Building Futures

# Monday, March 9, 2020 Regular Business Board of Education Meeting



#### **Discussion Items Requiring No Action**

♣ Approve the List of Bills for February 2020.



## SEPARATE ACTION Items, which included the following, were approved by the Board:

- ♣ BluePoint Alert solutions Final Pay Application
- Building Improvement Project Recommendation for 2020-21 (Part 2)
- Construction Project Pay Application #2-District Office HVAC
- **♣** Civil Engineer Service Proposal- Concrete Pavement Projects
- List of Bills Exceeding \$5,000.00
- ♣ Purchase of Cisco Telephones
- Purchase of Lenovo Devices
- Purchase of LCD Projectors
- Donations-
  - \$1,500.00 to Addison Trail High School Best Buddies Program from Knights of Columbus.
  - 500 used bricks to Addison Trail High School CTE Program from Mr. Keith Santini.
- Personnel

#### **CLASSIFIED STAFF RESIGNATIONS:**

Angelica Diaz

Addison Trail Literacy Teacher Aide

Effective: March 13, 2020

Braulio Herrera

Addison Trail Building Assistant

Effective: March 5, 2020

#### CLASSIFIED STAFF RETIREMENT:

Steven Orlando

Addison Trail Maintenance Worker

Effective: June 30, 2022 at which time Steven will have completed 33 years of

service with District 88.

- **♣** Fundraisers Exceeding \$1,000.00
  - Addison Trail Class of 2023 will sell tamales to offset costs for class activities.



Educational Focus Item

Dr. Jamie Gourley, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Assessment, Ms. Jennifer Kowalski, Addison Trail High School Career and Technical Education Department Head and Ms. Mary Barney, Willowbrook High School Career and Technical Education Department Head provided an update on current and upcoming dual credit and asynchronous course offerings.



Transportation Services Contract Extension for 2020-21 Regular and Special Education Mr. Edward Hoster, requested approval to secure final contract terms for regular and special education transportation services and will present them for Board consideration at the March 23, 2020 meeting.

### **School Recognitions**

#### **Addison Trail**

- Mr. AT was crowned on Friday night congratulations to senior Brian Meagher who was the overall winner among 11 participants.
- March is Music in our Schools Month thank you to our Music Department and Mr. Jeff Nellessen, Mr. Alex Stombres and Mr. Mark Corey for all of their work in putting on a wonderful assembly for our students. We also have many music events this month, including our annual AT/IT Concerts on March 12th, 17th, and 19th with the junior high students.
- Skills USA 23 students qualified for Skills USA this year in Auto, Photo and Construction - congratulations to all of these students and good luck in your competition! State Competition is later in April.
- Blood Drive is this Thursday come on out all day in the East Gym.
- On March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 41 teachers were honored with Addison Trail's Golden Apple award.
- PE Week is also coming up! Lots of fun events planned, with the culminating Superstars Assembly next Friday, March 20, 2020.

#### ATHLETICS UPDATE

- Spring Sports have started!
- We hosted an eight-team Girls Track invite on Saturday AT placed 2<sup>nd</sup>!
- We are hosting Sectional Boys Basketball Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday this week
   all beginning at 7:00 p.m.

#### Willowbrook

- Last Wednesday, 12 student performers and groups showcased their talents and skills at the Willowbrook's Got Talent Show.
- Brook Olympics Week concluded with Relay for Life this past Saturday. More than 500 students from WB and AT participated and raised \$88,000 in support of the American Cancer Society.
- Congratulations, Business Professionals of America has 14 students that qualified for Nationals this year. They will be traveling to Washington DC the first week in May. We wish them the best of luck.
- Our musicians performed at the Solo and Ensemble contest this past weekend. We earned 37 solo and 12 ensemble first division ratings.
- There are 52 students slated to take the Seal of Biliteracy exam this week in Spanish, Arabic, German, English, Polish, Tagalog, and Urdu.
- The Counseling Department is preparing for the upcoming College and Career Week beginning March 23<sup>rd</sup>. Activities will include trivia day, Test Prep Activity and Lunch and Learn, Military Fair, College Fair, and Career and Vocational Fair.
- March 19<sup>th</sup>, Spring Contest Play 7:00 PM
- March 21<sup>th</sup>, Music Booster Trivia Night

#### ATHLETIC UPDATE

• Our athletic Spring Season has officially started. Best of luck to all the teams as they begin their training for the upcoming competition season.



#### **Action Necessitated by Closed Session**

The Board of Education approved the appointment of Ms. Yvonne Tsagalis as Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction for DuPage High School District 88 effective July 1, 2020.



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