

SUMMIT HILL SCHOOL DISTRICT I61 BOARD BRIEFS

MARCH 2024

Recognition

- SHSD161 Spelling Bee participants were recognized, including 7th grade student **Iredia Ohiku** who won our Spelling Bee and advanced to the Will County Spelling Bee, placing 4th
- March Summit Awards were presented to Hilda Walker 5th Grade ELA/Social Studies Teacher **Aubrey Gallagher** and Summit Hill Junior High 8th Grade Math Teacher **Ken Cronin**

Old Business

- Adoption of Elevate Science Program by Savvas for grades 5-8
- Approval of bid from Crowther Roofing & Sheet Metal Inc. for roof restoration project at Indian Trail School
- Approval of 30-week contract with Carefree Lawn Maintenance for landscape maintenance services

New Business

- Approval to extend administrative employment contracts for **Laura Goebel**, **Marianne Hourihan**, **Ryan Nagle**, and **Brian Skibinski**
- Approval of employment contracts for certified staff
- Approval to employ **Kimberly Zylka** as Director of Early Childhood
- Approval to employ **Nicole Smyth** as Elementary Gifted and Talented Coordinator
- Approval to employ **Steven Evenhouse** as Part-Time Intermediate/JHS Gifted and Talented Coordinator
- Approval of three-year license with Seesaw (Grades PreK-4)
- Approval to purchase two Ruckus outdoor wireless access points with 5-year license from CDW-G for Summit Hill Junior High
- Discussion of activities/athletics expansion
- Update on Community Outreach Committee
- Discussion of Student Board Member proposal
- Discussion of 4-Year-Old Full-Day Preschool Pilot feasibility for 2024-25 school year
- Discussion of Mary Drew School facility updates

To view the minutes or hear the audio of this month's Board of Education meeting, visit summithill.org.

CALENDAR

March 25 - April 1

No School - Spring Break

April 17

Board of Education Meeting, 7p



SHSD161 Spelling Bee Participants



Summit Award

*Pictured from left to right:
HW Assistant Principal Marianne Hourihan,
HW Principal Maura Carroll,
Aubrey Gallagher, HW Social Worker Kristina Labriola,
HW Counselor Kristi Linke,
and Superintendent Dr. Paul McDermott.*



Summit Award

*Pictured from left to right:
Superintendent Dr. Paul McDermott,
SHJH Principal Laura Goebel,
Ken Cronin, SHJH Associate Principal Ryan Nagle, and
SHJH Assistant Principal Monica Laux.*

