#### **BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

#### **AUDUBON HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER**

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 2014

7:30 P.M.

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call meeting to order.
- 2. Sunshine Law Statement by presiding officer.

"In accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Law, the Audubon Board of Education transmitted notice of this meeting, scheduled at 7:30 p.m., in the Audubon High Media Center, to the *Courier Post* and *Retrospect* newspapers, filed with the Borough Clerk and posted copies on the Chestnut Street and Pine Street entrances to the high school."

- 3. Salute to the Flag.
- 4. Motion to approve the following minutes:

May 21, 2014

All motions are voted on by all members unless otherwise marked with an +.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

## THE AUDUBON RENAISSANCE PROGRAM RECOGNIZES THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS AS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR MAY Doc. A

Senior Class (14) Junior Class (15) Sophomore Class (16)

Julie JohnsonJessica ChambersKatie DunnAustin BeersChristopher DoyleAndrew Marshall

Freshman Class (17) Grade 8 (18) Grade 7 (19)

Hailey Smith Casey Gilfillan Jacqueline Stocklin

Christian Singh Kent Draves Dylan Trow

# THE AUDUBON RENAISSANCE PROGRAM RECOGNIZES THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS AS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR JUNE Doc. B

Senior Class (14) Junior Class (15) Sophomore Class (16)

Alexis Venere Elizabeth Finnerty Victoria Farmer

Robert Mecca Daniel Lloret William DiLolle

Freshman Class (17) Grade 8 (18) Grade 7 (19)

Susan Macrina Heather LaFrance Morgan Sweeten Joseph Zuccarelli Thomas Monteferrante Ethan Trieu

# THE AUDUBON BOARD OF EDUCATION RECOGNIZES ADAM CRAMER FOR THE HONOR OF BEING NAMED THE SOUTH JERSEY TRACK COACHES ASSOCIATION'S GIRLS TRACK & FIELD COACH OF THE YEAR

**ANNUAL MANDATED ANNOUNCEMENTS: Robert Lee** 

#### RECOGNITION OF THE FOLLOWING STAFF MEMBER UPON HER RETIREMENT

ELEANOR SILVESTRI 1980-2014

**REPORT:** Student Council Representative: Annie Busarello (Alternate: Katie Grimm)

#### FINANCE:

- 1. Board Secretary's Report in accordance with 18A: 17-36 and 18A: 17-9 for the month of April 2014 and May 2014. The Board Secretary certifies that no line item account has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A: 23A 16.10 (c) 3 and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.
- 2. Treasurer's Report in accordance with 18A:17-36 and 18A:17-9 for the month of April 2014 and May 2014. The Treasurer's Report and Secretary's report are in agreement for the month of April 2014 and May 2014.
- 3. Board Secretary in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6A:23A 16.10 (c) 2 certifies that there are no changes in anticipated revenue amounts or revenue sources.
- 4. Board of Education Certification pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A 16.10 (c) 4 We certify that after review of the secretary's monthly financial report (appropriations section) and upon consultation with the appropriate district officials, that to the best of our knowledge no major accounts or fund has been over expended in violation of N.J.A.C. 6A:23A 16.10 (b) and that sufficient funds are available to meet the district's financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year.
- 5. Motion to approve the following ESEA Grant 2014-2015 allocations:

Title I A: \$172,762.00 Title II: \$ 46,337.00 Title III: \$ 3,068.00

Transfer of \$6135,43 from Title II A to Title I A

- 6. Motion to approve joining the School Alliance Insurance Fund effective July 1, 2014 through July 1, 2017.
- 7. Motion to approve the School Alliance Insurance Fund Indemnity and Trust Agreement effective June 25, 2014.
- 8. Motion to approve, through the School Alliance Insurance Fund, a Risk Management Consultant Hardenbergh Insurance Group, to perform various professional services to the district.
- 9. Motion to approve the submission of the FY 2015 IDEA Grant as follows: Basic: \$363,592.00

Preschool: \$ 11,628.00

- 10. Motion to approve year end transfers.
- 11. Motion to approve Technology Purchase (access switches and points) from Aspire Technology Partners under State Contract #WSCA#A83083 in the amount of \$48,995.84.

#### PERSONNEL: (All motions are upon Superintendent's recommendation:)

1. Motion to approve following requests to attend workshops/conferences for the 2014-2015 school year as follows:

School	Cost	Staff Member	Date of Conference	Name of Conference
HS	\$850.00	Luke Collazzo	August 4, 2014 – August 7, 2014	AP Course – US History
HS	\$250.00	David Niglio	July 21, 2014	Chromebooks and
				Common Core

- 2. Motion to approve Walt Wagner, current home instruction tutor, and Gail Gainer, current substitute teacher, to serve as proctors for the 2014-2015 SATs at the non-instructional rate of \$25.00 per hour for up to 30 hours per proctor.
- 3. Motion to approve Elizabeth Scotto, currently serving as SAC in the district provided through Genesis Counseling Centers, as part time Student Assistance Counselor at the high school at a salary of \$30,500.00, hours not to exceed 29.5 per week, not to include benefits, effective September 1, 2014 through June 2015.
- 4. Motion to approve the following mentors for the 2014-2015 school year. Novice teachers will compensate mentors as per state regulations and AEA contract:

Teacher School/Subject		Mentor	Date
Elaine West	Spanish	Ashley McGuire/Teresa D'Aprile	9/1/14-6/30/15
Jillian Hixon Math		Ron Latham	9/1/14-6/30/15
Michelle Delaney	Math	Bill Scully	9/1/14-6/30/15
Marie Bonvetti	Guidance	Wendy VanFossen	9/1/14-6/30/15
	Counselor		

5. Motion to approve the following staff members to attend the August 14, 2014 session with math consultant, Dr. Eric Milou, on Math Interventions at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour for up to 2 hours for a total of \$50.00 per staff member:

Alycia Colucci	Bernadette Brogna	Christine Batra	Katie Hueber
Kelly McShane	Nicole Racite	Teresa Gornowski	Claudia Kirby
Kate Lin	Maddy Meehan	Lori Miller	Ron Latham
Ginny Tappin	Jessica Lindsay	Nicole Szymanski	Eunice Englehart
Ginny Tappin	Jessica Lindsay	Nicole Szymanski	Eunice Englehart
Jillian Hixon	Christy Cochran	Michelle Delaney	Amy Phillips

6. Motion to approve the following staff members to facilitate the August 27, 2014 New Teacher Orientation at the contractual rate of \$55.00 per hour for up to 7 hours and one hour of preparation at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour:

Beth Canzanese Ashley McGuire Anna Muessig Kim Felix

7. Motion to approve the following substitutes for the 2014-2015 school year effective January 1, 2015:

Dee Cogliser Substitute Secretary Kay Azar Substitute Teacher Cathy Samuel Substitute Teacher John Skrabonja Substitute Teacher

8. + Motion to approve Elizabeth McCurdy as an additional member of the 2014 summer ELA Committee for a total of up to 24 hours at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.

