

Oak Park and River Forest High School, District 200
Board Briefs
Thursday, February 22, 2018

Board Actions

Approval of the following items:

- Consent Items
 - Check Disbursements and Financial Resolutions dated February 22, 2018
 - Monthly Treasurer's Report
 - Monthly Financials
 - Gifts and Donations
 - NIIPC Bids and Rollovers
 - Athletico Trainers Services Agreement
 - CDW Network Equipment Purchase E-Rate 470 Bid
 - Policies for Second Reading
 1. Policy 4:15, Identity Protection
 2. Policy 4:110, Transportation
 3. Policy 5:90, Abused and Neglected Child Reporting
 4. Policy 5:200, Terms and Conditions of Employment and Dismissal
 - Personnel Recommendations, including New Hires, Lateral Hires, Retirements, Resignation, and Leave of Absence
- District, Instructional Material and Technology Fees for the 2018-2019 school year
- Policy 4:170, Safety, will be reviewed again at the Committee of the Whole meeting

**Reports/
Announcements**

Greg Johnson announced the following 1) on February 21, several hundred students participated in a walkout as part of a growing national and student-led effort to end gun violence. Administrators and security staff accompanied them as they walked around the block to be sure everyone was safe; the police blocked traffic. The students were orderly and peaceful. They were out of the building for about a half hour and proceeded to class when they returned; 2) 11 students are finalists for National Merit Scholarships; 3) Students selected by faculty as Students of the Quarter for second quarter were Cheyenna Thomas(Math), Isaiah Fuller (Athletics), Peter Bade (Driver Education), Cori Robinson (Science and Technology), Brittany Owens (English), Romi Gonzalez (World Languages), Christopher Rice (Art), Charlie Reichart-Powell (Music), Malik Donaly (History), Malike Finley (Physical Education), and Brandon Scott (Support Services); 4) Sam Theis won the Shakespeare Monologue Competition and will go on to represent OPRF in the regional competition; 5) Forty-five OPRF students competed at the Model UN conference at the Palmer House Hilton against teams from across the nation and even a few international teams. Scott Smith and Ryan Jansen won awards for outstanding delegates; 6) Speech Team captured the third place TEAM award at the IHSA Regional Competition. Ellie Bourgikos was regional champion in Impromptu Speaking. At sectionals, Parthenia Gharavi placed second in extemporaneous speaking and qualified for the state competition; 7) 21 students were selected to represent OPRF at the Illinois Music Educators Association All State Conference; 8) 11 students were winners in the state composition contest; 9) first place awards went to Noah Sherman for jazz improvisation composition and jazz drumset, and to Gabriel Schonman for Jazz Vocal Tenor; 10) For the first time in OPRF history, all 14 Huskie wrestlers advanced from regionals to sectionals, and nine went on to qualify for the state tournament. Jake Rundell won the state championship and along with Eddie Bolivar and Joe Chapman also won All State honors. With the individual portion of the season over, the team won its sectional match and earned a spot in the Elite Eight at the IHSA Dual State Tournament; 11) Girls' gymnastics took third place in the conference for the season, while varsity took third in the conference finals and junior varsity took second. Coach Chris Wright was voted by her peers as conference coach of the year; 12) Cheerleading had its most successful competition season ever. Junior varsity (JV) placed second and third at both cheer invitationals and qualified for state, where it placed fourth. JV is also this year's conference champions. Varsity placed first and third at both invitationals and qualified for state, placing sixth; and 13) NEW Varsity boys' basketball won the conference title for the

second year in a row. The players are Isaiah Fuller, Dashon Enoch, Charlie Hoehne, Anthony Roberts, Malachi Ross, Chase Robinson, Phil Saleh, Sidney Allgood, Sheldon Allgood, Martinez Lenyoun, Abram Ross, Trey Royal, Dan Francis and Ben Pierce.

The status of FOIA requests and a Student Council Liaison report were provided to the Board of Education. An update on IGOV was also provided.

Personnel Report

New Hires	Jameel Carter , Interim - Safety & Support Officer,.30 F.T.E., effective 02/26/2018
Lateral Hires	Joshua Baer , Custodian – 1st Shift, effective 02/23/2018 Michael Goodman , Safety & Support Officer - .30 F.T.E., effective 02/26/2018 Coletta Price-Pigram , Driver – Food & Nutrition, effective 02/23/2018
Retirements	Teresa Conrick , Special Education, effective 06/30/2023
Resignation	Armando Barajas , Paraprofessional – CPA, effective 03/02/2018
Termination	Renee Scott Paraprofessional, CPA, effective 02/09/2018
Leave of Absence	Jessica Stovall , English Teacher, effective 07/01/2018 – 06/30/2019

**The next regular Board of Education Meeting will be
Thursday, March 22, 2018
6:30 p.m. closed session & 7:30 p.m. open session
Board Room**