



EAST ALLEN COUNTY SCHOOLS

BOARD HAPPENINGS

March 6, 20, & 27, 2012

MARCH 6th

Students and staff from the **EACS Choice Alternative School** attended the meeting, along with the school's Principal **Jeff Kline** who gave an update on what's happening at the school this year. **Mr. Kline** also presented school t-shirts to the Board members as well.

MARCH 20th

In anticipation of upcoming budget/CPF meetings of the board, **Bill Diehl**, Director of Accountability, presented information concerning Blended Learning Environments, costs and several options for implementation.

MARCH 27th

The Board reviewed and discussed the Blended Learning options for the district at this Special Work Session.

RECOGNITIONS



Barb Gilford was honored for her 45+ years of service to the district as a bus driver. **Mel Falkner**, Director of Transportation, presented her with a certificate for having completed 45 years of driving with no accidents. Awesome!

Heritage High School Junior **Emma Frederickson** was recognized for having her first book published — "**Rediscovery**" - a novel about an American-born girl who discovers a Tasmanian tiger pup in Tasmania and decides to raise it on her own. Tremendous!



Longtime **Woodlan Jr./Sr. High School** head custodian **Pat Lortie** was honored. **Pat**, who is also the current President of the EACS Custodial Association, will be retiring at the end of March. He has worked for EACS for 31 years and he has been a faithful, regular attendee at the Board meetings. **Ron Kammeyer**, **WOHS** Principal, presented **Pat** with a "golden" bucket, ream of paper and mop. You will be missed!



Superintendent's Visits

- All schools were visited by the Superintendent!

PERSONNEL

~ New Hires ~

- Laura Bartlett**, nurse, **WOPS**, eff. 3/12/12
- Richard Murphy**, bus driver, eff. 3/12/12

~ Resignations ~

- Christopher Anderson**, teacher, eff. end of school year
- Scott Archer**, custodian, **NHHS**, eff. 2/16/12
- Aaron Boroff**, custodian, **SOEL**, eff. 3/9/12
- Heather DeWolfe**, para, **NHMS**, eff. 3/1/12
- Mary Lou Gingerich**, food service, **LEHS**, eff. 3/15/12
- Pamela Greer**, para, **LEHS**, eff. 3/9/12
- Vicki Gunn**, para, **NHHS**, eff. 2/20/12
- Beth O'Brien**, food service, **CEEL**, eff. 3/1/12
- Linda Street**, food service, **NHHS**, eff. 2/27/12

~ Retirements ~

- Nancy Jenkins**, teacher, **WOIS**, eff. 3/6/12
- Peggy Kreigh**, para, **HIEL**, eff. end of SY
- Dan Lose**, teacher, **NHMS**, eff. end of SY
- Kelly Shepherd**, teacher, **NHHS**, eff. 3/30/12
- Cynthia Vince**, teacher, **NHMS**, eff. end of school year