- 9. + Motion to approve Elizabeth McCurdy and Shelly Chester as additional members of the 2014 summer PARCC Committee for a total of up to 12 hours at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.
- 10. Motion to approve the following students as summer maintenance workers for six (6) hours per day, Monday through Thursday, at a rate of \$8.25 per hour effective June 30, 2014 through August 28, 2014:

Mike Coyle Kevin Fennimore Brian Fulong Andrew Marshall Ryan O'Donnell Vincent Sturtevant Alex Tassi Dan Wilson

11. Motion to approve payment to the following staff members for writing/revising curriculum as listed:

Beth Canzanese: Curriculum revision at the rate of \$300.00 per curriculum:

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies

Current Trends in Humanities and Economics History through Film Sociology

Beth Canzanese: Economics for Consumers (Half Year) \$300.00

Betsy Kirkbride: Curriculum writing at the rate of \$600.00 per curriculum

Sports and Entertainment Marketing/Economics

Theresa Weichmann 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science \$600.00

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science \$600.00

- 12. + Motion to approve Richard Horan to continue as long term substitute teacher in grade 2 at Haviland Avenue School, for Catherine Olivieri, effective September 1, 2014 through December 23, 2014 at the Step 1, MA, per diem rate of \$261.00, not to include benefits.
- Motion to approve a memorandum of understanding between the Audubon Board of Education and Interim Superintendent, Edward J. Wasilewski, to provide interim superintendent services on an as needed basis effective July 1, 2014 through July 31, 2014 under the same terms and conditions of the previous contract.
- 14. Motion to approve the employment contract of Robert Delengowski, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.
- 15. + Motion to approve payment to the following staff members who served as supervisors for the 2013-2014 Cognetics Team, as listed:

Judy GabardiHead Coach\$375.00Kristen RosenbergAssistant Coach\$250.00

16. + Motion to approve the following staff members as supervisors of the cognetics team for the 2014-2015 school year:

Judy Gabardi Head Coach \$375.00 Kristen Rosenberg Assistant Coach \$250.00

17. Motion to approve the following staff members as remedial facilitators at the high school effective retroactive to June 25, 2014 through July 23, 2014, Monday through Thursday from 8:30 am to 11:00 am at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.

Mike Tomasetti Wendy VanFossen

18. Motion to approve the following Camden County College student to complete a 15 hour observation requirement at the high school retroactive to May 27, 2014 with Kate Wilson serving as cooperating teacher:

Kelsey Dominik

19. Motion to appoint the following medical specialist from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015: Physician of record:

Dr. Paul Marchetto

\$4,800.00 (\$4,800)

20. + Motion to approve the following extracurricular contracts at Mansion Avenue School for the 2014-2015 school year with compensation as per the negotiated agreement:

NAME	POSITION
Lisa McGilloway	Student Council
Annette Hartstein Brad Rehn	Safety Patrol
Bernadette Brogna Kelly Skala	Mini-Patrol Advisor
Gail Erney Annette Hartstein	Detention Proctor
Brad Rehn Kristen Rosenberg	Saturday Detention Proctor
Jen Beebe Annette Hartstein Sharon Selby Kelly Skala Kristen Rosenberg	Homework Tutors
Sue Moore	Band Director
Roberta Hanson	Choral Director
Annette Hartstein	Gifted and Talented
Elizabeth McCurdy	Newspaper Club
Kathy Marshall	Web Manager

- 21. Motion to approve Jillian Hixon, current long term substitute math teacher, as full time tenure track math teacher at the high school, for Patricia Martel, at Step 1, BA, \$48,800.00, effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.
- 22. + Motion to approve the following teaching reassignment at Mansion Avenue School effective September 1, 2014:

Christy Rehn: from teacher of grade 6 at Mansion Avenue School to special education teacher at Mansion Avenue School.

- 23. + Motion to approve Courtney Baglivo, current instructional aide at Mansion Avenue School, as long term elementary substitute teacher of grade 3 at Mansion Avenue School, for Jennifer Battista, at \$80.00 per day for the first 20 days and at the Step 1, BA per diem rate of \$244.00, to include no benefits, effective September 2, 2014 through December 23, 2014.
- 24. + Motion to approve the following instructional aide at Mansion Avenue School for the 2014-2015 school year:

Nicole Racite at Step 9, \$15.30 for up to 29.5 hours per week

25. Motion to approve the following for fall 2014 coaching positions: \*Pending completion of all state and district requirements

NAME	SPORT	POSITION
Steve Ireland	Cross Country	Varsity Boys Coach
Adam Cramer	Cross Country	Varsity Girls Coach
Angela DiFilippo	Cross Country	Coed Junior High Coach
*Patrice Kilvington	Field Hockey	Varsity Coach
*Shannon McNeill	Field Hockey	Assistant Coach
*Melissa Stratton	7/8 Grade Field Hockey	Coach
*Keighley Kilvington (50%)	Elementary Field Hockey	Coach

*Jennifer Owens	Flomentony Field Heekey	Coach
Dominic Koehl	Elementary Field Hockey Football	Varsity Coach
*Mike Brown	Football	Assistant Varsity Coach
Rich Horan	Football	Assistant Varsity Coach
Tom Small	Football	Assistant Varsity Coach
Keith Allen	Football	Assistant Varsity Coach
Dan Reed	Football	Freshman Coach
Mike Tomasetti	Boys Soccer	Varsity Coach
Bill Scully	Girls Soccer	Varsity Coach
Ryan Gilmore	Boys Soccer	Assistant Varsity Coach
Dennis Bantle	Boys Soccer	7/8 Coach
Lori Miller Amanda Schlitzer	Girls Soccer 7/8 Grade Soccer	Assistant Varsity Coach Coach
Laurie Bouch	Girls Tennis	Varsity Coach
Diane Bay (50%)	Girls Tennis	Assistant Varsity Coach
David Niglio (50%)	Girls Tennis	Assistant Varsity Coach
Mike Tiedeken	Coed Tennis	Jr. High Intramural Coach
Kevin Greway		Fall Assistant Athletic Director
Don Seybold	Flag Football	Coach
Scott LaPayover		Athletic Trainer Fall
Dominic Koehl		Weight Training Summer
Don Seybold		Weight Training Fall - 2/5 stipend
Kristen Tegan	Cheerleading	Varsity Coach
Amanda Parisi	Cheerleading	Assistant Coach
Andi Collazzo	Cheerleading	Volunteer
Kieren Boland	Cross Country	Volunteer
Anthony Pugliese Lee Ann Hawco	Boys Cross Country Field Hockey	Volunteer Volunteer
Denise Allman	Field Hockey	Volunteer
Stephanie Malony	Field Hockey	Volunteer
Thea Ricci	Field Hockey	Volunteer
Amy Minnick	Middle School Field Hockey	Volunteer
*Sean Logan	Football	Volunteer
Tony Pinto	Boys Soccer	Volunteer
Matt Cecchini	Boys Soccer	Volunteer
John Marlin	Boys Soccer	Volunteer
Dennis Bantle	Boys Soccer	Volunteer
Dustin Stiles	Boys Soccer	Volunteer
Amanda Malony Greg Hoffman	Girls Soccer Girls Tennis	Volunteer Volunteer
Monika Waniek	Girls Tennis	Volunteer
Kay Azar	Girls Tennis	Volunteer
Bill Beecher	Cine remine	Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home
		event
Steve Laughlin		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Thea Ricci		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Eileen Willis		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Mike Tomasetti		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Andi Collazzo		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Luke Collazzo		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Harry Reeves		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Gregg Francis		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Lillian Mierkowski		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Steve Ireland		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
Chris Sylvester		Football Game Security - \$40.00 p/home event
John McShane		Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home event
Patrick Tassi		Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home event
Tim O'Brien		Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home event
Chris O'Brien		Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home
	•	

	event	
Patrick O'Brien	Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home	
	event	
Kevin Urban	Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home	
	event	
Steve Walsh	Football Chain Crew - \$40.00 p/home	
	event	
Teresa Weichman	Football Clock Operator - \$40.00 p/home	
	event	
Sean Logan	Football Video Operator – \$800.00	
Eric Miller	Football Announcer - \$40.00 p/home event	
Sean Logan	Football Field Set-up - \$40.00 p/home	
	event	

26. Motion to approve the following as ticket takers for the 2014 fall sports season at \$40.00 per event as per the negotiated agreement:

Susan Clune Dolores Cogliser Lillian Mierkowski Patricia Coyle Meg Murray Debbie Horan Joan Nolan Betsy Scully

