

North Colonie Central School District  
Latham, New York 12110  
Regular Meeting

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING, LATHAM RIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 6 MERCER AVENUE,  
LATHAM, NEW YORK - MONDAY, APRIL 23, 2007, 7:30 P.M.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Joan Hart, President  
Theresa Joslin, Vice-President  
Ann Foster  
Linda Harrison  
Mary Nardolillo  
Mary-Ellen Raup  
Jacqueline Orr  
David Rosenthal  
Paula D'Orazio

ALSO PRESENT:

Randy A. Ehrenberg, Superintendent  
Joseph Corr, Assistant Superintendent  
Thomas J. Rybaltowski, Assistant Supt. for Business  
Steven B. Zautner, Treasurer  
Candace Lobdell, FF Principal  
Russell Moore, JHS Principal  
James Martin, LR Principal  
Dave Arnone – Supervisor of Career & Tech. Education  
Ann Manzella – District Art Supervisor  
Virginia McQuade – Pupil Services  
Deborah Keough – District Music Supervisor  
Harriet Greenberg – SHS Math Supervisor  
Keith Bogert – SHS Science Supervisor  
Robert Pollaro – SHS Social Studies Supervisor  
Kim Greiner – BH Interim Principal  
Rod Wheeler – NCTA President  
List of Others on File

The Board also met informally with interested members of the public at 7:15 p.m.

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| 1. | Syncopella, directed by Dimitri Vasilakis, performed prior to the meeting.   | <u>Syncopella</u>   |
| 2. | President Hart opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m.<br>President Hart offered a moment of silence for the recent tragedy at Virginia Tech University  | <u>Opening</u>  |
| 3. | The month of May was proclaimed as Music and Art for Youth Month. The proclamation was read by Board Member Theresa Joslin.  | Proclamation<br>Music and<br>Art<br>For Youth<br><u>Month</u>           |
| 4. | The Board of Education approved the recommendation regarding Students with Disabilities for 2006-2007 as recommended by the District Committee on Special Education <b>and</b> recommendations regarding Children with Disabilities for 2006-2007 as recommended by the District Committee on Preschool Special Education. | CSE & CPSE<br>Recommen-<br>dations<br><u>Approved</u>                   |
|    | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Recommendation approved unanimously                                     |
| 5. | The Board of Education approved the contracts with the Town of Colonie for Summer Enrichment Program and Summer Recreation Program, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.   | TOC Summer<br>Enrichment<br>& Recreation<br>Programs<br><u>Approved</u> |
|    | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Recommendation approved unanimously                                     |

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| 6.  | The Board of Education approved the recommendation to appoint election workers for the May 15, 2007 Annual Election of Board Members and Budget Vote, as recommended by the Budget Committee.  | Election<br>Workers<br><u>Approved</u>  |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Recommendation approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 7.  | The Board of Education approved the proposed annual BOCES Administrative Budget Vote, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.   | BOCES<br>Admin.<br>Budget<br><u>Approved</u>                                  |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Recommendation approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 8.  | Nardolillo offered a motion, seconded by Raup to approve the Superintendent's attendance at the New York State Association for Women in Administration Conference in Albany, New York on April 29 and 30, 2007, as recommended by the Employee Relations Committee.  | Conference<br>Attendance<br><u>Approved</u>                                   |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Motion approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 9.  | The Board of Education approved the continuation of the existing ice hockey team with South Colonie Central School District, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.  | Ice Hockey<br>Merger<br><u>Approved</u>                                       |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Recommendation approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 10. | The Board of Education approved the amended contract with SUNY Albany for Special Education Teacher Interns for the 2006-2007 school year, as recommended by the Director of Pupil Services.   | SUNY<br>Albany<br>Special<br>Education<br>Interns<br><u>Approved</u>          |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Recommendation approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 11. | Foster offered a motion, seconded by Harrison to approve the HIPPA Agreement for GASB 45 Actuarial Services, as recommended by the Assistant Superintendent for Business   | HIPPA<br>Agreement<br>for GASB 45<br>Actuarial<br>Services<br><u>Approved</u> |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Motion approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes. . . 9<br/>Nayes. . 0<br/>Absent . .0</p>  |   |
| 12. | Harrison offered a motion, seconded by Raup to approve the resolution that urges the Board of Regents to adopt a pre-equating test development model which will permit students to receive results of their Algebra 1 Regents exam in June and not August, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools | Algebra 1<br>Regents<br>Exam<br>Resolution<br><u>Approved</u>                 |
|     | <p style="text-align: right;">Motion approved unanimously</p> <p>Ayes . . . 9<br/>Nayes . . 0<br/>Absent. . 0</p>  |   |
| 13. | Mary-Ellen Raup, Policy Committee Meeting Chair reported that the Policy Committee will meet this evening April 23, following the Regular Meeting.   | Policy<br><u>Committee</u>  |

