

**November Press Release  
November 21, 2011**

After pledge and roll call, the School Board members were introduced (by Antje Pippin) to RHS Drama Club members who presented a "Bullying Awareness" program. Those participating included Addie Miller, Brittney Quick, Taylor Grove, Allie Oxford and Elise Jensen.....Great job girls!

Principal McConnell then introduced the LGS 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade Team Quest members to the school board. Participants from their recent challenge in Olney included:  
(3<sup>rd</sup> /4<sup>th</sup> Grade) – Max Williamson, Valerie Wright, and Spencer Roe-Weaver and Kyra Bruce; who all placed 4<sup>th</sup>  
(5<sup>th</sup> Grade) – Morgan Graupmann, Ashton Wesley, and Sam Quick, and Gabe Shotwell, who all placed 1<sup>st</sup>.  
Kudos to all of these students -- Keep up the good work!

**The following action was taken at last night's board meeting:**

**Old Business:**

- The minutes of the November 8, 2011 Building & Grounds Committee meeting were approved as read
- Discussion was held regarding the architect fees for the RHS Concession Stand. The amount of \$20,020.00 was approved as a board expense for the 2800 sq. ft. architectural drawing

**New Business:**

- The School Board set the 2011 tax levy based on \$370,000,000 EAV authorizing posting to the media for a truth in taxation hearing to take place at 6:45pm prior to the scheduled December 19<sup>th</sup> regular school board meeting to be held at RHS Library.
- Approved a resolution declaring the intent of CUSD #2 to issue working cash fund bonds for future operating expenses
- Approved TransFinder contract and license agreement to update Unit #2 transportation software to communicate with Skyward
- Adopted the HACCP (Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point) Food Service Manual
- Appointed administrators to new RIF committee: Josh Quick, Craig Beals, Jason Stark and Janis Loughery

**Personnel Action:**

- Approved Charlotta Wilson's transfer from RHS to LGS as full time night custodian
- Susan Daugherty was hired as full time RHS night custodian. Daugherty's employment is retroactive to November 1, 2011
- Appointed Cam Thoroughman as a **Volunteer Assistant** for the RHS Boys Basketball program
- Approved Rick Johnson, ACEP as RHS Assistant Baseball Coach
- Approved Kevin Wampler as RHS Assistant Baseball Coach **pending** ACEP completion for Wampler
- Employed Julie Redman as a homebound teacher for a pre-school student for 2 ½ hrs. per week effective immediately

**Student Discipline:**

- NMS Student #216120 is expelled for the remainder of the 2011/2012 school year with said expulsion held in abeyance upon successful completion of optional education/safe school program
- RHS Student #215179 is expelled for the remainder of the 2011/2012 school year and the entire school year of 2012/2013 with an education plan in place by RHS Administration
- RHS Student #214113 is expelled for the remainder of the 2011/2012 school year and the entire school year of 2012/2013 with said expulsion held in abeyance upon successful completion of optional education/safe school program

The next School Board meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 19, 2011 with a truth in taxation hearing at 6:45pm with regular board meeting to start at 7:00pm at the RHS Library.

Here's wishing each and every one of you a Happy Thanksgiving. I hope you all get to celebrate with family and friends and continue to be thankful for all your blessings! Sincerely, Debbie J. Pethel ☺
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