Luanne Cross Joan Jackson

- 27. Motion to approve Scott LaPayover to work 30 hours during the 2014 summer to approve the health history questionnaires and the physical evaluation forms at a rate of \$25.00 per hour.
- 28. Motion to approve Lillian Mierkowski for up to 80 hours during the 2014 summer at her per diem hourly rate for the following:
  - Assist with athletic physicals process
  - Record the academic eligibility report from the guidance department; to include intramural sports programs
  - Generate correspondence necessary for "Meet the Coaches" night
- 29. Motion to approve the following extra-curriculum positions for the 2014-2015 school year with compensation as per the negotiated agreement:

Mike Stubbs Yearbook (Editor) Julie Pounds 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Advisor Anna Muessig Parrot Advisor Anna Muessig Published Mind Advisor

- 30. + Motion to approve Olivia Shreeves, currently serving as long term substitute teacher for Theresa Salamone, as part time instructional aide at Haviland Avenue School at Step 8, \$11.30 per hour for up to 29.5 hours per week, to include no benefits, effective September 2, 2014 through June 19, 2015 or last day for students.
- 31. Motion to approve the following high school students to provide technical assistance in the technology department during summer 2014 for up to 24 hours per week at a rate of \$8.25 per hour:

Vincent Livecchi Michael Cameron Zakary Chiaradia Brandon Lanchang

32. + Motion to approve following requests to attend workshops/conferences for the 2014-2015 school year as follows:

School	Cost	Staff Member	Date of Conference	Name of Conference
MAS	\$498.00	Carrie Figueroa	July 16, 17, 2014	Fundations Level I & II Workshop

33. Motion to approve the following employee's salaries for the 2014-2015 school year under the Title I Grant 14-15:

#### **Instructional Staff funded by Grant:**

	Salary	<b>General Fund</b>	Grant	% of Salary
Sharon McLaren	\$30,200,00	\$10,200.00	\$20.000.00	66%

Michelle Delaney	\$32,220.00	\$12,220.00	\$20,000.00	62%
Adam Cramer	\$50,300.00	\$42,800.00	\$ 7500.00	14.9%
Jessica Lindsay	\$49,600.00	\$42,100.00	\$ 7500.00	15.1%
Katie Hueber	\$61,300.00	\$56,300.00	\$ 5000.00	8.2%

RTI Coordinators:

Jane Byrne \$2500.00 Lisa McGilloway \$2500.00

**Summer Planning**: Jane Byrne up to 75 hours for RTI committee work at \$25.00 per hour

Lisa McGilloway up to 75 hours for RTI committee work at \$25.00 per hour

**Instructional Aides:** 

Nicole Racite MAS Step 9, \$15.30 per hour - up to 29.5 hours per week

\$11,000.00 % of salary paid by grant

Lauren VanSciver HAS Step 9, \$15.30 per hour - up to 29.5 hours per week

\$11,000.00 % of salary paid by grant

Staff Member TBD MAS Step 8, \$11.30 per hour - up to 29.5 hours per week

\$11,000.00 % of salary paid by grant

Francesca Eagan HAS Step 9, \$15.30 per hour – up to 29.5 hours per week

\$11,000.00 % of salary paid by grant

The following programs to be paid in full from the Title 1 2014-15 Grant (ESEA)

#### Program:

<u>Mansion Summer Support</u>: 3 teachers, 5 weeks, four days per week, 3.5 hours per day, at the contractual instructional rate of \$35.00 per hour; 5 hours of prep time at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.

AHS Summer Support: 2 teachers, 5 weeks, four days per week, 3 hours per day at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour, to include five hours prep time at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.

AHS HSPA Support: 2 teachers, 4 weeks, four days per week, .5 hours per day for a total of 16 hours at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour, to include 4 hours of prep time at the contractual rate of \$25 per hour.

Mansion PARCC Prep: 4 teachers, 4 weeks, four days a week, 1.25 hours per day at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour, to include three hours prep time at the contractual rate of \$25 per hour.

AHS PARCC Prep: 8 teachers, 45 sessions per teacher for a total of 360 (45 minute) sessions of instruction at the contractual rate of \$35 per hour to include 11 hours prep time at the contractual rate of \$25 per hour.

#### Supplies:

Mansion Summer Support: \$2000.00 for Field Trips

Program Supply Line: \$13,537.00

Parent Involvement Activities: \$2000.00

Title II:

	Salary	General Fund	Grant	% of Salary
Staff: Eunice Engelhart	\$53,700.00	\$28,700.00	\$25,000.00	46.6%

#### **Professional Development:**

Summer training in Haviland Avenue Reading Remediation Program: 1 Instructor, 6 hours per week for 4 weeks at the instructional rate of \$55.00 per hour with 8 hours of prep at \$35.00 per hour for a total of \$1160.00

Summer Math Training for Mathematics Instruction - Eric Milou - 1 day training session on elementary mathematics interventions. \$1750.00

ELA Training - Consultant TBD - 1 day training sessions on ELA interventions. \$2000.00

34. Motion to approve payment to the following staff members for serving as facilitators for the high school in-service as listed: 1 hour preparation at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour and 1.5 hours of presentation and facilitation at a rate of \$55.00 per hour for a total of \$107.50 each staff member:

Andi Collazzo

Kevin Greway

Chris Sylvester

35. Motion to approve payment to the following staff member for planning high school professional learning activities as follows: Ashley McGuire

Planning between April 24-June 19: 17.25 hours at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour

36. + Motion to approve the following staff members as ScIP teachers for the 2014-2015 school year:

Kim Felix – 2014-2015 Haviland Avenue to be compensated on January 15, 2015 and June 15, 2015 at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour, as needed.

Kelly McShane – 2014-2015 Mansion Avenue ScIP teacher to be compensated on January 15, 2015 and June 15, 2015 at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour, as needed.

37. Motion to approve the following staff member as ScIP a teacher for the 2014-2015 school year:

Ashley McGuire – 2014-2015 High School ScIP teacher to be compensated on January 15, 2015 and June 15, 2015 at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour, as needed.

- 38. Motion to rescind approval for Brian Kulak as an instructor for the high school language arts 2014 summer support program.
- 39. Motion to approve Beth Canzanese as an instructor for the high school language arts 2014 summer support program for incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students effective June 30, 2014 through July 31, 2014 5 weeks, four days per week, 3 hours per day at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour, to include five hours prep time at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour.
- 40. Motion to approve the following staff members as substitutes for the 2014 summer support program for incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students effective June 30, 2014 through July 31, 2014 at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour.

Sharon Selby

Ronald Latham

Jessica Lindsay

41. Motion to approve the following Rowan University student to complete his student teaching requirement as follows:

Student	School	Subject/Grade	Cooperating Teacher	Dates
Andrew Horne	HS	Social Studies	Matt Webb	9/8/14-12/12/14

- 42. Motion to approve Mary Wicker, district substitute secretary, as 10 month part time assistant secretary in the Child Study Team and Student Personal Services offices at a salary of \$15.00 per hour, for up to 29.5 hours per week, not to include benefits, effective September 2, 2014 through June 30, 2015, with an additional, but not to exceed, 25 summer work days at her hourly rate.
- 43. Motion to approve an hourly rate adjustment for Luanne Cross, part time assistant secretary in the student personnel services office, one day per week, effective July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015, as listed:

From \$14.42 per hour to \$15.24 per hour

44. + Motion to approve the following staff member to serve as an I&RS member for the 2014-2015 school year at Mansion Avenue School: Nancy Scully

- 45. Motion to approve school psychologist, Noelle Bisinger for up to 15 additional 2014 summer work days to ensure evaluations, case management, and student class scheduling are covered during July and August.
- 46. + Motion to approve Olivia Shreeves as a substitute teacher and substitute aide for the Audubon 2014 Preschool through Elementary Extended School Year Program, as well as substitute teacher and substitute aide for the Audubon High School Special Education Summer School Program.