14. Paula D’Orazio, Long Range Planning Committee Co-Chair reported a public hearing to discuss the possible annexation of the Maplewood-Colonie Common School District by the North Colonie Central School District will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1 in the Shaker High School Counseling Center. Long Range  
Planning  
Committee  
Meeting
15. The Superintendent reported that the enrollment for the sixth Attendance Period was down 29 students from September 2006.
16. The Board of Education approved the Personnel Actions noted as V. 1-22 as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools. Personnel  
Approved
- A. PERSONNEL ACTIONS - All items approved by the Superintendent
1. RESIGNATIONS – CERTIFICATED
  2. RESIGNATIONS – CLASSIFIED
    - a. Ashline, Marilyn – SHS Food Service Helper – resignation effective 3/22/07.
    - b. Hanrahan, Yasmine – BC Food Server – resignation effective 2/26/07.
    - c. Kartsounas, John – Cleaner – termination effective 3/26/07.
  3. OTHER
    - a. Yule, Kathleen – LR Keyboard Specialist – transfer from SG to LR, effective 4/16/07.
    - b. Fitzsimmons, Mary – SHS Science – rescinds retirement as of 3/29/07 (See attached correspondence dated 3/29/07.)
    - c. Excluded Employees salary “catch-up” adjustment.
    - d. Carelli, Rosemarie – JHS Teacher Aide – correction to resignation date from 2/26/07 to 3/21/07.
    - e. VanBramer, Teresa – Teacher Aide – transferred from SHS to LR effective 4/18/07.
    - f. Yodis, Mary – BH Special Education – unpaid administrative internship effective 5/1/07 – 6/30/08.
    - g. Worth, Amanda – correction from classified appointment to hourly appointment, LV Teacher Aide, effective 3/13/07, \$11.87 per hour.
    - h. Minderman, Lynn – SG Gr. 4 – correction from resignation to retirement effective 7/1/07 after 3.8 years of service.
  4. APPOINTMENTS – CERTIFICATED
    - a. Donati, Marsha – SHS Math – Probationary and conditional appointment effective 9/1/07 – 8/31/10. Step MA-5.
    - b. Farrigan, Angela – SHS/SJHS – Physical Education – Probationary and conditional appointment effective 9/1/07 – 8/31/10. Step BA-3.
    - c. McDonald, Thomas – SHS Math – Probationary appointment effective 9/1/07 – 8/31/09. Step MA-15.
    - d. Newell, Karen – CPSE and CSE Chairperson – appointment effective 7/1/07. Step MA-16.
    - e. Rispole, Joseph – SHS English – Probationary appointment effective 1/29/07 – 1/28/09. Step MA-15.
    - f. Sheeler, Gregory – SHS Physical Education – Probationary and conditional appointment effective 9/1/07 – 8/31/10. Step MA-5.
  5. CERIFICATED – HOURLY, PART-TIME AND/OR SUBSTITUTES (NOT CONTRACTUAL – AT WILL EMPLOYEES)
    1. Kvam, Kristen – SHS English Substitute Teacher – effective 4/16/07 – 6/30/07 @ \$81 for first 10 days, \$150 for subsequent days.
    2. Rixman, Michael – Tutor - After school tutor @ \$25 per hour.
    3. Jackson, Carrie – SHS/SJHS Music – Producer for SHS spring musical stipend of \$844.

