



*Quincy Public Schools
August 20, 2009*

UPDATE

NEW SCHOOL YEAR ARRIVES

At last night's Board meeting, Superintendent Lemon reported on the first day back to school for students. He said this is always an exciting time each year and things went smoothly. He thanked bus drivers, cooks, custodians, paraeducators, teachers, administrators, nurses, security guards, clerical staff, technology and the maintenance department for a great start to the year. It was a very busy summer. Many staff were involved in numerous trainings and professional development. Life Safety projects and repairs were completed on time. Superintendent Lemon complimented Maintenance Director Dennis Peters and his staff for completing the Board of Education move to 1416 Maine and renovations at the Early Childhood and Family Center. An open house of the Board of Education Office will be scheduled for the public this fall.

2009-2010 TENTATIVE BUDGET

The Board approved the 2009-2010 Tentative Budget. Tentative revenue in all funds is \$69,132,822 and expenditures are \$69,516,558. This leaves a projected deficit of \$383,736. The deficit is due to late payments from the State of Illinois which will be covered through interfund loans and a line of credit, as needed. The final budget will be adopted at a special meeting to be held Friday, September 25, 7:00 a.m. at the Board of Education Building, 1416 Maine Street, Room 231.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **Workers' Compensation Reporting** –If you are injured on the job, you must complete an injury report as soon as possible. Injury reports are located in the main office of your building. After completing a report, please have your building administrator read and sign the report. Then send the report to Teresa Kemp, BOE.
- **Safety Concerns.** If you see anything in your building that may be a safety concern, please report this concern immediately to our Risk Management Department. They can be reached during the day at 228-4084 and after hours at 221-3480.

Teachers' Retirement System

A group meeting is scheduled to provide information about TRS benefits and to explain the retirement process.

Members of the retirement system who have questions about their benefits and retirement process should plan to attend the group meeting at Baldwin Intermediate School in the Round Room on **Monday, September 14, 2009 at 4:30 p.m.**

PERSONNEL APPOINTMENTS JUNE - AUGUST

New Certified Staff

Craig Bowers - Dewey Principal
 Kayla Crawford - speech/lang
 Andrea Dietrich - speech/lang
 Joel Dougherty - QHS ED
 Miranda Edgar - Ellington 3rd
 Kari Frye - Baldwin N Sp Ed
 Joyce Gronewold - psychologist
 Jayme Hagerbaumer - Baldwin N 4th
 Adam Hall - QHS Spanish
 Holly Kasparie—Baldwin S. 5th
 Robert Klingborg - QAVTC Director
 Kathryn Knapp - Baldwin S REI
 Mackenzie Kroeger - Baldwin N 6th
 Jenny Mahoney - QJHS Sp Ed
 Lori Mann—Irv Altn Sp Ed
 Lacie McClelland—Baldwin N 4th
 Timothy O’Toole - QHS Biology
 Meghan Parks - QHS English
 Tiffany Rains - Baldwin W 5th
 Michelle Scheetz - Baldwin W Sp Ed
 Shannon Stone - QJHS science
 Andrea Turner—QJHS Sp Ed
 Kristina Wallace - speech/lang
 Magan Wardlow - speech/lang
 Courtney Zimmerman—Irv Altn Math

New Classified Staff

Shanti Bowen - QJHS paraeducator
 Sharon Buss - QHS cook
 Shannon Dietrich - ECFC Fam Support
 Jessica Ewers - QHS paraeducator
 Sherri Foley - ECFC Fam Support
 Cathe Grove - Monroe paraeducator
 Linda Humeston - QJHS paraeducator
 Sarah Lansing—psychologist intern
 Laura McClelland - QHS paraeducator
 Josh Peters - night custodian Baldwin S
 Kelly Siltman - QHS paraeducator
 Jeanne Smith - Irv Alter ISS
 Leigh Mummy Stotts - QJHS Guidance secy
 Melanie Welding - Monroe paraeducator
 Elizabeth Wright—social worker intern

In other action, the Board approved:

- Fuel Bids from Petroleum Traders at an estimated cost of \$360,799.
- 2009-2010 QAVTC and Special Education Joint Agreement Budgets

REMINDER

To reach the following Board Office staff, dial **228-7158** and the ext. #



Virgene Banks-Spec Ed Secy	2233
Larissa Brady-Secretary/Receptionist	2221
Jody Cooper—Title 1/Test/Technology	2248
Christie Dickens-Asst.Supt.Adm.Serv/Persn	2255
Mickey Elliott-Rdg Recovery	2257
Robin Farkas-Acct. Pay/Travel	2262
Gail Foote-Payroll	2222
Chris Genenbacher—Food Service Asst.	2263
Jeanine Johnson- Testing	2246
Patti Kelly-Adm Asst Bus/Attn, State Rpts	2240
Teresa Kemp-Benefits Coordinator	2244
Kristin Kendrick-Director Spec. Ed.	2250
Jean Kinder-Food Service Director	2261
Lonny Lemon-Superintendent	2242
Penny Little-Adm Asst Adm Serv/Persn	2251
Ariel Prost-Spec Ed Secy/Student Records	2236
Caren Richie-Purchasing/Accounts Payable	2231
Julie Ross-QPS Foundation Ex Dir	2256
Rich Royalty-Business Manager	2226
Julie Rupert-Payroll Asst/Staff Attendance	2252
Jackie Schlipmann-Adm Asst Curriculum	2230
Phyllis Stewart-Adm Asst. Supt/Bd. Secy	2234
Trish Viniard-Asst.Supt. Curr/Instruct	2225
Chris Wiemelt-Adm Asst Spec Ed	2229



- **Richard Jones, business representative, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and union representative Spencer Smith** for the donation of \$8,049.60 for district computers.
- **Dr. Steven Krause, Board Member, and Blessing Hospital,** for the donation of three AED’s.

IFT BUS DRIVERS

Sick Leave bank

Per the new contract, IFT Bus Drivers will have the opportunity to enroll in the Sick Leave Bank. Information will be sent out in September.

Alzheimer’s Association
Memory Walk
 Thurs, Sept. 3—6 pm
 Clat Adams Park.
 More info:
www.alzillinois.org
 217-228-1111

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