

EAST ALLEN COUNTY SCHOOLS



BOARD HAPPENINGS

August 4 and 18, 2009

AUGUST 18TH BOARD MEETING

- **Jo Ann Roscoe**, Director of Accountability, provided an overview of local assessments used throughout the District, with special emphasis placed on assessments presently collected at the District level. She fielded questions from the Board.
- Meet and Confer proposals for Food Service Employees, Nurses, Paraprofessionals and Secretaries were discussed and approved.
- EACS' commitment to a New Tech High School was discussed and the program will be studied to determine whether implementation in 2011 is feasible.

AUGUST 4TH WORK SESSION

- The following topics were openly discussed at the Work Session:
 - √ NUA Agreement
 - √ Title I Preschool
 - √ ESL Course Fees
 - √ School Bus Bids
 - √ EACS Commitment to a New Tech High School (tabled)
- In addition to the approval of routine agenda items – the Human Resources Report, the Financial Report, and Meetings and Conferences—the following were approved:
 - √ Approval of application and Receipt of the following Grants: ARRA Title I, ARRA IDEA Part B, and Non-English Speaking Program
 - √ Approval of Administrative Policy updates 4121 and 4214
 - √ Authorization to advertise 2010 Budget, Capital Projects Plan and the Bus Replacement Plan
 - √ Approval to use modular at VIEL for Adult ESL Program (cooperative venture with FWCS)

RECOGNITIONS



Special Services Supervisor **Jenny Snyder**, **Woodlan High School** students **Sheena Tracy** and **Cheyenne Hale**, and **Ocleva Williams**, the Outreach Care Coordinator for the Neighborhood Action Center, were recognized for their parts in helping to represent the city of Fort Wayne in the 60th Annual All-America City Competition in which Fort Wayne brought home its third AAC award. The city will now be named to the AAC Hall of Fame.

Sheena and **Cheyenne** were selected to represent the **Woodlan High School** Thinking Errors class because they have continued to make positive changes in their lives including their school performance. Awesome!



Superintendent's Visits

- All Schools were visited!

PERSONNEL

~Welcome New Teachers~

- Celeste Anthony, NHHS
- Ryan Gerig, HEHS
- Ashley Haydock, PHHS
- Hilary Hontz, PHHS
- Lisa Jacobs, PHHS
- Kristin Kramer, HOEL/MOEL
- James Minnick, Para, HIEL
- Tommy Oliver, PHHS
- Mark Reitzel, PHHS
- Jeff Wedding, LEHS
- Scott Welch, LEHS

~ Administrative Assignment ~

- Chad Houser, former LEHS Dean of Students is now Assistant Principal at WOHS

~ Retirements ~

- Mary Froshaug, Teacher, NHHS
- Bonnie Hellinger, Teacher, NHHS
- Nancy Peterson, Food Service, NHHS

~ Resignations ~

- Jennifer Beery, Food Service, HOEL
- Rhett Butler, Principal, MOEL
- Randall Hunt, Teacher, PHHS
- Rebecca Kline, Teacher, HIEL
- Rachel Naylor, Teacher, HOEL/MOEL