4. Scarchilli, Kathleen – Substitute Teacher FF Library – effective 2/6/07 – 2/16/07 @ \$150 per day.
  
6. APPOINTMENTS – CLASSIFIED (All positions are contingent upon formal approval from Albany County Civil Service)
  - a. Meddleton, Jeanne – SG Keyboard Specialist – provisional appointment, emergency conditional appointment effective 4/23/07, Step 2.
  - b. Boyea, Daniel – temporary Auto Mechanic – probationary appointment, emergency conditional appointment effective 4/09/07 through approximately 4/08, Step 2.
  - c. Dunning, Katrina – SHS Teacher Aide – probationary appointment, emergency conditional appointment effective 4/18/07. Step 1, \$11.87.
  
7. CLASSIFIED – HOURLY, PART-TIME AND/OR SUBSTITUTES (NOT CONTRACTUAL – AT WILL EMPLOYEES).
  - a. August, Jeanette – Various Buildings Teacher Aide –appointment, emergency conditional appointment effective 3/21/07, \$11.87 per hour.
  - b. Dahl, Mary – Various Buildings Teacher Aide –appointment, emergency conditional appointment effective 3/26/07, \$11.87 per hour.
  - c. Therrien, Gary – substitute Motor Vehicle Operator –appointment, effective 10/16/06, \$14.13 per hour.
  - d. Manley, Andrew – substitute Motor Vehicle Operator –appointment, effective 1/22/07, \$14.13 per hour.
  - e. Barno, Jason – Cleaner I –appointment, effective 2/26/07, \$9.43 per hour.
  - f. Katz, Mike – Groundsman I – appointment, effective 12/18/06 - 6/30/07, \$9.43 per hour.
  - g. Peate, Shane – Groundsman I – appointment, effective 12/18/06 – 6/30/07, \$9.43 per hour.
  - h. Wing, Jonathan – Groundsman I – appointment effective 12/18/06 – 6/30/07, \$9.43 per hour.
  - i. Terpening, Richard – substitute Motor Vehicle Operator – appointment effective 12/17/06 – 6/30/07, \$14.13 per hour.
  - j. Shaughnessy, Robert – Custodial worker – appointment effective 2/26/07, Step 3, \$12.50 per hour.
  
8. EMERGENCY CONDITIONAL REAPPOINTMENTS – CERTIFICATED
  - a. Angione, Christine – Substitute Counselor - emergency conditional reappointment 5/9/07.
  - b. Arnone, Sandra – Summer School Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment 5/9/07.
  - c. Brown, Patty – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment 5/9/07.
  - d. Connolly, Michele – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional appointment effective 5/1/07.
  - e. Corelli, Justin – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/16/07.
  - f. Foglia, Nicholas – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional appointment effective 2/2/07, emergency conditional reappointment 3/8/07, emergency conditional reappointment 4/5/07, emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - g. Gupta, Puja – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional appointment effective 3/20/07, emergency conditional reappointment 4/25/07.
  - h. Hudak, Stephen – Coach – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/16/07.
  - i. King, Richard – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/18/07.