Substitute Teacher: \$35.00 per hour Substitute Aide: \$12.00 per hour

- 47. Motion to approve Eric Carrera to continue as one-on-one aide for high school student #0384 effective September 1, 2014 through June 19, 2015 or the last day for students, at Step 9, \$15.30 per hour for up to 29.5 hours per week, to include additional hours for extracurricular activities on an as needed basis at hourly rate paid by Mount Ephraim Public Schools.
- 48. Motion to accept, with best wishes, the letter of retirement from Sue Andrew, high school special education teacher, effective July 1, 2014.
- 49. + Motion to approve the following volunteers for the 2014-2015 school year at Mansion Avenue School:

Roseann Endt Ken Endt

- 50. Motion to approve an unpaid leave of absence for Denise Allman, high school English teacher, effective September 1, 2014 through November 21, 2014.
- 51. Motion to approve Marie Bonvetti as full time tenure track guidance counselor at the high school, for John Skrabonja, at Step 5, MA, \$56,500.00, effective September 1, 2014 through June 15, 2015.
- 52. Motion to accept, with best wishes, the letter of resignation from Brian Kulak effective June 30, 2014.
- 53. Motion to approve the following voluntary transfer effective September 1, 2014:
  - Larae D'Angelo: From special education teacher at the high school to high school English teacher, for Brian Kulak, effective September 1. 2014.
- 54. Motion to approve Michelle Delaney as 3/5 math teacher at the high school at Step 3, MA, \$32,220.00, not to include benefits, effective September 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.
- 55. Motion to approve a request from Jordan Steel to invoke the Federal Family Medical Leave Act effective retroactive to June 20, 2014 through September 12, 2014.
- 56. + Motion to approve Francesca Eagan, elementary instructional aide, for summer training in the Haviland Reading Remediation Program for 6 hours per week for four weeks effective July 7, 2014 through July 31, 2014 for a total of 24 hours at \$25.00 per hour (instructional rate) for a total of \$280.00.
- 57. + Motion to approve the following mentor for the 2014-2015 school year. Novice teacher will compensate mentor as per state regulations and AEA contract:

Teacher	School/Subject	Mentor	Date
Courtney Baglivo	Grade 3	Sue Jenkinson	9/1/14-12/23/14

- 58. Motion to approve Dave Niglio for up to 4 hours of summer instruction in AP Biology at the homebound instruction rate of \$35.00 per hour.
- 59. + Motion to approve the following staff member as an additional teacher in the Mansion Avenue Summer Support program for five (5) weeks, four days per week, 3.5 hours per day, at the contractual rate of \$35.00 per hour, to include five (5) hours of prep time at the contractual rate of \$25.00 per hour, to be paid contingent upon the availability of funding in carryover from the 2013-2014 Title I Grant.

#### PROGRAM:

- 1. Motion to approve the 2014-2015 Audubon School District's Mentoring Handbook for Novice or First Year Teacher and Mentor.
- 2. Motion to approve the Audubon School District's 2014-2015 Professional Learning Plan.
- 3. Motion to approve the following curriculum as recommended by the Curriculum Committee of the Board:

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies History through Film

Sociology Current Trends in Humanities and Economics
Personal Economics Sports and Entertainment Marketing/Economics

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science

4. Motion to approve the Audubon Community Education programs for the 2014-2015 school year:

Doc. C

5. + Motion to approve the 2014 Keys rates (new rates reflect an increase of \$.50 per hour from the 2013-2014 school year) effective September 1, 2014 as listed:

#### AM KEYS Fees are as follows:

#### HAVILAND AVE. SCHOOL - Kindergarten thru Second

\$4.50 day per child from 7:05 am to 8:05 am \$6.50 per day per family for two or more children

#### MANSION AVE. SCHOOL - Third thru Sixth

\$4.50 per day per child from 7:25 am to 8:25 am \$6.50 per day per family for two or more children

#### PM KEYS FEES:

HAVILAND AVE. SCHOOL - Kindergarten thru Second

\$9.00 per day from 2:35 to 4:30 per child \$12.00 per day from 2:35 to 6:00 per child

#### **FAMILY RATE for Two Children:**

\$12.00 per day from 2:35 to 4:30

\$17.00 per day from 2:35 to 6:00

#### **FAMILY RATE for Three or more Children:**

\$17.00 per day from 2:35 to 4:30

\$22.00 per day from 2:35 to 6:00

#### MANSION AVE. SCHOOL - Third thru Sixth

\$9.00 per day from 2:55 to 5:00 per child

\$12.00 per day from 2:55 to 6:00 per child

#### **FAMILY RATE for Two Children:**

\$12.00 per day from 2:55 to 5:00

\$17.00 per day from 2:55 to 6:00

#### **FAMILY RATE for Three or more Children:**

\$17.00 per day from 2:55 to 5:00

\$22.00 per day from 2:55 to 6:00

#### ADDITIONAL \$9.00 FEE PER CHILD PER DAY REQUIRED FOR ½ DAYS BOTH SCHOOLS

6. Motion to approve the updated Audubon Public Schools organizational chart. (Separate Attachment)

INFORMATION: Mansion Avenue School:

May 29, 2014 Fire Drill
May 30, 2014 Lockdown Drill

**Haviland Avenue School:** 

May 2, 2014 Evacuation Drill (1000 ft. Bomb)

May 22, 2014 Fire Drill

Audubon High School:

May 9, 2014 200 ft. Evacuation Drill

May 29, 2014 Fire Drill

#### **POLICY:**

1. Motion to approve the following policy (annual approval required for compliance with ESEA guidelines, even if there are no revisions.)

Policy #6171.3 At Risk and Title 1 (No Revisions)

#### **STUDENTS**:

1. Motion to approve the following field trip requests for the 2014-2015 school year, as listed:

**7/4/14 High School**: Mr. DeLoach, one chaperone and 55 students to Audubon, Audubon Park, and Mount Ephraim. Purpose: Annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July parades. Departure: 7:55 am. Return: 1:00 pm. School buses. **Total Cost: \$243.99 (Paid by ABOE)** 

7/16/14 Mansion Avenue: Mr. Miller, Ms. McShane, three chaperones and 50 students to Bridgeton Library and Cohanzick Zoo. Purppose: Social, emotional and educational improvement. Departure: 8:30 am. Return: 1:00 pm. School bus. Total Cost: TBD (Paid through Title I)

7/24/14 Mansion Avenue: Mr. Miller, Ms. McShane, three chaperones and 50 students to the Camden RiversharksBridgeton Library and Cohanzick Zoo. Purppose: Social, emotional and educational improvement. Departure: 8:30 am. Return: 1:00 pm. School bus. Total Cost: TBD (Paid through Title I)

**2014-2015:** 2014 -2014 sports schedules and activities and transportation associated with these events including but not limited to: games, contests, tournaments, meets, matches and team building activities.

#### **MUSIC DEPARTMENT FIELD TRIPS 2014-2015**

Field Trip / Bus Transportation for all All-South Jersey, All State Chorus activities and other music department activities- listed. (Mr. Trowbridge- sponsor/chaperone)

Below are the known dates that the choral music department will need bus transportation for events. Other dates may also arise as the year progresses.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2014- ALL-STATE CHORUS REHEARSAL DEPART 7:00 AM-RETURN 1:15 PM- EAST BRUNSWICK HS.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2014- ALL-STATE CHORUS REHEARSAL DEPART 7:00 AM-RETURN 1:15 PM- EDISON HIGH SCHOOL.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2014- ALL-STATE CHORUS REHEARSAL DEPART 7:00 AM-RETURN 1:15 PM- EDISON HIGH SCHOOL.

- WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2014- ALL-STATE CHORUS REHEARSAL DEPART 1:00 PM-NO RETURN OF STUDENTS- ATLANTIC CITY TRUMP.
- SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15 2014-ALL-SOUTH CHORUS AUDITIONS WOODSTOWN HS. TIMES- T.B.D.
- SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2014 –ALL-STATE CHORUS PERFORMANCE NJPAC-Newark DEPART 8:00 AM (Immediate return –no student transportation home)
- TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2014- YOUNG AT HEART PERFORMANCE AUDUBON SENIOR CENTER- DEPART 1:00 PM RETURN 2:00 PM
- SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2015- ALL-SOUTH CHORUS REHEARSAL LENAPE H.S. (tentative) DEPART 12:30 AM-RETURN 6:30 PM
- SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 2015- ALL-SOUTH CHORUS REHEARSAL LENAPE H.S. (tentative) DEPART 8:00 AM-RETURN 1:45 PM
- THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 2015- ALL-SOUTH CHORUS REHEARSAL ROWAN UNIVERSITY- DEPART 8:00 AM-RETURN 2:00 PM
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2015- ALL-SOUTH CHORUS REHEARSAL LENAPE H.S (tentative).- DEPART 4:45 PM-RETURN 10:15 PM
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 2015- ALL-SOUTH CHORUS REHEARSAL EASTERN H.S.- DEPART 5:15 PM-RETURN 10:15 PM
- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2015- YOUNG AT HEART PERFORMANCE AUDUBON SENIOR CENTER- DEPART 1:00 PM RETURN 2:00 PM
- SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2015- ALL-STATE CHORUS AUDITIONS PLACE AND TIME T.B.D.
- SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 2015- ALL-STATE CHORUS REHEARSAL DEPART 7:15 AM-RETURN 1:00 PM- MONROE TWP. HIGH SCHOOL

#### **2014 Marching Band Events/Competitions**

(This request is tentative and may include changes to dates or locations, possible additions, or even deletions)

#### 2014 Summer/Fall

July 4 - Parades in Audubon, Audubon Park and Mt. Ephraim - 2 buses

Sept. 27 - TOB Competition at Collingswood HS - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 4 - TOB Competition at Clearview HS - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 11 - TOB Competition at West Deptford HS - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 18 - TOB NJ State Championship at Toms River North HS - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 19 - TOB South Jersey Championship - location TBA - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 26 (Sunday) - TOB Atlantic Coast Championship, Hershey, PA - 2 buses and pickup truck

Oct. 30 - Halloween Parade in Audubon - 2 buses

#### 2015 - Spring

May/June - possible "Music in the Parks" Festival trip to Hershey Park or Dorney Park for marching band - date to be finalized later after viewing Spring schedule for sports/school events/ etc. 2 buses and pickup truck.

- 2. Motion to approve a parent request for senior privilege for student ID#44076 for the 2014-2015 school year.
- 3. Motion to approve the following continuing education placement:

Student ID#	Placement	Date
44035	Kingsway Learning Center – Moorestown	Effective September 2014
	(Student completed 12 <sup>th</sup> grade at Audubon High School	(Audubon responsible for
	and is eligible to receive education until age 21.)	tuition and transportation
		costs for student)

#### **BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS:**

1. Motion to approve the following Use of Facility requests:

AHS – Audubon Baseball Booster, Varsity Baseball Field & Gym, June 25-26, 2014 from 9am to 2pm, camp. Contact: Rich Horan

AHS – Auditorium, Haddonfield School of Music, recital, October 17, 2014 from 5 to 8pm and October 18, 2014 from 2 to 10pm. Contact: Robert Bradshaw

AHS – Main Gym and Cafeteria, Girls Basketball Camp, from 9am to 2pm on the dates outlined on the attached form. Contact: Cheryl Clark

AHS – Front lawn of high school between Oak and Pine for Freedom Celebration by New Covenant Community Church, July 6, 2014 from 10am to 2pm. Contact: Pastor Young

MAS – Library, PTA Meetings scheduled for new school year as per dates attached from 6:30 to 8pm. Contact: Shannon Grosmick

HAS – Gym, Practice for Audubon Girls Softball from October 3, 2014 to December 19, 2014 on Friday nights from 6:45 to 8pm. (5, 6 and 7 year olds) Contact: Thomas Aron

HAS – Gym, Practice Tuesdays and Fridays beginning October 3, 2014 to December 19, 2014, from 5:30 to 6:45pm. (3 & 4 year olds) Contact: Thomas Aron

2. Motion to approve the lease between Audubon Public Schools and the YALE School for classroom use for the 2014-2015 school year; with no changes from the approved lease for the 2013-2014 school year.

#### **REPORTS**:

#### 1. HIB District Report:

BULLYING INCIDENTS REPORT			
SCHOOL	# INCIDENTS	# CONFIRMED	#NON-CONFIRMED
HS	0	0	0
MAS	1	0	1
HAS	0	0	0

#### **BOARD COMMITTEES:**

- A. Buildings and Grounds: **Mr. Yacovelli**, **Chairperson**, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Hauske, Mrs. Greenwood, Alternate: Mrs. Cox
- B. Community Relations: **Mrs. Davis, Chairperson,** Mrs. Hauske, Mrs. Greenwood, Ms. Sullivan, Alternate: Mr. Lee
- C. Curriculum: **Mr. Lee, Chairperson**, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Sullivan-Butrica, Alternate: Ms. Sullivan
- D. Finance: Mr. Yacovelli, Chairperson, Mr. Lee, Mrs. Cox, Ms. Sullivan, Alternate: Mrs. Gaspari
- E. Negotiations: Mrs. Sullivan-Butrica, Chairperson, Mr. Yacovelli, Ms. Brown, Mrs. Gaspari, Alternate: Mrs. Hauske
- F. Policy: Mrs. Cox, Chairperson, Mrs. Gaspari, Mrs. Sullivan-Butrica, Ms. Sullivan, Alternate: Ms. Brown
- G. Scholarship: **Ms. Brown, Chairperson**, Mr. Lee, Mrs. Gaspari, Mrs. Sullivan-Butrica, Alternate: Mrs. Davis
- H. CCESC Rep. Rotation: Ms. Brown
- I. CCSBA Rep. Rotation: Ms. Brown
- J AEF Representative: Mrs. Hauske
- K. State/Federal Programs: Dr. Wasilewski Affirmative Action Officer: Mr. Delengowski

Public Agency Compliance Officer: Mr. Delengowski

The board welcomes participation of interested organizations and individuals and will schedule time as appropriate for the public to speak. The board reserves the right to limit public discussion. Public discussion of a topic will be limited to fifteen minutes, and individual speakers will be limited to five minutes. Reference Policy #9322 of the Audubon Public Schools Board of Education Policy Manual.

PF	٦ľ	VA	۱Т	E
----	----	----	----	---

1.	Motion to move board to closed session at approximately pm for the following:
	Reconvene at approximately pm.
PUBI	IC PARTICIPATION:
1.	Motion to adjourn meeting at approximatelypm.

## **Students of the Month for May:**

Julie Johnson ('14) – According to the teacher nominating Julie for consideration as a Student of the Month, Julie "is one of the nicest and most conscientious students" that the nominating teacher has ever taught. As the nominating teacher explains, Julie, a graduating senior, never fell victim to "Senioritis." Rather she continued to work hard to the very end. Julie completed every assignment, performed every task, and submitted every extra credit item (though she didn't even need the points). In addition the teacher nominating Julie explains that Julie selflessly helped her classmates whenever they had questions or needed assistance. And Julie wants more than just a good grade; she wants to understand and truly master every concept presented to her. In taking this approach, Julie has a dramatic and positive impact on the learning of her classmates. Beyond this Julie has been actively involved in our school's sports' program. Julie steadfastly presents an example worth imitating.

