Long-Range Facilities Plan Pondered By Education Board

The development of a long-range facility plan by the Warren County Board of Education came under lengthy discussion by board members meeting in regular session Monday night.

Following a review of physical conditions of on the buildings system's nine campuses, the board, by a 3-2 vote, authorized Superintendent Mike Williams, Assistant Supt. James Jordan and Board Chairman Henry Pitchford to provide the full board with a set of options to be used as policy is clarified.

The meeting was the first time members had looked at future school building needs since last fall when board members and members of the Board of County Commissioners visited all nine campuses on a comprehensive inspection tour.

Supt. Williams told the Board of Education members that the next step in the planning process would be for the board to adopt a position on various matters. These include the systemwide grade organization, desired school sizes, racial and socio-economic balances among and within student bodies and travel times and dis-

Williams said his staff would prepare several plans for the board's consideration and the board could then adopt a

plan. He suggested that public input could be obtained through a public hearing and by discussing within county officials building needs which may exist at the

county level. Board members, chiefly Yarborough Williams and Leigh Traylor, said they wanted to consider options before calling for a public hearing. They were joined in that position by Mrs. Kathy H. Wilson, while Pitchford and Henry Bobbitt wanted to get public input at the earliest possible time.

Members had been given a full packet of information prior to their meeting which gave a full description of school

property, and its condition based on an evaluation by state officials in 1980. Described in detail were the following campuses: -HAWKINS: Some

260 students now attend grades 4-6 on a campus containing 13.9 acres. Four of the seven buildings are leased for use by outside groups. Many buildings are spread out on irregular shaped small sites and there is inadequate parking for cars and buses. The landscaping is inadequate and buses park on an area not owned by the board. Some 2.5 acres of the site are impossible to develop. The site contains five mobile classrooms.

-JOHN GRAHAM: Some 309 students now attend grades 7-8 on a campus containing 9.4 acres. The site evaluation included the fact that the small residential site is of irregular and narrow shape and that buildings are crowded together and there is poor pedestrian circulation. Drives and parking are said to be poorly developed. Members were reminded that the auditorium and cafeteria of the main building had been closed due to structural failure. One building on the campus is now abandoned. The site contains

two mobile classrooms. -MARIAM BOYD: Some 350 students now attend kindergarten through grade three in two buildings occupying a 10.55-acre site. The site evaluation showed that the school is located on a quiet residential site adjacent to administrative offices and has a developed playfield, paved drive and parking area, adequate land-

scaping but no bus parking area. -NORLINA: Some 256 students now attend grades 7-8 in four buildings. The main building lacks the use of five classrooms in the basement which have been abandoned due to water damage. The site contains 6.29 acres and is described as being in an old residential area with a street separating

the buildings situated on

a very small site. -NORTH WARREN: Some 249 students now attend grades 4-6 on a 35-acre site. Only the inadequate, unpaved car parking. Three

school was said to be in a rural location with good site development

SOUTH WARREN:

tend kindergarten through grade six on a campus containing 15.7 acres. In addition to the main building built in 1964, students are housed in one mobile classroom. The site is said to have good drainage with slight slope to rear, containing paved loop drive and adequate

bus parking. VAUGHAN: Some 214 children attend kindergarten through grade six in two buildings located on a 17.acre campus. While the site is said to be of adequate size, there has been poor site development with only half of the site developed. There is a paved loop drive and minimal bus and car parking.

-WARREN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL: Some 1,027 students now attend class in a main building built in 1981 and in 12 small mobile classrooms. The main building is in top condition, the report shows, and it is the only building in the system which generally is suitable for use by handicapped persons. The campus contains 77 acres, which is described as being of adequate size. Athletic fields are being developed and there are paved drives and bus parking, but unpaved parking for cars.

In other items of business handled Monday night, the board:

-Accepted the resignations of Donna L. Mowles, speech and language therapist whose husband has been transferred to New York; and Dollie Marks, custodian at Warren County High School who wishes to retire.

-Heard a report from Mrs. Rachael Ricks. assistant superintendent, who pointed out that a physical education class of 38 at Norlina Middle School and a second grade class of 27 at Northside School were the only classes which exceeded maximum class size regulations at the end of the fourth school month.

-Approved an overnight trip to Washington, D. C. on May 17-18-19 by a group of academically gifted students in grades seven through twelve and an overnight trip to Charlotte March 15-16-17 by six distributive education club members wishing to participate in statewide competition.

-Received a report from Superintendent Williams reporting that one day missed because of snow will be made up on Monday, May 28, and the second day in which schools did not operate will be made up on Thursday, April 19.

-Heard an announcement of a North Carolina School Boards Association - sponsored seminar to be held Feb. 28 and Feb. 29 in Raleigh.

-Approved three routine amendments to the 1983-84 school budget.

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1 package Betty Crocker chocolate fudge frosting mix 1 1/2 cups whipping cream

1 cup chopped almonds,

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fudge frosting and whipping (dry) and whipping cream in into 1- to 2-inch pieces cream. And further tantaliz- small bowl. Cover; refriger- Place ice cream in large ing the tastebuds is a sprinate 1 hour. Cut cake cross-bowl; stir to soften. Place kling of toasted chopped wise into halves. Blend 1/4 of the cake pieces in almonds.