- j. Lacey, Karen – COTA –emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/11/07.
  - k. Leto, Robert – Coach – emergency conditional appointment effective 3/5/07, emergency conditional reappointment 3/30/07, emergency conditional reappointment 5/4/07.
  - l. McCane, Lynn - Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/3/07.
  - m. Ouimet, Vickie – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/10/07.
  - n. Prouty, Karin - Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/10/07.
  - o. Reilly, Lindsey – Tutor - emergency conditional appointment effective 5/10/07.
  - p. Stardo, Chad – Coach – emergency conditional appointment effective 3/5/07, emergency conditional reappointment 3/30/07, emergency conditional reappointment 5/4/07.
  - q. Sulz, Gregory – Substitute Teacher – emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/2/07.
  - r. Valitutto, Diana – Behavior Consultant – emergency conditional appointment effective 2/27/07, emergency conditional reappointment effective 3/27/07, emergency conditional reappointment effective 5/1/07.
9. EMERGENCY CONDITIONAL REAPPOINTMENTS – CLASSIFIED
- a. Allen, David – part time Custodian – emergency conditional reappointment 5/11/07.
  - b. Crandall, Jennie – GO Clerk Typist I – emergency conditional reappointment 5/11/07.
  - c. Amsden, Virginia – substitute nurse – emergency conditional reappointment 5/11/07.
  - d. Wichelns, Rachel – JHS A.M. Supervision – emergency conditional reappointment 4/27/07.
  - e. Austin, Melissa – part-time noon-aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/17/07.
  - f. Boldish, Kara – part-time teacher aide – emergency conditional reappointment 4/24/07.
  - g. Burke, Erin T. – part-time cleaner – emergency conditional reappointment 4/27/07.
  - h. Carpentier, Phyllis – part-time noon-aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - i. Daigneault, Marie – hall monitor/noon aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - j. DiStefano, Renee, M. – Teacher Aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/2/07.
  - k. Galinski, Barbara – part-time food service – emergency conditional reappointment 4/27/07.
  - l. Gatus, Sandra – part-time food service – emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - m. Herold, Thomas – part-time custodian – emergency conditional reappointment 5/8/07.
  - n. Jones, Amy – part-time noon aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - o. Lamp, Jessica – Teacher Aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/10/07.
  - p. McManus, James – Custodian – emergency conditional reappointment 4/25/07.
  - q. Oakley, Mary A. – Teacher Aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/16/07.

- r. Senick, Joan – part-time Food Service – emergency conditional reappointment 5/17/07
  - s. St. Louis, Gerald – Motor Vehicle Operator – emergency conditional reappointment 5/14/07.
  - t. Thompson, Megan – Teacher Aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/11/07.
  - u. VanBramer, part-time Teacher Aide – emergency conditional reappointment 5/11/07.
10. GRADUATE CREDITS – Schedule #11
  11. Tenure Appointments: Daniel Chouiniere, Saskia Dolan, Laura Hurteau, Jean Tremont, Karen Wells.
  12. Chaperones, Spring Athletic Season – (See D. Herman 4/12/07 memo)
  13. Payment for Additional Training Dates for Infinite Campus – (See J. Corr 4/2/07 memo)
  14. JHS Musical Appointment Stipends – (See R. Moore 4/9/07 email)
  15. Updated Substitute Teacher List - (See S. Newton 4/2/07 memo)
  16. Parent Advocates for Committee on Special Education – (See S. Lucier 3/27/07 memo)
  17. Field Monitor Spring/Summer 2007 – (See D. Herman 4/16/07 memo)
  18. Approval of District Summer Programs – (See S. Lucier 4/18/07 memo)
  19. Summer School Teachers 2007-08 - (See D. Arnone 4/2/07 memo)
  20. Payment to Galina Kats and Gary Cimorelli Curriculum Work - (see J. Corr 3/12/07 memo)
  21. Appointment for Curriculum Work - Annette Trapini, Candace Lobdell and Rebecca Coffey – (See J. Corr 4/3/07 memos.)
  22. Approval of District Driver Education Program – (See D. Arnone 4/18/07 memo)

