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July 17, 2023

Dr. Sonya Evans sworn in as new Board member

Dr. Sonya Evans was sworn in as Blue Valley's new board member, filling the vacancy in the Northeast area. Evans was appointed to the remaining term through January 2026. To learn more about Blue Valley's Board members, please [visit the Board of Education member's page on the District's website](#).

Board celebrates U.S. Presidential Scholars

The Board celebrated two Blue Valley students, who were among only 161 students nationwide to be recognized as 2023 U.S. Presidential Scholars.

- Luke Chen, 2023 graduate, Blue Valley North
- Elizabeth Place, 2023 graduate, Blue Valley North

Board celebrates National Designer of the Year

The board recognized Sabrina San Agustin, a 2023 Blue Valley Northwest graduate, who was named the National Designer of the Year by the National Scholastic Press Association.

Board appoints At-Large Commissioner for Blue Valley Recreation

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The board approved the appointment of Christi Pribula, as the At-Large Commissioner for the Blue Valley Recreation Center, for a new four-year term. Pribula's new term begins August 1, 2023, and expires July 31, 2027.

Board approves Blue Valley Recreation Commission 2023-2024 budget

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The Board approved Blue Valley Recreation Commission's (BVRC) proposed budget for 2023-24. [View budget information on Board Docs](#).

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Board approves 2023-24 district goals

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To see the complete list of approved 2023-24 goals, [visit the district website](#).

Board appoints Board advisory committee members

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The Board voted to appoint applicants to their respective Board Advisory Committees. To learn more about Board Advisory Committees and to apply, [visit our district website](#).

Board renews Children's Mercy Hospital contracts

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The board approved the updated contract renewals for social workers. These agreements identify aspects of the school-based mental health program model and will maximize access to school-based and community-based resources.

Board renews multiple technology contracts

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The board voted to renew multiple technology contracts.

- CDW-G for yearly maintenance of Jamf software management platform contract that improves management capabilities of student and staff devices
- CDW-G for Microsoft Enrollment for Education Solutions (EES) master agreement for the district license for staff and students.
- Converge One contract that consolidates all external domains and improves firewall that secures external facing resources including intranet.
- Synectic Technologies contract that helps repair Apple computer and device equipment.
- TechCycle Solutions LLC contract that helps repair Dell and Chromebooks equipment.

Board approves Tension Hitting Tunnels contract with Sportsfiel Specialty

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The board approved tension-hitting tunnels to be installed at all five high schools' baseball and softball fields.

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