Which to choose? Be an stiff. Fill layers with half of inches; spread with 1/4 of the frosting mixture; sprin- the ice cream. Make a sec kle with 1/2 cup of the al- ond layer, using 1/2 of the monds. Spread top of cake remaining cake pieces and with remaining frosting mix- 1/2 of the remaining ice ture; sprinkle with remain- cream; repeat. Freeze at ing almonds. Refrigerate un- least 8 hours. til set, at least 8 hours. Re-

PEPPERMINT ANGEL

1 package Betty Crocker white angel food cake mix 1 half-gallon pink peppermint ice cream

Whipped cream, if desired Chocolate-flavored syrup

Run knife around edge of frigerate any remaining pan to loosen; invert on serving plate and remove pan. Garnish each serving with whipped cream; drizzle with syrup. Freeze any remaining dessert. 12 to 16 servings.

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Neal Tells Town Board

Water And Sewer Line **Problems Are Discovered**

A sewer meter located in Soul City to measure sewage flowing to the Warrenton waste water treatment system has been repaired, Bill Neal, superintendent of the Warrenton Water Company, told Warrenton town commissioners Monday night.

Neal said a second sewer meter located at Ridgeway has worn out and has been abandoned for the present. He said sewage flow could be judged there by the metered water to the location.

The commissioners showed considerable interest, but have taken no action as the result of

is listed by alphabet?

1. Large ice chunks.

3. An Eskimo boat.

4. Eskimo's weapor 5. A snow house.

6. Plain where ground never completely thaws

9. Winter transportation usually is by what?

12. Boats Eskimos ride in are made from what?

A shout given to dogs with dog sieds.
 Sometimes Eskimos cover window holes w

16. Dog sied runners are rubbed with what? 17. Whale's fat. 18. An Alaskan bird.

19. Eskimos get most of their food from the what:

13. The word "Eskimo" means what?
14. Eskimos carve things from what?
15. Hooded jacket.

1. You will need a

2. Find 2 empty

36" long string.

spools that are the

same size. Make pretty

designs or scenes on

to keep it from slipping.

other end.

site direction.

the spool's centers.

strips of paper to be glued around

2-holed button. Slip the button

onto the string so that one end of

the string is longer, to keep the

spools from hitting. Make a big

knot on the outside of the button

string and the other spool to the

then the other spool in the oppo-

4. Tie one spool to one end of the

5. Twirl one spool in one direction,

3. Thread the string through a large,

7. Fish caught by Eskimos 8. Eskimo's most important land animal for food.

2. Type of Eskimo dog

Let's Plan

about fixing a leak in a wellhouse located in a corner of the yard of Floyd McKissick in Soul City. Neal said he had received a letter from McKissick telling him that McKissick wanted a leak in wellhouse No. 10 repaired.

Neal said he had no idea where wellhouse No. 10 was located, but found it in a corner of McKissick's yard after a two-day search. The large wellhouse contained a pump and a large number of valves. One of the valves had frozen because of lack of heat in the building and a large quantity of water was pouring from the wellhouse into

> b. Bone and Ivory c. Eaters of raw d. Central Plain

k. Traps I. Glaciers

u. Catfish

x. Harpoon y. Dog sled z. Kayak

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n. Frozen m

o. Clay and marble p. Mukluks

Neal said he had to dismantle the system to replace the valve which had been leaking for months. The bill for this water will have to be paid for by Warren County, Neal said.

The regional water system is operated by the City of Henderson which had been searching for the case of water used. The private well, Neal said, was connected to the Soul City water system, as are a number of wellhouses at Soul City.

It was agreed that such connections are illegal, but no action was taken Monday

Ernest Edward Williams of Littleton applied to the board for a license to drive a taxicab. Police Chief Freddie Robinson was asked to make the necessary investigation of the character and health of Williams.

Mayor White said that he had received a letter from Region K COG Director Don Everette asking that White write a letter to Everette regarding the abandonment of the Seaboard Coastline railway from Norlina to Roanoke Rapids.

The board recommended the appointment of John R. Hawkins as a member of the town's Board of Adjustment to replace Charlie Fitts, who recently resigned. The Board of Adjustment is required to have five members, two of whom must be from out of town.

Present members are Tom Watson, chairman; and members Mary Hunter, L. B. Henderson, Sr. and Kenneth Mustian. Appointment of members is recommended by the town board, and they are appointed by the county commissioners.

Mayor White asked that the town board appoint two alternate members, one from in town and one from out-of-town, due to difficulty of forming a quorum. The appointment of the alternates is due some study, Mayor White

parking. Some 212 students at-

auditorium in the original classroom building is in use and the gym-a frame building built in 1941-has been closed for safety reasons. One of the five buildings is leased to an outside group. The site evaluation described the site as of adequate size with adequate bus parking but with

mobile classrooms are NORTHSIDE: Some 371 children attend kindergarten through grade three in two buildings situated on an 18.75-acre lot. The

and a paved loop drive but there is said to be inadequate bus and car the Earth at the equator.