Ayes . . . 9  
 Nays . . 0  
 Absent. . 0

Recommendation approved unanimously

17. RECOGNITIONS

- a. North Colonie School District Automotive Mechanics – recognized by Director of Transportation for their 96.48% passing rate year tally. The NYS Department of Transportation considers this to be an excellent “A” rating.
- b. Kim Kelly – LO Teacher Aide – recognized by the LO Principal for her exemplary work with students receiving special education services at Loudonville School.
- c. Deanna Levchencko, Chelsea Nigro, Grace Rhee, Cherilyn Rokjer, Katherine Thomas – SHS Juniors, Eden Alaxanian, Elizabeth Hennessy, Roten Rusak, Emily Scampini, Rose Silberman-Gorn – SHS Sophomores, Elizabeth Ahearn, Madeline Bette, Anastasia Garceau, Tami Hartshorn, Zhoakun Ma, Amanda Phillips, Quinyan Tang – SHS Freshmen – recognized by the District Foreign Language Supervisor for being awarded a gold medal for their essay in the 25<sup>th</sup> National Russian Essay Contest. The students are taught by Anna

- Shkaf and Sara Detmer –SHS Russian.
- d. Ann Foster – Board of Education, Melodie Marco – Director of Food Services, BH Food Service Personnel, Mark Wiegert – BH Custodian, BH Custodial Staff, Lori Wallace – BH Library, Jennifer Selke – BH Computer Aide, Jeanette Shippey – BH Music, Laura Breen – BH/LO Art - recognized by BH Principal for Ann coordinating the Learning Enrichment Day at Boght Hills, Melodie and the Food Services Personnel for providing many multicultural lunch entrees, Mark and the custodial staff for their efforts before, during and after each performance and Lori, Jennifer, Jeanette and Laura for their cross-curricular connections.
  - e. Thomas Rybaltowski – Assistant Superintendent for Business – recognized by Mark Besson, Stacey Birdsall and David Eagle for sharing his knowledge and expertise in the area of Fiduciary Responsibilities with members of the Superintendent’s Development Program.
  - f. Brian Austin – SJHS Music, Dan Chouiniere, SJHS Music, Dianne Hobden – SJHS Library, Brenda Roberts – District Parent, Peter Suzuki – SJHS Music, Dimitri Vasilakis – SJHS Music, Camille Wing – LR Music – recognized by the District Music Supervisor for their incredible work on the wonderful performance of “High School Musical”.
  - g. Cindy Simonsen – District Parent – recognized by the District Music Supervisor for her donation of an acoustic guitar.
  - h. Gregg Steinhafel – President Target Stores – recognized by the BH Principal for a check in the amount of \$228.84 from the Take Charge of Education Program.
  - i. D. Joseph Corr – Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction – recognized by the SHS Social Studies Supervisor for his leadership and support offered to the African American Culture and History Club and his experience and assistance in the production of *Back to the Roots*.
