

School Board Meeting *Highlights*

Township of Ocean Board of Education • 163 Monmouth Road • Oakhurst, New Jersey 07755

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March 22, 2006

At the Public Meeting on Tuesday, March 21, 2006, the Township of Ocean Board of Education took the following action:

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:

On January 31, 2006, approximately 70 of Ocean Township High School's "mathletes" went to the American Mathematics Competition. Our district is very fortunate to have 8 students qualify for the next level of competition, the American Invitational Mathematics Exam. Congratulations to the following qualifying students:

ANDREW AYALA	GRADE 12
AYLIN KHOR	GRADE 11
SUHAN KHOR	GRADE 12
DANIEL MENDAT	GRADE 12
TRISHA QUAN	GRADE 12
GARRETT SCHEFFLER	GRADE 11
JOSELYN SLOAN	GRADE 12
PETER YI	GRADE 12

Congratulations to the Ocean Township DECA Team on their outstanding performance at the State DECA Competition held at the Cherry Hill Hilton. Over 3,000 students from across New Jersey competed in a series of marketing events. The Ocean DECA team was represented by 21 students, 6 of which were State Finalists in their events.

ADAM ARDAKANIAN	2 nd Overall
AARON ROWLAND	3 rd Overall

BRIAN CLARK, BRYAN TIDD, MATT SEAGALL, MIKE SHAPIRO – State Finalists in their events

Overall the Ocean DECA Team won 20 individual and team medals and awards. Congratulations to the advisors, Mr. Lambusta and Mr. Colon.

During the month of March the following students will be representing Wayside School in a Community Youth Art Month exhibit at Wachovia Bank on Rt. 35 & Deal Road:

REBECCA EPSTEIN	MEINCA PINCHINAT
SHANNON HIGGINS	McKAYLA CONTI
TAILIA PRITZLAFF	TODD GOEHRING
NATALYA SAENZ	SARAH GUSS
EMILIE WEINER	EMILY LAUSTEN
LANCE ZARAGOZA	KELLI SHAPIRO
SAMANTHA ESTIN	HAA-YOUNG LEE
MOLLIE TOBIN	JOEY SOLOMON
MUBASHIR MALIK	

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Finance – Mr. John Oltarzewski

- All bills on the regular Bill List for February/March and payroll were approved for payment.
- The Board certified and accepted the monthly financial reports.
- Appropriation Transfers in the 2005-06 General Fund 10 were approved.
- The Fire Drill Report for the month ending February 28, 2006 was approved.
- Use of Facilities were approved.
- Resolutions pertaining to the 2006-2007 School District Budget were approved.
- As per New Jersey N.J.A.C. 6A:23b-1.2(b) a maximum travel related expenditure for all district personnel was approved.
- The 2005-2006 Joint Transportation Agreement was approved.

2. Community Liaison & Communications Committee – Mrs. Denise Parlamas

- The Ocean Township Community Celebration Committee Ad was approved.

3. Instruction & Education Committee - Mr. James R. Wagner

- The following out-of-district private tuitions were approved:

<u>School</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Woodcliff	1	ESERS	March 1, 2006
Woodcliff	2	ESERS	March 22, 2006
East Mountain School	1	ESERS	March 7, 2006

- The following out-of-district public tuition was approved:

<u>School</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Coastal Learning South	1	ESERS	March 8, 2006

- Approval was given for cancellation of the following out-of-district private tuition:

<u>School</u>	<u>Student</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Meridian Academy	1	ESERS	March 7, 2006
Collier H.S.	2	ESERS	March 21, 2006

- Jennifer Balzarano, a West Chester University student was approved to observe Mr. Soldo's music classes for 1 day during the week of March 13, 2006.
- Credit reimbursement for the Summer and Fall 2005, was approved.
- Approval was given for three teachers from the South Amboy School District to observe math lessons in grades 1-4 at the Wayside School and Grade 5 at the Intermediate School on March 8, 2006.
- 10 teachers from the Holmdel School District were approved to observe classes at the Intermediate School on March 27, 2006.
- A team of administrators from Keansburg School District were approved to observe sixth grade math classes the the Intermediate School on April 26, 2006.

- Danielle Meier, a Monmouth University student, was approved to observe Mrs. Taylor's class at the Ocean Township Elementary School.
- College students were approved to observe.
- Kelly Corrigan, a Marist College graduate student, was approved to observe Mrs. Rodziewicz's 4th grade on March 17, 2006.
- Staff development activities, as pre-approved by the administration in accordance with District policy 3440, 4440 and NJAC 6A:23B, were approved.

4. Personnel Committee - Mr. Raymond J. Menell

- Approval was given for issuance of the following contract:

Carol Scollay	Instructional Assistant	Effective: March 1, 2006
	Wanamassa School	

- A Family Leave of Absence was approved for Gail Mackey, High School French Teacher, from March 1, 2006 – May 31, 2006.
- A Family Leave of Absence was approved for Ignatius Napoli, Custodian, from February 21, 2006 – March 8, 2006.
- A Family Leave of Absence was approved for Bruce Owens, Custodian, from March 1, 2006 – May 24, 2006.
- The resignation of Lorri Reines, Computer Lab Assistant, was approved, effective April 7, 2006.
- A Family Leave of Absence was approved for Rochelle Nagrod, Language Arts Teacher, from March 12, 2006 through March 23, 2006 and from May 1, 2006 – June 23, 2006, for a total of ten weeks of Family Leave.
- Approval was given for issuance of the following revised contract:

Richard Connard	Custodian – High School	Effective: April 1, 2006
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- The following substitute custodians were approved:

Joseph Marino
Jean Dormeus
Adriana Perez

- Substitute teachers were approved.

The next regular meeting of the Township of Ocean
Board of Education will be held on Tuesday, April 25, 2006
at 8:00 p.m. in the Auditorium of the Administration Building.