Austin Beers ('14) – Like many other Students of the Month over the years Austin has proved himself an exceptional student. The teacher nominating Austin for recognition explains that throughout the year Austin has displayed dedication – dedication to mastering the subject matter presented. While many seniors placed schoolwork toward the bottom of their list of priorities, Austin considered it to be a top priority. Additionally, Austin suffered a concussion during the course of the year. He would not permit this to deter him from succeeding, and he pushed himself as far as his doctors would permit rather than use the concussion as an excuse. The teacher nominating Austin did so in an effort to recognize Austin's "continuous pursuit of academic excellence." Austin is certainly deserving of this award and presents himself as an exceptional role model.

Jessica Chambers ('15) — Jessica was selected as a Student of the Month as a result of her overall academic performance. With every passing year, Jessica works harder, challenges herself more and maintains a very solid GPA. As a junior Jessica carries a full schedule which includes two honors level courses and two AP classes. The teacher nominating Jessica for Student of the Month recognition explains that Jessica has "shown growth throughout the year." That teacher goes on to explain that in a course that is difficult to most students Jessica has overcome the difficulty by seeking extra help, and by working hard both independently and collaboratively. That same teacher commends Jessica for her level of maturity and for her increasing level of confidence. In the end the nominating teacher describes Jessica as "a model student." Jessica presents herself as an exemplary role model at all times.

Christopher Doyle ('15) – Chris is a model student in his own right. With a full schedule that contains no fewer than three AP classes, one of which was delivered through the Virtual High School initiative, Chris works to get good grades. According to the nominating staff member Chris enjoys learning for learning's sake, and he often likes to engage people in scholarly debate. But it is not for his scholaticism that Chris is being recognized. Instead it is for his pro-active approach with another student. During the Spring Pep Rally the nominating teacher encountered a student who was attempting to leave early. The nominating teacher engaged the student in conversation and the student quickly became disgruntled. Chris, who happened to be standing close by, approached the student, engaged him in a conversation and explained that water ice would be available after the rally and that the student should "stick around" if for no other reason than for the free water ice. The nominating teacher applauds Chris for his initiative and for his willingness to step in, help out and connect with another student. Chris is definitely a very positive role model.

Katie Dunn ('16) — Like any number of Students of the Month Katie has been selected based on the serious approach that she takes to her studies. According to the nominating teacher Katie "has shown herself to be a true student." As the teacher nominating Katie explains, Katie is actively involved in our school's athletic program. But despite her demanding sports schedule Katie has managed to do well academically this because she has approached her studies with "great determination and effort." As a result Katie has not only improved her grade as the year progressed, but she has also increased her level of participation and of her actual understanding of the material presented. The teacher nominating Katie explains that Katie has chosen her role models well and that she in turn presents herself as an excellent role model. Katie stands out among her peers as a very positive role model.

William DiLolle ('16) – This year as a sophomore Bill has displayed what every teacher desires to see in a student – significant growth and development. According to the teacher nominating Bill for Student of the Month honors, Bill worked diligently throughout the year and as a result the amount of growth that he has shown is best described by the nominating teacher as "exceptional." That same teacher goes on to explain that Bill has impressed this teacher with his ability to understand the literature with which the class dealt this year. The nominating teacher was equally impressed with Bill's comments during class discussions and with his writing ability. That same teacher commends Bill for being able to do all of this while reserved, never drawing undo attention to himself. Bill, too, is an extremely respectful young man, and he extends that respect to both the staff and his classmates. Bill always presents himself as an extremely positive role model.

Hailey Smith ('17) – Hailey manufactured an exceptional freshman year for herself. Hailey performed very well across her schedule, and as a result established for herself a very strong GPA. Hailey was nominated by two members of the faculty. One teacher nominating Hailey for consideration as a Student of the Month describes her as a "perceptive, hard working and responsible young woman." As a result of this Hailey has impressed that nominating teacher with her abilities and earned excellent grades in that nominating teacher's class throughout the school year. The other teacher nominating Hailey considers her to be "a thoughtful student who consistently offers valuable analysis during class discussions." Both teachers agree that Hailey stands out among her peers and that she is a mature and conscientious young woman who is a pleasure to have in class. Hailey presents herself as an excellent role model at all times.

Christian Singh ('17) – Christian is yet another candidate for Student of the Month who could have been selected based on his academic merits. But it is not for academics or scholarship that Christian is being recognized. Instead the teacher nominating Christian did so in light of his extremely positive attitude. Christian plays a major role in the Breakfast Express. According to the nominating teacher each Friday Christian greets everyone with a warm and welcoming "Good morning" and a smile. That same teacher encounters Christian during his study hall. He is always willing to help in any way that he can. In the nominating teacher's experience Christian has always been "polite and respectful." Christian's positive attitude is a great example for others to follow.

Casey Gilfillan ('18) – As an eighth grade student Casey enjoyed tremendous success. She has earned exceptional grades across her entire schedule, a schedule which includes four Honors level classes as well as Spanish I, a high school level course. The teacher nominating Casey for recognition as a Student of the Month did so in light of her academic prowess. The nominating teacher describes Casey as an "outstanding student." That same teacher goes on to explain that Casey consistently submits high caliber work, that she is an extremely talented writer and that she is a positive influence on her classmates. The nominating teacher commends Casey for always being engaged in class and for frequently "contributing insightful ideas." Casey serves as a great model for her peers.

**Kent Draves ('18)** – Kent is according to the nominating teacher an example of the proverbial still waters running deep. The nominating teacher describes Kent as "a very strong student who quietly goes about his business." The nominating teacher cites Kent for his consistency and for his abilities as a writer. That same teacher goes on to commend Kent for his dependability in the classroom and for the regular contributions that he makes to class discussions – offering excellent and insightful ideas. Furthermore the nominating teacher explains that Kent "leads in an unobtrusive manner." Others in class, according to that teacher, admire Kent for his quiet determination. It is obvious that in many ways Kent is an excellent role model.

Jacqueline Stocklin ('19) – The staff member nominating Jacqueline for recognition as a Student of the Month worked with Jackie both in the capacity of teacher and coach. Regardless the venue classroom or field the nominating teacher was most impressed by Jackie's positive attitude. As an athlete, Jackie's positive attitude coupled with her support and encouragement of her teammates made for a better experience for all. Jackie's character helped to increase the confidence level of some of her teammates. The nominating teacher/coach goes on to describe Jacqueline as a "motivated athlete" and as an athlete who "always wanted to get better" and who "always wanted to compete even when nervous." The nominating coach is excited to watch Jackie progress as an athlete. It is obvious that Jacqueline is an excellent role model

**Dylan Trow ('19)** – Dylan enjoyed an especially successful year this year, his first in the junior high. Realistically Dylan could have been nominated for Student of the Month by anyone of his teachers as he performed at an extremely high level across his schedule, a schedule that included both honors level math and language arts. But it was in science class where Dylan truly shone. The nominating teacher describes Dylan as an "exemplary student." That same teacher goes on to describe Dylan's performance on assessments as "outstanding." Beyond his academic performance the teacher also cites Dylan for the very positive attitude that he brings to the classroom. According to the nominating teacher Dylan has earned the respect of his peers. It is a respect that he returns in kind. Dylan sets a great example for others to follow.