  - j. Benita Zahn – News Anchor, WNYT – recognized by the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction for the wonderful keynote address to kick off the March 2007 Staff Development Wellness Workshop Day.
  - k. Mary Beth Aldous – SG Art, Mikeal Basile – SHS English, Dr. Holly Cleney – Latham Medical Karen DeSorbo – SHS FACS, John Doolittle – S HS Art, Deborah Dopp – LO Nurse, Mary Jo Eldredge – SHS Business, Chad Finck – SHS Business, Kerry Flynn – LO Principal, Christina Froehlich – SJHS English, Marbry Gansle – SHS Physical Education, Beth Geragosian – SG Reading, Julia Gold – SHS Special Education, Kimberly Greiner – BH Interim Principal, Kristi Guetti – SHS Physical Education, Karen Hamm – Community Hospice, Jennifer Hand – LO Gr. 4, Carol Hanrahan – BH Physical Education, Deborah Hendrin - SPARC, Meri Herold – LR Library, Sharon Hodges – BH Nurse, Marilyn Ingram – Continuing Education Instructor, Debby Jaffe – SJHS Science, Leslie Kassel – SHS Physical Education, Norine Kelsey – St. Peter’s Cardiac Rehabilitation , Jessica Kuby – SJHS Math, Lynn Marie Marohn – SHS Art, Liano Martino – SHS Social Studies, Laurie Mayo – SHS Nurse, Kim Medici – BC Nurse, Heidi Meidenbauer – SHS Math, Lisa Morgan – SHS Spanish, Alexis Musto – Community Care Physicians, Greg Reilly – SHS Art, Renata Relyea – FF Gr. 4, Greg Sabine – SHS Science, Ellen Sadowski – Continuing Education Instructor, John Slyer – SJHS Science, Janis Spilker – Continuing Education Instructor, Leo Taggart – SHS Special Education, Traci Schanz – SJHS Teacher Aide, Rachel Toth – SHS Science, Maya Trawinski – BC/SG Art, Nicole Unser – SG Nurse, Sara Vandercar – SJHS Physical Education, Rodney Wheeler – SJHS Technology, Mary Yodis – BH Special Education, Nancy Zandri – LR Nurse – recognized by the Assistant Superintendent for their excellent contributions as a presenter at the March Wellness Workshop.
  - l. Kathy Thompson – BC Gr. 4, Eileen Satterlee –BC Counselor – recognized by the Executive Director of NYS Martin Luther King, Jr. Observance for Blue Creek Elementary School’s PeaceABLE School Program to receive a special Certificate of Recognition from the New York State Governor’s Office for its outstanding and tireless work to establish peace and heal conflicts in schools and communities throughout the Empire State.
  - m. Katherine McLean – BH Gr. 5 - recognized by BH Interim Principal for being selected as a runner-up in the Town of Colonie library limerick contest.
  - n. Carrie Jackson – SHS/SJHS Music, Peter Suzuki – SHS Music, Ned Fleischer – SHS Music – recognized by the District Music Supervisor for their incredible work on the wonderful performance of “Fame.”
  - o. Beth Geragosian – SG Reading, Ruth Rankin – SG Gr. 6, Sheri O’Connor – FF Gr. 2,

