



Cherry Hill Board of Education

Notes

Highlights from the January 2017 Action Meeting

Board Representative Reports

Kaitlyn Boyle, Cherry Hill High School East Representative, reported that Cherry Hill High School East students held a Women's March at the school on January 23. She noted that the Science Team participated in the regional competition. Ms. Boyle also mentioned that the Freshman Dance had been a success and that this year's Coffee House had benefitted Jane Goodall's Roots & Shoots. The fundraiser included an opportunity to give a teacher a pie in the face. Ms. Boyle said that the East Lip Sync was scheduled for Friday, January 27. In addition, she said, the Kaleidoscope Concert would be held on February 2 with the theme, Songs from Artists in New Jersey. Ms. Boyle also mentioned that the East Orchestra would be performing at Kennedy Center in Washington, DC. She noted that East's Science National Honor Society Tour would include visits to Sharp, Cooper and Woodcrest Elementary Schools to encourage the younger students' interest in science. She also mentioned a science program enabling an East student to shadow a student at Rowan University. Ms. Boyle said the Valentine's Rose Sale would be ongoing through the Cum Laude Society. She also noted that six out of seven teams had qualified for the Robotics state competition in March, while more than 200 students from the DECA team had qualified for states. Ms. Boyle said students were happy with the new three-day PARCC schedule for high school students. She wrapped her report by mentioning debates about the controversy surrounding East's chosen spring musical, Ragtime.

Representative nor Alternate was able to attend this meeting. No report was given.

Curriculum & Instruction

The Board approved attendance at conferences and workshops for the 2016-2017 school year.

The Board approved first reading of Draft Policy 2423: Bilingual and ESL Education.

The Board approved out of district student placements for the 2016-2017 school year.

The Board approved Non-Public School Technology for the 2016=2017 school year.

The Board approved an amendment of the NCLB Fiscal Year 16-17 Budget.

The Board approved Non-Public Schools Security Aid for the 2016-2017 school year.

The Board approved Mt. Misery mileage.

The Board approve the ESEA Accountability Action Plan – 2016 Participation Rate for PARCC.

Business & Facilities

The Board approved the financial reports for November 2016, including the Board Secretary's Certification and Treasurer's Report, the Line Item Transfer Report, the Food Service Operating Statement, and the SACC Financial Report. The Board approved the disbursement of funds in the amount of \$10,955,914.63, as well as the bill list dated January 24, 2017 in the amount of \$12,022.79 and the second bill list dated January 24, 2017 in the amount of \$3,599,031.57.

The Board approved resolutions for the award of transportation for McKinney-Vento/DCP&P students.

The Board approved a resolution for change orders for bid #1516-004 – A-Wing HVAC System Replacement and Related Work at Cherry Hill High School East.

The Board approved the acceptance of donations:

A monetary donation from an anonymous donor to Harte Elementary School for 10 Dell Chromebooks; 10 Google Chrome OS Management Console Licenses: \$2,863.90

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A donation from Sharp PTA, purchasing through Scholastic points from the book fair, to Sharp Elementary for 9 bookcases: \$3,600

A monetary donation from Rosa PTA to Rosa Middle School for Chromebooks: \$6,100

A monetary donation from Skar Pharmacy, LLC to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$5,000

A monetary donation from MHS Lift to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$2,000

A monetary donation from NFI to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$2,000

A monetary donation from Abo and Company, LLC to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$2,000

A monetary donation from the Class of 2016 to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$4,000

A monetary donation from the Class of 2015 to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$2,500

A monetary donation from the Class of 2014 to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$4,000

A monetary donation from the Class of 2013 to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$5,000

A monetary donation from the Class of 2011 to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$2,000

A monetary donation from the East Yearbook to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$1,000

A monetary donation from the East Student Government Association to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$1,060.23

A monetary donation from East Student Activities to Cherry Hill High School East for the DiBart Gym Sound System: \$1,000

Human Resources/Negotiations

The Board approved termination of employment and appointments of certificated staff, including teachers and long-term substitute teachers, student teachers, clinical training and co-curricular appointments.

The Board approved various appointments of non-certificated staff, leaves of absence for certificated and non-certificated staff, assignment/salary changes, flex option presenters and other compensation.

Policies & Legislation Committee

The Board approved the second reading of Revised Policies:

- Draft Policy 2610: Educational Program Evaluation
- Draft Policy 2622: Student Assessment
- Draft Policy 2460: Special Education
- Draft Policy and related Regulation 6660: Student Activity Funds

The Board approved the first reading of Revised Policy and related Regulation 5337: Service Animals.

The Board approved a Waiver of Regulation 2340: Field Trips for the Beck Middle School Trip to Washington, DC, 5/16-17, 2017.

The Board approved Harassment/Intimidation/Bullying Investigation Decisions.

Strategic Planning

No items.