Highlights Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting Rocky River City School District Board of Education 2/8/12

Committee Reports

Facilities Committee – Mr. Milano

- The Facilities Committee met prior to the Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting this afternoon. The main gym at RRHS will be closed sometime in March, after the final basketball game, and will reopen August 1, 2012. The Wagar gym will be open throughout that time.
- Mr. Milano introduced Mr. Rob Jurs and Mr. Gregg Mylett who will be forming a Public/Private Partnership to create the landscape plans for the high school. Mr. Jurs will work with various classes at the high school to create a landscaping plan while Mr. Mylett will be working on obtaining private donations to cover the cost of this project. A motion will be placed on the March agenda.

Finance Committee – Mr. Swartz

• The West Shore Superintendents and Treasurers will meet at Lakewood HS on 2.16.12 at 1:00pm to discuss the West Shore Career & Technical District billing.

Curriculum Committee – Mrs. Rounds

- High School and Middle School Science Olympiad Teams scored very well at the Solon Competition on 2.4.12.
- Nicole Matthews was awarded two honorable mentions for her digital photography at the Scholastic Art Awards.
- John Patrick Corcoran is a National Merit Finalist.
- Rob Hendricks is receiving the 2012 Prudential Spirit of Community Silver Award and is up for the Gold Award. The Gold Award winner will be announced at the May Conference.
- Our 4th and 5th grade teams took first place at the Northeast Regional Academic Games Equations Tournament held on 1.24.12. Mrs. Sue Forbes and Mrs. Meredith Muccio presented the trophy at tonight's meeting.

Policy and Legislation Committee – Dr. Fancher

• Per Dr. Fancher, the Governor signed HB 116, known as the Jessica Logan Act. This bill will update the existing regulations regarding bullying.

School Community Committee – Ms. Goepfert

• Minutes from the 1.19.12 Coalition Meeting were distributed. The Kick-off for Family Game Week had 42 children attend. The next Coalition Meeting will be on 2.16.12 at 8:00am at Rocky River Public Library.

Rocky River Education Foundation – Dr. Fancher

• The Rocky River Education Foundation fundraiser will be held on 3.31.12 at Westwood Country Club. The theme will be "A Night in Paris".

Other

- Kathy Goepfert and Jon Fancher attended the OSBA New President's Training in Rootstown on 2.4.12.
- Dr. Foley shared the program for the "Film Fest". The "Film Fest" will be held on 2.9.12 at the RRHS auditorium.