

# Board Meeting Update

## Rocky River Board of Education

Jean Rounds, President • Scott Swartz, Vice President  
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*The following is an overview of the August 19, 2010 Regular Meeting of the Board of Education.*

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### **Action**

- ∞ Under Policy and Legislation, there was a First Reading of New and Revised Policies.
- ∞ The Board approved the schematic design presented on August 11, 2010 by Burt, Hill Architects for Beach School.
- ∞ The Board passed Resolutions approving the July 2010 Financial Statement and Intrafund Transfers for General Accounting; Resolution to Amend Appropriation; Resolution to Designate Public Depositories for Funds; and Resolution to Participate in the Ohio Schools Council Workers' Compensation Group Rating Program.
- ∞ Retirements and Resignations, Appointments for Certificated Staff, Supplemental Duty Appointments, Appointments for Support Personnel and Adjustments in Salary and Assignments were approved.
- ∞ The Board approved a Resolution to Approve Rate of Pay for Long Term Substitute Teacher.
- ∞ The Board approved a Resolution for Transportation of Developmentally Disabled Students.
- ∞ The Board approved a Resolution to Approve Bus Stops.
- ∞ The Board approved a Resolution to Discard, Sell and/or Donate Surplus Property.
- ∞ The Board approved a Resolution to Approve Candidate for Graduation.

### **Superintendent's Update – Dr. Michael Shoaf**

- ∞ Dr. Foley announced that the 230 leased computers have all been deployed. Newly ordered SmartBoards are in the classrooms.
- ∞ Dr. Foley distributed the RRApps/Student brochure that students will receive. As of August 19, 2010 GoogleApps accounts have been created for students in grades 3-12 and email accounts have been created for students in grades 5-12.
- ∞ A GoogleApps Trainer will be holding classes for staff in September and October, Monday and Wednesday each week after school. The classes will be held in the computer lab at the Middle School, 2nd floor.
- ∞ Tech 1 certification classes were held this summer.
- ∞ Ms. Anderson announced that four different, district-sponsored professional development classes successfully occurred this August, one of which ran in partnership with St. Christopher School.
- ∞ Mentors have been assigned to new staff.
- ∞ Textbooks have been ordered and will be ready for the beginning of the school year.
- ∞ Mr. Blank distributed a sheet with new teachers listed and the reason for their employment. Mr. Blank is still interviewing for a tutor for the Middle School.
- ∞ Dr. Shoaf distributed a projected enrollment list for the 2010-2011 school year. He will continue to update the board with new information.
- ∞ The Year-End Strategic Plan Update was distributed. Strategic Plan committee members were in attendance.

- ∞ Dr. Shoaf distributed drafts of the 2012-2013 School Calendar. Drafts will be handed out to RRTA and OAPSE at their meetings in September.

### **Community Challenge/Recovery Resources – Mrs. Rounds**

- ∞ Mrs. Rounds announced that there was a Coalition Meeting held on Thursday, August 12, 2010.

### **Oral and Written Communications – Mrs. Rounds**

- ∞ Mrs. Rounds mentioned how nice the Chamber Luncheon was at Westwood Country Club. Dr. Shoaf did an update on RR Schools. Thanked Debbie Bernard for the hard work compiling the gift bags for new teachers that are always presented at the August Chamber Luncheon.
- ∞ Mrs. Rounds announced the Cheerleaders Spaghetti Dinner Fund Raiser being held on Wednesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>.
- ∞ Mrs. Rounds read a thank you from Relay for Life. \$119,000.00 was raised at the RRHS Relay.

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