



August 26, 2009 meeting

Summit Hill District 161 Board Briefs

Serving 3,700+ students living in portions of Tinley Park, Mokena, and Frankfort

For additional information, please contact Superintendent Keith Pain at 815.469.9103

In personnel matters, the Board:

- accepted the resignations of teacher Karen Steffey and learning center aide Kristen Duesdieker;
- employed Suzanne MacLeod and Kristen Duesdieker as teachers for the 2009-2010 school year;
- employed Molly Mahoney and Cindy McFarland as paraprofessionals; and
- employed Joanne Pappas as a learning center aide for the 2009-2010 school year.

In other matters, the Board:

- reviewed Board policy changes which were suggested from the Illinois Association of School Boards Association and the review of the Policy Manual;
- reviewed a Summit Hill Jr. High School scheduling concern and its resolution;
- heard a report from Board Members who attended a recent workshop;
- discussed participation in the Homecoming Parade for the Lincoln-Way High School on September 27;
- heard a report from Dean Gerdes, Director of Finance, on student transportation in the District;
- heard a report from Building Principals concerning opening school activities at their schools;
- discussed the District Implementation Action Plan that will be utilized during the school year to accomplish the Board goals;
- heard a report from Barb Rains, Director of Human Resources, concerning the District Wellness Program for staff and students;
- heard a report from Dawn Schiro, Director of Curriculum, on the online professional development program that will be utilized during the school year;
- heard a report on the District 843 Special Education meeting; and
- was made aware that there are 3,727 students enrolled in District schools.

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