**Return to Top** 

## **Students of the Month for June:**

Alexis Venere ('14) — Senioritis? The word does not exist in Alexis's vocabulary. In fact rather than take the easy road, or coast until the end, Alexis challenged herself by taking a senior year schedule of eight classes — four of which were at the Honors level and two of which were Advanced Placement courses. Taking some of the higher level math and science classes can be difficult for many students. According to the nominating teacher Alexis handled the challenge well. The nominating teacher explained that sometimes a question presented to the class was met by silence. When this occurred, it was Alexis who broke that silence by sharing her thoughts and insights on the question posed. In doing this Alexis managed to draw other students into the discussion. The nominating teacher commends Alexis for taking those educational risks that result in true learning. Alexis embodies what this award means.

Robert Mecca ('14) – According to the teacher nominating Rob for Student of the Month recognition, Rob has this year "committed himself to making a turn around." The nominating teacher commends Rob for the hard work that he has done throughout the year. That same teacher cites Rob for his willingness to help his classmates. In addition the nominating teacher commends Rob for his participation in class and for his being in a position to make others in class more comfortable sharing their thoughts and ideas. Rob is a good role model.

**Elizabeth Finnerty ('15)** — In Liz we again have a Student of the Month who earns exceptional grades. Liz ended her junior year with an "A" average in each of the academic courses found in her schedule. But with Liz it is more than a matter of being a good student and earning good grades. Liz, again like so many other Students of the Month both past and present, is known to display concern for her classmates. The nominating teacher explains that there was a student in class who had been out quite some time. Upon their return Liz volunteered to tutor the student asking for nothing in return. Liz provided considerable assistance in a timely manner. The teacher nominating Liz expresses her gratitude to Liz for having helped this student. Beyond this that same teacher describes Liz as a positive factor in class. Liz is truly an exemplary role model.

**Daniel Lloret ('15)** — Continuing the trend long since established by Students of the Month Dan is one who carried an overload of a schedule, eight classes two of which were at the Honors level. And like so many other Students of the Month Dan met with great academic success. But it was not his serious approach to his studies that earned Dan the distinction of being named a Student of the Month. Rather, Dan was selected in light of the instrumental role that he played in the success of this year's Mr. Audubon Pageant. Dan worked closely with all of the contestants and with the Educational Media Services team to ensure that the event would go off without a hitch — and it did. The staff member nominating Dan for Student of the Month recognition placed a considerable amount of trust in Dan and relied on him heavily before and during the pageant. That trust was not misplaced. Dan is definitely a very good role model.

Victoria Farmer ('16) — Hard working, appropriate, responsible, and successful are words that immediately come to mind in connection with Victoria. And each of these qualities surfaces in each of Victoria's classes including the four Honors level classes that are a part of her schedule. In addition Victoria took two courses delivered through the Virtual High School program and was a member of the Senior High Choir. The staff member nominating Victoria for Student of the Month recognition commends her ability to focus on and plan for her future. Victoria has her sights set on pursuing a career as an architect. Victoria has already taken several steps to ensure that she will be ready for college and her career. Victoria is one of a few students who have taken advantage of the My College Quickstart program offered by the College Board to those students who have taken the PSAT. Victoria uses the information available through this program as a daily reminder of what it is that she needs to do in order to achieve her goals. Beyond all this the nominating staff member describes Victoria as an individual who is an extreme pleasure with which to work. Victoria stands out among her peers as a very positive role model.

Andrew Marshall ('16) – Like so many other individuals recognized as Students of the Month Andrew is in possession of an exemplary work ethic. The teacher nominating Andrew for consideration as a Student of the Month explains that Andrew works extremely hard to meet with success. The nominating teacher goes on to explain that Andrew's efforts extend beyond himself. According to that teacher Andrew willingly and with effort helps his classmates when they begin to struggle with concepts introduced in class. That same teacher commends Andrew for his conscientiousness, diligence, helpfulness and desire to learn. Furthermore the nominating teacher describes Andrew as cheerful and positive and, most importantly, as "a pleasure to have in class." Andrew is very deserving of this honor.

**Susan Macrina** ('17) – Susan has just completed the first year of her senior high school career, and based on this first year, her high school career looks to be an extremely promising one. Susan began her AHS career with a schedule containing eight classes, an overload, and doing well in them all. Among those eight classes are found four Honors level courses as well as Senior High Choir. The teacher nominating Susan describes Susan as a "bright, well spoken young woman." That same teacher explains that Susan consistently demonstrates her ability to think critically. The nominating teacher also commends Susan for her regular contributions to classroom discussions. In addition the nominating teacher considers Susan to be an asset to class given her "intellectual energy." Susan presents herself as an excellent role model.

Joseph Zuccarelli ('17) — Having been extremely successful in junior high school, Joe, this year, has launched what should prove to be an equally successful senior high school career. Like Susan Joe carried a schedule this year that contained four Honors level classes. Across his schedule and throughout the year Joe worked to earn strong grades. The staff member suggesting Joe as a Student of the Month describes him as not only academically talented but also as courteous and respectful. That same staff member describes Joe as "often quiet." However, though quiet, when Joe speaks his comments reflect "deep thought." Joe sets a very positive example for his classmates.

**Heather LaFrance ('18) –** This year Heather continued to build upon the success that she had enjoyed last year in seventh grade. The teacher nominating Heather sees her as an incredibly hard worker who is always striving to improve. That same teacher commends Heather for her positive attitude and believes that Heather's attitude has a tremendous effect not only on her own success but on that of her classmates as well. According to the nominating teacher even as the school year approached its end, Heather continued to dedicate herself to doing her best, and she became more and more determined to succeed. The nominating teacher also commends Heather for the kindness that she extends to others and for the level of respect that she extends to both her classmates and her teachers. Heather is an excellent role model.

Thomas Monteferrante ('18) – This year Tommy carried a schedule that included two Honors level classes – math and social studies. Like Heather Tom continued the winning ways that he had established last year in seventh grade. As a result he ended the year with good grades. The teacher suggesting Tom as a possible Student of the Month did so in light of his high level of class participation and because of his critical thinking ability. Tom's strength lies, according to the nominating teacher, in his ability to contribute meaningfully to class discussions. The nominating teacher commends Tom for the daily contributions that he makes during class discussions. Tom possesses the ability to make connections between different things done in class and to ideas in the world at large. The ideas that he expresses are both insightful and unique. In addition that same teacher praises Tom for his positive attitude and for always being pleasant and respectful of others. It is obvious that Tom is an excellent student and role model.

Morgan Sweeten ('19) – Morgan has gotten her Audubon Junior - Senior High School career off to an excellent start. Throughout the year Morgan has applied herself in every single situation and reaped the benefits of that approach. The teacher nominating Morgan for Student of the Month recognition describes her as an extremely responsible student. That teacher explains that aside from achieving A's all year Morgan assumed the responsibility of taking care of the fish in the class tank. Morgan assumed this responsibility in September and never missed a day of caring for the class fish. If Morgan knew that she would be out, she would arrange to have others feed the fish that day. Morgan even spent her money on filters and food tablets – items that were necessary when school was not in session for an extended period of time. The nominating teacher commends Morgan not only for her academic success but for her level of responsibility and leadership. Morgan presents herself as a positive role model.

**Ethan Trieu ('19)** – Like Morgan, Ethan has made an easy and hugely successful transition to the junior - senior high school. Carrying a schedule that includes both Honors language arts and junior high band Ethan achieved an "A" average in nearly every one of his classes for the year. Ethan was nominated by the members of the Seventh Grade Team. These four teachers view Ethan as a student who is extremely hard working and who is always prepared and always an active participant in classroom activities and frequently takes the lead in classroom discussions. One of the nominating teachers explains that Ethan is "an exceptionally bright student with a wry sense of humor." In addition those same teachers describe Ethan as someone who is courteous and pleasant, and they unanimously consider him a student who is "a pleasure to have in class." It is obvious that Ethan is an excellent role model.

