or subpoena.

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