

BOARD BRIEFS FEBRUARY 28, 2012

The first Board of Education meeting each month is a work session; the second is an action meeting. The following information contains highlights from the February 28, 2012 Readington Board of Education action meeting. For complete minutes from this meeting, please check the district website (www.readington.k12.nj.us) on or about March 28, 2012.

Superintendent's Report

- Spotlight on Three Bridges School: Principal Kristen Higgins spoke about green initiatives at the school, and one student from each of the school's K-3 grade levels read an essay they had written about what a child can do to help keep the world clean and save energy.
- Superintendent Barbara Sargent reported one incident of bullying and harassment.

Finance/Facilities

- A resolution was adopted approving the 2012-2013 tentative budget to be submitted to the County Superintendent for approval.
- A resolution was adopted that the drawing for ballot positions for the annual school board election will be held on Wednesday, March 7, 2012 and that the hours for the Annual School Election on April 17, 2012 will be 7 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Education/Technology

- The 2012-2013 school calendar was approved.
- The 2012 Summer Enrichment Program was approved.
- The 2012 Special Education Extended School Year was approved.
- Three fundraisers were approved to be held at Readington Middle School to benefit Starfish, Operation Smile, and the American Heart Association.

<u>Personnel</u>

- The Summer Athletic Camp Director and Summer Sports Camp Coaches for 2012 were approved.
- The Summer Enrichment Program Coordinator was approved.
- Club advisors for Whitehouse and Three Bridges Schools were approved.
- Two part-time aides were approved for the Preschool Program at Three Bridges School due to increased enrollment.

Communications

Three policies were approved and adopted: Policy 6163—Advertising and Concessions; Policy 7510—Use of School Facilities; and Policy 9180—School Volunteers.

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The next Board of Education meeting is scheduled for March 13 at 7:30 PM in the Board meeting room at Holland Brook School. Please review the agenda that will be posted on Friday, March 9, and consider attending.