**Return to Top** 

#### Doc. C

#### **ADULT BASKETBALL:**

Dates: September 19, 2014 to November 14, 2014

and March 13, 2015 to June 12, 2015

Location: Auxiliary Gym

Time: 7:30-10:00 PM. Time will be adjusted when necessary to

accommodate athletic practice in inclement weather.

Reg. Fee: \$30.00

Notes: Volunteer supervisor will be Bill Slack.

#### TIME FOR TOTS:

Dates: The second and fourth Tuesday of each month from October to May.

Location: Audubon Senior Center, Oakland Avenue

Time: 10:00-11:00 AM

Reg. Fee: \$30.00 per child/\$50 per family (more than one child)

Notes: Michele Marchiano coordinates the program, which typically draws

about 12 children between the ages of 2 and 5 with an accompanying adult. This program is run at no cost to the board. Registration fee covers any guest speakers or entertainment. Each themed session includes a craft, a guest most of the time (police officer, fire fighters, school bus ride, cheerleaders, clown, etc.) and a

small snack.

#### ADULT EVENING SCHOOL (Fall 2014 and Winter/Spring 2015):

Dates: Fall – September 29, 2014 to January 22, 2015

Winter/Spring – January 26, 2015 to June 2015

Location: Locations vary according to class.

Time: 6:00 to 10:00 PM - times vary according to class.

Reg. Fee: Fees vary according to class.

Notes: Instructors are paid a fee according to their particular class or

activity. Program is self-supporting and runs on tuition fees paid by

participants.

#### **AUDUBON YOUTH WRESTLING:**

Dates: November 18, 2014 to February 19, 2015. Location: Audubon High School Wrestling Room (C8).

Time: Tuesday and Thursday nights, 6:15-7:30 PM. Some matches will be

held on Saturdays.

Reg. Fee: \$85.00 per student (\$30.00 USA Wrestling Fee, \$55.00 Audubon fee.)

Notes: Program supervisor is Ed Simpson and a list of adult volunteers will be

submitted for Board approval when the list is completed in November. Children from age 4 (5 by January 1, 2015) through grade 8 are eligible to attend. Fee covers USA Wrestling membership

(which provides insurance), background checks for coaches,

Grapevine Wrestling League membership, supplies and tournament

fees. There is no cost to the Board.

#### **AUDUBON CHESS CLUB:**

Dates: September 22, 2014 to December 1, 2014

Location: All Purpose Room in Mansion Ave School & Media Center in

Haviland Avenue School.

Time: Mondays, Haviland 2:30-3:30, Mansion 3:00 to 4:00 PM

Reg. Fee: \$35.00 per student

Notes: Program is run by supervisors in each school who are each paid a

\$400.00 stipend for the 10 week, 10-hour program. In Mansion the supervisor will be John Tegan. In Haviland the supervisor will be Alex LaCroce. Both are returning from previous years. If we need another supervisor due to high registration numbers at Mansion or Haviland, those names will be submitted for approval in September. Supplies,

tournament fees and stipends are covered by registration fees.

#### **AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT:**

Dates: September to November, 2014.

Location: Mansion Ave. School, Haviland Ave. School & High School Time: HAS 2:30-4:30, MAS 3:00-5:00 PM (times vary according to class.)

Reg. Fee: Fees vary according to class.

Notes: The brochure will include our wrestling program (see above),

basketball (see page 3), Fall Tennis Lessons (through Adult Evening School – supervised by Mitch Winkler), Chocolate Creations for Parents and Children (through Adult Evening School) and 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Theatre Club (see page 4), in addition to classes normally offered in ACE's After School Enrichment brochure. A list of instructors and aides will be provided for Board approval when one is completed. Program is self-supporting and runs on tuition fees paid by participants. Audubon and Audubon Park residents are eligible to attend all activities. However, because of our time constraints, private school students are welcome, but not generally able to

attend.

#### **AUDUBON BASKETBALL CLUB:**

Dates: **Tryouts:** November 11, 12, 18 & 19, 2014

**Games & Practices:** Practices may start in December, games are as

scheduled for each individual team.

Location: Practices and home games will take place in the Audubon High

School main or auxiliary gym, when room is available or Mansion Ave.

School gym.

Reg. Fee: \$80.00

Notes: Traveling teams are formed (3<sup>rd</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade students) after tryouts in

November. Teams will play 12 games in the Camden County Traveling Basketball League during January and February. Home games are played on Sunday afternoons. Parents are responsible for transportation. There is no cost to the Board. This program is open to residents of Audubon, Audubon Park and Mt. Ephraim in grades 3 to

8.

#### **SWIMMING LESSONS:**

Dates: June 22 to July 18, 2015

Location: Oaklyn Swim Club. This activity was not held in 2014 because Oaklyn

Swim Club is closed for renovations. We will attempt to run this

activity if the swim club reopens for the 2015 season.

Time: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM, Monday through Thursday. Swim lessons are

held on Friday only in the event of cancellation during the week.

Reg. Fee: \$75.00 (subject to Oaklyn Swim Club fee)

Notes: Program is open to Audubon, Audubon Park and Mt. Ephraim

residents, age 4 to entering grade 9. Lessons will be conducted Monday through Thursday (4 days/week). Instructors will be those employed by Oaklyn Swim Club and paid by Oaklyn Swim Club. ACE has paid Oaklyn Swim Club \$73.00/student for the program in the past. If Oaklyn Swim Club's fee changes for the 2015 swim season,

the Board will be notified.

#### SENIOR CITIZEN SOCIAL:

Date: April 29, 2015

Location: Audubon High School Cafeteria

Time: 2:45-9:00 PM (actual social is 6:30-8:30 PM)

Reg. Fee: None

Notes: Senior Citizens from Audubon, Audubon Park and Mt. Ephraim are

invited to attend this social evening co-sponsored by the Inter-Generational Club and Student Council. Some funds are donated by area businesses and organizations. These funds partially cover costs incurred such as decorations and food (provided by Nutri-Serv). Funds not covered by donations are covered by Audubon

Community Education. Students from Inter-Generational Club and Student Council decorate the cafeteria, and act as hosts, greeters,

and dance partners for the evening.

#### HAVILAND AVE SCHOOL THEATER CLUB:

Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays, February 5-March 26. Play: March 31, 2015

Location: First meeting: Haviland All-Purpose Room. Rehearsals: Haviland Ave

School gym. Play: Audubon High School auditorium

Time: 2:35-3:45 PM

Reg. Fee: \$40.00 per student

Notes: The Theater Club will produce a play on March 31, 2015. Roberta

Hanson will supervise the program and direct the play. A list of assistants will be provided for Board approval before rehearsals begin. Students in grades 1 and 2 will be eligible to attend. The number of students accepted will be limited to the number of parts

in the selected play.

#### MANSION AVE SCHOOL 6th GRADE THEATER CLUB:

Dates: September 24, 2014-November 19, 2014

Location: Mansion Ave School music room. End of program performance is in

the Mansion All-Purpose Room.

Time: 3:15-4:30 PM, Dress Rehearsals Nov. 17 & 18, 3:15-5:00 PM.

Reg. Fee: \$40.00 per student

Notes: The Theater Club will produce a play in the fall on November 19,

2014. Registration will be limited to sixth grade students. Sue Moore will supervise the program and direct the play. A list of assistants will

be provided for Board approval in September.

#### MANSION AVE SCHOOL VARIETY SHOW:

Dates: January 9, 2015 to March 13, 2015 – 8 Fridays

Location: Mansion Ave School music room. End of program performance is in

Mansion All-Purpose Room.

Time: 3:00-4:00 PM

Reg. Fee: \$25.00 per student

Notes: Students will produce a talent show for family and friends at the end

of this program. Sue Moore will supervise. Registration is limited to

grades 4, 5 and 6.

**Return to Top**