

DANBURY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

May 13, 2009
7:00 PM

Town Clerk

Administrative Center - 63 Beaver Brook Road

A G E N D A

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

.....CONGRATULATIONS

2008-2009 Fairfield Math League Session
Broadview Middle School, 1st Place with 130 points
Rogers Park Middle School, 2nd Place with 116 points
(see attached list)

III. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Board welcomes Public Participation and asks that speakers please limit their comments to 3 minutes. Speakers may offer objective comments of school operations and programs that concern them. The Board will not permit any expression of personal complaints or defamatory comments about Board of Education personnel and students, nor against any person connected with the Danbury Public School System.

EXHIBIT

IV. CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION - that the Board of Education approve the items on the Consent Calendar, as recommended:

- A. MINUTES
 - Bi-Monthly Board Meeting Minutes 4/22/09..... 09-80
 - Community Relations Committee 4/29/09..... 09-81
- B. PERSONNEL..... 09-82

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Adrienne Conciatore
Julia (Libby) Dorris

Grade 1, Robert's Ave
French, DHS

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Amy Escamilla	Grade 4, KSI
Marlene Frank	SPED, RPMS
Keshia Smith	Principal, Great Plain
Maria Thatcher	Paraeducator, DHS

RETIREMENTS

Beverly Ackell	Nurse, 24 years, KSP
Virgina Altberg	Paraeducator, 36 years, Pembroke
Katherine Boylan	Nurse, 24 years, South Street
Mary Jane Cordeiro	Custodian, 22 years, Roberts Ave.
Judith Durkin	Secretary, 23 years 4 months, Hayestown
Susan Glazier	Paraeducator, 13 years 6 months, Great Plain
Joseph Halada	Custodian, 37 years 7 months, DHS
Eileen Hartling	Secretary, 31 years, DHS
Willie Henley	Custodian, 15 years 4 months, KSP
Carole Kaback	Nurse, 24 years, Immaculate
Frances Kane	Secretary, 25 years, BBAC
Stephanie Komertz	Ass't Teacher, 23 years, Head Start
Jean Matturro	Secretary, 30 years, CRC
Maria Mimoso	Custodian, 22 years 7 months, RPMS
Florence Modzelewski	Secretary, 17 years, BBAC
Richard Parmalee, Sr.	Custodian, 22 years 7 months, MRI
Linda Scalzo	Paraeducator, 31 years, Stadley Rough
Carol Schanze	Secretary, 24 years, DHS
Judith Schwartz	Secretary, 29 years, BBAC
Thomas Ward, Jr.	Custodian, 23 years 8 months, Hayestown
Sherry Young	Paraeducator, 37 years 4 months, Pembroke

V. EMPLOYEE REPRESENTATIVE

VI. STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES

DHS Student Representative	Brenden Melanophy	Deshante Dickens
	Sara Feigen	Nick Arconti
ACE Representatives	Terquida Bradham	Dana Almonte

VII. PRESENTATION

- A. Scientifically Research Based Instruction
- B. Reach Program Evaluation Update

VIII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- A. 2009-2010 Budget Update
- B. Stimulus/ARRA
- C. Principal Search/Department Heads/Teacher Recruitment
- D. Community Collaboration Action Plan

IX. ACTION ITEMS

X. DISCUSSIONS

XI. INFORMATION

A. Pandemic Flu Preparation	09-83
B. State Board of Education May 19 Report	09-84
C. AIS Magnet School State Audit, May 12, 2009	09-85
D. TDEC Goals	09-86
E. Grant Applications Update	09-87

XII. BOARD CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT

RE M I N D E R - Memorial Day Parade – Monday, May 25	09-88
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XIII. BOARD REPORTS, COMMUNICATIONS AND COMMENTS

Committee Reports

	<u>CHAIR</u>	<u>MEMBERS</u>
Sites and Facilities	J. Scozzafava	A. Alberts, R. Jannelli K. Molinaro R. Taborsak
Community Relations	I. Fox	E. Alberts, M. Fazio R. Jannelli, K. Molinaro
Finance	R. Jannelli	M. Fazio, I. Fox K. Molinaro, R. Taborsak
Operations/Policy	E. Alberts	G. Cooper, I. Fox K. Molinaro, R. Taborsak
Superintendent Evaluation	R. Austin	M. Fazio, J. Hodge R. Jannelli, R. Taborsak

District Committees

	<u>MEMBERS</u>	<u>ALTERNATES</u>
City-Wide PTO	K. Molinaro	
District Development	J. Hodge	E. Alberts
TDEC	E. Alberts, R. Taborsak	R. Jannelli
DSABC	R. Jannelli	
Education Connection	R. Jannelli	
Magnet School Trustees	G. Cooper, I. Fox, J. Hodge	
Oral Health Initiative	E. Alberts	
School Based Health	E. Alberts	K. Molinaro

Other Committees

City-Board Building	K. Molinaro, Secretary E. Alberts, J. Hodge
Negotiations – Administrators	R. Jannelli, K. Molinaro, R. Taborsak

Negotiations - Non Teaching
Negotiations – Teachers

G. Cooper, K. Molinaro, R. Taborsak
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Mayor's 2020 Task Force

E. Alberts, K. Molinaro – Board
William Glass, Administrative Rep
William Murray, Union Teacher
Brendan Melanophy Student
Rosty Slabicky, Community Member
Michael Calandrino, Common Council Member
Frederick Visconti, Jr. Common Council Member
Antonio Iadarola, Dir. of Public Works
Janis Reid, City-wide PTO Member

XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION

MOTION - that the Board of Education convene in Executive Session to discuss Nurses Union Contract to be ratified, Union Side Agreements, and other confidential personnel matters, with possible action in Public Session.

XV. PUBLIC SESSION

MOTION: that the Board of Education return to Public Session for possible action on Nurses Union Contract and Union Side Agreements.

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

FUTURE MEETINGS AND DATES TO REMEMBER

May 13	Community Relations Committee- 6:00 PM – Administrative Center
May 13	Bi-Monthly Board Meeting – 7:00 PM – Administrative Center
May 25	Memorial Day – SCHOOLS AND OFFICES CLOSED
May 26	Professional Development Day – ALL SCHOOLS CLOSED
May 27	Bi-Monthly Board Meeting – 7:00 PM – Administrative Center
June 4	Adult Education Graduation – 7:00 PM – White Hall, WCSU
June 9	Staff Retirement Reception – 7:00 PM – DHS – Cafeteria
June 10	Bi-Monthly Board Meeting – 7:00 PM – Administrative Center
June 16	Alternative Center Graduation – 6:30 p.m. at City Hall
June 17	Broadview Graduation – 6:00 PM – at DHS
June 18	Rogers Park Graduation – 6:30 PM – at DHS
June 19	Alternative Center Graduation – 9:30 AM @ ACE
	Danbury High School Graduation – 5:00 PM at DHS
June 24	Bi-Monthly Board Meeting – 7:00 PM – Administrative Center