

A message from the Superintendent of the Cherry Hill Public Schools.



BOARD OF EDUCATION

**ELECTION
RESULTS**



Welcome, New Board of Education Members

Election Day 2019 has brought familiar and new faces to the Cherry Hill Board of Education table.

I would like to extend my congratulations to our newly elected Board of Education members, and my thanks to all of those who ran for the four open Board seats. Fulfilling the position of Board of Education member is a tremendous commitment and gift to the community. Two incumbent candidates were elected in yesterday's election: Mrs. Ruth Schultz won the 2-year, unexpired term seat; Mr. Benjamin Ovadia, who filled the seat vacated by former Board member David Rossi, won a 3-year term.

Two candidates who are new to the Board of Education, Mrs. Rosy Arroyo and Mrs. Kimberly Friddell, won the remaining 3-year term seats.

All four new Board members will be sworn in on January 7, 2020 in a public meeting.

It is always a great pleasure for me to cast my vote at my local polling place in each election. And whether you voted "old school," like I did, or sent in a mail-in ballot, I would like to thank all who voted. The right to vote is something to be cherished, and the civic duty to vote is something to be taken very seriously. A robust community that is active in the electoral process is healthy for everyone, especially for our children. Our children watch how we interact as adults and how we

UPCOMING EVENTS

SCHOOLS CLOSED

November 7 & 8

Board of Education Work Session

November 12 @ 7 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

Strategic Planning Public Forums

November 14
Two Sessions:
9:30 am, Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

7 pm, Beck Middle School Large Group Instruction Room, 950 Cropwell Rd

Board of Education Action Meeting

November 26 @ 7 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

SCHOOLS CLOSED

November 28 & 29

voice our opinions and our perspective.

As we approach the next two days off for our families when the District will be closed for the NJEA Teachers Convention, I hope you will not only enjoy the long weekend, but that you will give some thought to our military veterans as Veterans Day approaches on Monday, November 11. These brave men and women fought to maintain the freedoms inherent in our democracy, including the right to vote. Veterans groups are already visiting our students in advance of Veterans Day. We have publicized and will continue to publicize these visits on social media. I hope you will join us in thanking our veterans for their service.

WE are on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#)! Be sure to follow us if you don't already. For keeping up to date, be sure to download our free District app from the App Store or Google Play – then customize it to feed your school's information, in addition to District information, directly to you. Have a question for us that's also of interest to the larger community? Submit it via our [Quick Question](#) portal for a publicly posted answer!

I wish you a wonderful four-day break, whether you are traveling or relaxing at home. As the weather is becoming chillier, be sure to share the warmth of a smile and a kind word when you are out and about!

Regards,

Joseph Meloche

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Superintendent, Cherry Hill Public Schools

"Be a rainbow in someone's day."



Black

History Month Program Seeks Creative Student Contributors

The organizers of the 2020 Black History Month Program, *Our Story, Our Music - 100 Years of Making Our Voices Heard*, seek student singers, dancers, actors or anyone who "enjoys expressing themselves" to attend an introductory meeting on November 13 at 6:30 pm in the Cherry Hill Public Library.

Students of all ages, and their parents, are welcome.

Topics for discussion include:

- Topics included in the show
- Music in the show
- Student participation
- Parent participation
- Scheduling and carpools

Questions should be sent to Director Aliya Bowles at aliyac.bowles@gmail.com



Public Input Sought at November 14 Forums Regarding CHPS Strategic Plan

The Board of Education has embarked on the process of developing a strategic plan that will guide our district-wide work over the next 3-5 years. As we begin to build this plan, it is important that parents and community members have an opportunity to consider the future work and priorities of the district.

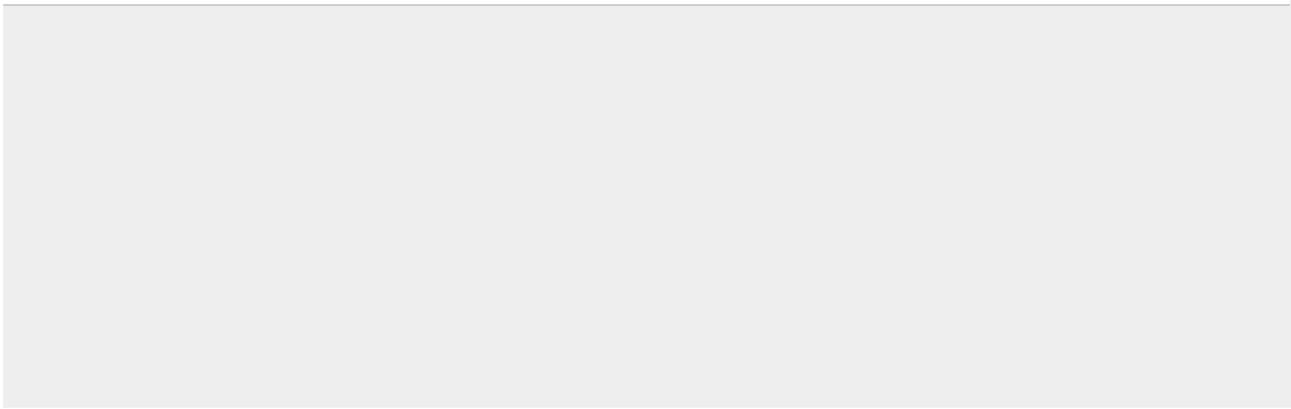
We invite you to attend one of our **open forums on Thursday, November 14, 2019 at 9:30 am in the Board Room at Malberg or at 7:30 pm in the Large Group Instruction Room at Beck Middle School** to share your ideas about the areas of focus and bodies of work that you believe will have the most impact for our students over the next few years. These forums will be facilitated by Judith Wilson, who is leading this planning process.



Community Bulletin Board Offers Info on Events, Club Sports, Programs

Looking for information on local events, club sports, scouting programs and more? You'll find all of this on the [Community Bulletin Board](#) page of the District web site.

Organizations interested in having items posted on the Community Bulletin Board are asked to email the Public Information Office and publicinfo@chclc.org.



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