

## Treynor School News



Kevin Elwood spoke at the Treynor Optimist Club on May 27 about changes at the Treynor schools. He talked about retiring employees and a proposed new sports complex for the school.

Several long term employees are retiring. Virginia Maguire is retiring after 16 total years of service. She worked in the food service, took a couple years off, worked in transportation for six years, then spent another six years in food service.

Bernard Bryant has been with the district for 30 total years. He began as a bus driver, became a bus mechanic for six years, took a couple years off, then worked as a bus driver for another 13 years.

Robert (Bob Gronstal) spent 42 years in the district. He began as the school board secretary in 1970.

Lori McGoldrick, Todd Gordon, Nigel Horton, and Charity Pearce are full-time not returning next year. Also, Beth Peters, Georgia Urey, Donna Perdue, and Sheri Baker are not returning.

The school is planning on a new athletic complex. The current football field has been there over 40 years. The track needs significant repairs every year. The grandstand was added in 1995,

so it is getting old.

The property West of the baseball field is being purchased. It will include space for a football field and practice/soccer field. There will be an eight lane track, which is needed for State track meets.

The Treynor Schools will invest in three investments next year. The athletic complex is one part. The playground at the Elementary school will be upgraded, and the school will invest in additional technology upgrades. They started the technology upgrade with laptops for High School students this past year. No new bond issues are needed, since the improvements will be funded from existing resources.