

EAST ALLEN COUNTY SCHOOLS



BOARD HAPPENINGS

November 3 and 24, 2009

December 15, 2009

NOVEMBER 3rd WORK SESSION

- **Superintendent Green** presented information regarding the upcoming Curriculum Writing Project. She is in the process of visiting all schools regarding this process.
- Board discussion:
 - In a proactive measure taken to reduce some of our end-of-year expenditures the cut-off date for general fund supply purchases was moved to Tuesday, November 3. Exceptions could be made for emergency needs.
 - An update was given regarding the recent Meet and Confer meetings that were held with the Food Service Employees, Nurses, Paraprofessionals, and Secretaries.
 - A "Senior Superstar Activities Card" is being introduced throughout the district. This is an activities card for senior citizens (age 65 and up) that allows them free admission into all home EACS activities, excluding tournaments and dinner theatres. Cards may be purchased at any school or the EACS Administration Building.

NOVEMBER 24th REGULAR MEETING

- The Board meeting was held at **Village Elementary School**. **Britt Magnuson**, **Juanita Tolbert**, and **Deb Gibson** gave a Title I Update.

DECEMBER 15th REGULAR MEETING

Several presentations were given to the Board:

- ✓ **Jo Ann Roscoe** End of Course Assessments
- ✓ **Marilyn Hissong** Curriculum Team Update
- ✓ **Kirby Stahly** Financial Update
- ✓ **Britt Magnuson** Race to the Top

RECOGNITIONS



Congratulations to **Heritage** and **Woodlan High Schools' bands**. **Heritage** placed 6th in Class C and **Woodlan** placed 7th in Class D at the ISSMA State Marching Band Competition. You make us proud!

Elizabeth Kowatch, a 2nd grade teacher at **Harlan Elementary School**, was presented with an ITT Excellence in Education Award by Terry Reed of ITT Communications Systems and Karma Bradley of the Allen County Education Partnership at the December 15th Board meeting. Congratulations **Liz!**



Superintendent's Visits

- All Schools were visited by the Superintendent!

PERSONNEL

~ Resignations ~

- **Stacey Christlieb**, food service, CEEL, eff. 10/9/09
- **Rebecca Dearing**, Trans. Dept., eff. 11/23/09
- **Gail Eversole**, Trans. Dept., eff. 12/08/09
- **Lisa Jacobs**, teacher, PHHS, eff. 10/23/09
- **Jerry Love, Jr.**, bus technician, eff. 10/28/09
- **Nayda Miller**, food service, HAEL, eff. 10/27/09
- **Angela Morrow**, food service, HIEL, eff. 12/18/09
- **Sarra Patha**, EACS bilingual support, eff. 10/19/09
- **Donna Salaam**, food service, SOEL, eff. 9/4/09
- **Cathy Wetmore**, CRT, SOEL, eff. 11/19/09

~ Retirements ~

- **Kathy Scatena**, teacher, HOEL, eff. 06/02/10
- **Patricia Scherschel**, para, NHMS, eff. 06/08/10

Termination of **Deidre Wells**, para, SOEL, 11/13/09

~ Welcome New Hires ~

- **Radoslava Butler**, custodian, PHHS
- **Patricia Gardner**, para, HIEL
- **Benita Moore**, Title I Family School Specialist
- **Vivian Naylor**, food service, PHHS
- **Wendy Osborne**, para, PHLC
- **Jean Phillips**, Resource, MOEL
- **Catherine Pusey**, Trans. Dept.
- **Donna Rowe**, para, MEEL
- **Brian Smiley**, teacher, PHHS
- **William Snyder**, custodian, LEHS
- **Tamika Wood**, para, SOEL