Gretchen Mahan – FF K, Amanda Rowlands – FF Gr. 5, Patty Womer – FF Gr. 4, Fran LoGiudice – BC Gr. 1, Jennifer Fletcher - BC Gr. 5, Jennifer Sexton – LR Gr. 2, Jean Hecker – LR Reading, Shannon Toomey – BH Reading, Erica Compton – BH Gr. 4, Amy Komaromi – LO Reading, Jennifer Hand – LO Gr. 4 – recognized by the SG Principal and the FF Principal for their work as reading turnkey trainers to prepare and organize the professional development session for all elementary classroom teachers, LRA teachers, teacher assistants and reading specialists.

- p. Christopher Perry- Coon, Osman Shawkat – SHS Seniors – recognized by the SHS Principal for being selected as winners of a National Achievement Scholarship award.
- q. Denise Bessey – SHS FACS, Florence Gunn – Summer School Teacher, Patricia Linen – Summer School Teacher, Karen Marsh – BC Special Education, Kathy Thompson – BC Gr. 3 – recognized by the PreK-4 Summer Program Administrator for their fine presentations made at the parent information meetings for the PreK-4 summer Reading and Writing Program.
- r. Marianne Chalian – recognized by the District Music Supervisor for her donation of a LeBlanc clarinet and a Rogers drum set.
- s. Jonathan Picard – Marketing Specialist, Hannaford Bros. Co. – recognized by the BH Interim Principal for a check in the amount of \$363 from the Hannaford Helps Schools Program.
- t. Lisa Morgan – SHS Spanish, Aimee Gauthier – SHS Spanish, Karen Fribourg – SHS ESL – recognized by the District Foreign Language Supervisor for planning and organizing the outstanding program for the International Festival.
- u. Skylar Luu – BH Gr. 4, Kyle Seniw - BH Gr. 4 – recognized by the BH Interim Principal for having their artwork selected to be on display in the New York State Legislative Office Building.
- v. Jane Dawson – SJHS Secretary – recognized by the SJHS Principal for her donation of a violin.
- w. Matt Bogdan – SHS Senior – recognized by the Director of Physical Education and Athletics for being the Suburban Council C-Champion in the 1600 meter run.
- x. Arielle Roberts, Jenn Risler, Seri Gordon – SHS Seniors, Diana Hummel – SHS Junior – recognized by the Director of Physical Education and Athletics for being the Section 2 champions of the 800 relay team.
- y. Nick Messoro – SHS Senior – recognized by the Director of Physical Education and Athletics for winning the Section 2 Championships in the one meter diving event.
- z. Roxanne Lawrence – BC/FF/LR Special Education, Lisa Vergoni – BH/FF ESL, Karen Wells – SHS Math – recognized by the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction for their excellent work on behalf of the Globalization Task Force.
- aa. Randy A. Ehrenberg – Superintendent – recognized by Deborah C. Decker, New York State Association for Women in Administration (NYSAWA), for being selected to receive the Pathfinder Award for her significant contributions and support of the advancement of women in educational leadership.  
Mary Nardolillo recognized Superintendent Ehrenberg for her work as Superintendent in advancement of women in educational leadership.
- bb. Shaker High School and Shaker Junior High School Foreign Language Departments – recognized by the District Foreign Language Supervisor for working collaboratively to make the Foreign Language Month celebration a success.

18. The Board of Education reviewed Treasurer’s Report February 2007, Extraclassroom Activity Reports, February 2007, Report on Investments March, 2007, Quarterly Financial Statements, March 2007, and Food Service Profit and Loss, March 2007. Business Office Reports

19. The Board of Education approved Bills and Payroll as recommended by the Superintendent for Business. Bills & Payroll Approved

Ayes . . . 9  
Nayes . . 0  
Absent. . 0

Recommendation approved unanimously

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| 20. | The Board of Education approved the recommendation to approve the Award of Bids for Herbicide Applications and Capital Project Construction Bids as recommended by the Assistant Superintendent for Business and outlined in S. Zautner's , April 5 and April 17 memos.                        | Award of Bids for Herbicide Applications And Capital Project Construction <u>Approved</u> |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Recommendation approved unanimously   |
| 21. | Raup offered a motion, seconded by Joslin to approve the recommendation to reimburse Nancy Greco, Blue Creek Teacher Aide for glasses broken while performing job duties, as recommended by the Assistant Superintendent for Business  | Reimburse-ment for broken eyeglasses <u>Approved</u>                                      |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Motion approved unanimously   |
| 22. | The Board of Education approved the two-year contract for term life insurance coverage for contracted district employees effective June 1, 2007, as recommended by the Assistant Superintendent for Business   | Term-Life Insurance Contract <u>Approved</u>  |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Recommendation approved unanimously   |
| 23. | The Board of Education approved the renewal of the Driver Education Contract with Bell's Driving School, July 1, 2007 – June 30, 2008 as recommended by the Assistant Superintendent for Business.   | Driver Education Contract <u>Approved</u>   |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Recommendation approved unanimously   |
| 24. | D'Orazio offered a motion, seconded by Harrison to approve Regular Meeting Minutes, March 26, 2007 and Joint Session Meeting Minutes of North Colonie Central School District and Maplewood-Colonie Commons School District of April 4, 2007, as recommended by the Superintendent of Schools. | March 26, Special Meeting April 4 Meeting Minutes <u>Approved</u>                         |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Motion approved unanimously   |
| 25. | Nardolillo offered a motion, seconded by Orr to adjourn to an Open Session of the Policy Committee.  | Adjourn to Policy <u>Committee</u>  |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Motion approved unanimously   |
| 25. | Nardolillo offered a motion, seconded by Raup to return to Regular Session and adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.   | <u>Adjournment</u>  |
|     | Ayes . . . 9<br>Nayes . . 0<br>Absent. . 0   | Motion approved unanimously   |