Monday, March 6, 2017 Regular Business Board Of Education Meeting

Recognition of Business Partners

District 88 recognized Knights of Columbus Damen Hildebrand Council No. 650, Knights of Columbus Juan Pablo II Council No. 14069 and Anyway's restaurant as Business Partners for their support of Addison Trail and Willowbrook high schools.

The Knights of Columbus councils have supported District 88 students through initiatives such as generously donating to the Best Buddies club, District 88 LIFE Transition Program and the Transition Program's Perks & Possibilities Café. The Transition Program helps individuals ages 19 to 21 who have disabilities learn life skills, obtain job training and transition to life after District 88. The councils thanked the Board for recognizing their work.

Anyway's serves as a job-training site for Transition Program students and has provided gift certificates for District 88 Foundation and Partnership for Inspired Education (PIE) Foundation events as well. Anyway's also provides gift certificates for our students who receive the 88's Best award, which honors 18 students each school year for reaching their personal best in academics, highly improved performance, extracurricular activities, service work or performing arts/electives. The representative from Anyway's was unable to be with us.

Discussion Items Requiring No Action

- ♣ Approve the Fixed Asset Appraisal Service submitted by Industrial Appraisal Company.
- ♣ Approve the Athletic Trainer Service Contract Renewal with NovaCare Rehabilitation for 2017-18 through 2019-20.
- ♣ Approve the Combination Lock Bid for 2017-18 submitted by Independent Hardware.
- Approve the PE Uniform Bid for 2017-18 submitted by A & R Screening.
- ♣ Approve the Postage Equipment Lease submitted by Pitney Bowes.
- Approve the Food Service Management Company Renewal for 2017-18 with Chartwells.

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

- **↓** List of Bills exceeding \$5,000.00.
- Donation: A monetary donation from Knights of Columbus Damen Hildebrand Council #650 to the DuPage High School District 88 LIFE Transition Program.
- **♣** 2017-18 School Calendar Amendment.
- ♣ Illinois High School Association Membership Renewal for 2017-18.

Information/Discussion Items

Educational Focus Items for March 20, 2017

Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment Mr. Adam Cibulka highlighted the educational focus items for the March 20 Board meeting, which will include dropped courses, program changes and staffing trends.



Addison Trail Congratula

School Recognitions

- Congratulations to senior Michael Williams on being named to the Boys Basketball West Suburban All-Conference Team and to the Daily Herald All-Area Team!
- The following students competed at the Business Professionals of America (BPA) State competition and are National Qualifiers: Leslie Tolentino-2nd place in Advanced Spreadsheet Applications and Jonathan Loi-3rd place in Medical Office Procedures. Additional medalists include: Angelo Pahopos-Fundamental Spreadsheet Applications and Gianna Sarli-Business Law and Ethics. National competition will take place in Orlando, Fla., in May. Congratulations, and best of the luck!
- ♣ The Annual Career Week will take place March 21 through 24, where students will listen to quality speakers from Junior Achievement of Chicago.
- This year's spring play, "Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind," will run April 6 through 8.
- ↓ Last Wednesday, the Boys Basketball Team defeated Willowbrook to advance to the first Regional Championship Game since 2001. They lost that game on Friday night to Naperville North and finished the season with 18 wins. Again, that is the most wins for the program since 2001.
- Upcoming events: March 7-AT/IT Band Concert; March 9-AT/IT Choir Concert; March 14-AT/IT Orchestra Concert; March 16-Blood Drive; March 17-PE Week Superstars Assembly

Willowbrook

- Congratulations to the following students, who competed in the Business Professionals of America (BPA) State competition this past weekend! Habib Hassan-1st place in Visual Basic Programming, Michael Cameron-3rd place in Visual Basic Programming, Mustafa Ali-2nd place in Computer Modeling, Sheharyar Ahmed-4th place in Systems Administration Using Cisco, Vineet Patel-5th place in Java Programming, and Jonathon Staunton, Michael Cameron, Mustafa Ali and Vineet Patel-1st place in Computer Animation Team. Six students qualified for the BPA National Competition in Orlando, Fla., in May. Go, Warriors!
- ♣ Good luck to the 11 students who will be competing in the DECA State competition this weekend!
- ♣ The Music Department began its series of concerts this past Wednesday, March 1, with our Bands performing. Our choir students will perform on March 9 and our Orchestra on March 21
- → The Choir students just came back from an amazing four-day trip to Toronto, Canada. The 45 students performed in multiple studios, theatres, cathedrals and basilicas, visited multiple museums and did some sightseeing. Thank you to the Board for supporting the students.
- ♣ On March 4, a number of Willowbrook students, staff and families participated in the annual D88 Foundation 3-on-3 Dennis Doyle Basketball Tournament, as well as our WPO Trivia Night. Thank you to Addison Trail for hosting the tournament.
- This week, the Guidance Department finalized all student course selections for the upcoming school year and continued to meet with students needing interventions. Last week, the department hosted a Hispanic Parent Outreach Meeting to assist parents in the course selection and college search process.
- ◆ Congratulations to the Boys Basketball Team on a great season! They completed the season this past week, falling to Addison Trail in the IHSA Batavia Regional Semifinal.
- ♣ Upcoming events: March 8-CAC meeting; March 13 through 17-Brook Olympics; March 18-Relay For Life; March 20 through 24-College and Career Week





Action Necessitated by Closed Session

No action was necessitated by Closed Session.

Board Of Education Meeting Dates
All meetings are at 7:30 p.m. in the District 88 Boardroom (unless otherwise noted)

Monday, March 20, 2017: Educational Focus Board Meeting

Monday, April 10, 2017: Regular Business Board Meeting

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