## AMAGANSETT SCHOOL

# Amagansett, New York

Veteran's Exemptions Hearings & Regular Board of Education Meeting Tuesday, June 12, 2018 6:30 PM

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Veteran's Exemption Hearing #1: Consideration of Adoption of Alternative Veteran's Exemption
- **4. Veteran's Exemption Hearing #2:** Consideration of Adoption of Extension of Alternative Veteran's Exemption to Co-oops
- 5. Veteran's Exemption Hearing #3: Consideration of Adoption of Cold War Veteran's Exemption
- **6. Veteran's Exemption Hearing #4:** Consideration of Adoption of Extension of Cold War Veteran's Exemption to Co-ops
- 7. Thanks to...the East Hampton Middle School for the welcoming "Grade 6 Buddy Day" for our 6th grade students; Accolades to...Marith McMahon and Grade 3 students on the their "Heroes in History Time Machine" presentation; Congratulations to...Officer Kim Notel, Kelly White and Grade 5 students for successfully completing the D.A.R.E. Program; Accolades to...Marith McMahon and Grade 3 students for their successful "Second Story Bookshop"; Congratulations to...all faculty and students that participated in the Annual Bonac 5K; Accolades to...Cindy Kamp and all students that participated in vocal and/or musical events throughout the year; Accolades to...Shawn Mitchell and Janine Balnis and the entire Student Council for the entertaining "Wake Up Amagansett" programs throughout the school year that showcased students' stories, skits, poetry, music and other talents; Accolades to...Cindy Kamp, Kelly Hren, Liz Paris and Parent Anna Skrenta and all students that participated in the "Willy Wonka" performance; Accolades to...Jason Hancock and Grade 6 students that successfully launched their rockets; Accolades to...Nancy Parsons and Grade 2 students for their "Animal Park" presentation; Accolades to...Rosalie Luber and Grade 6 students for their beautiful rendition of Shakespeare's "Hamlet".

Congratulations and the best of luck to... Sixth Grade Students Award winners:

Dr. Lloyd N. Peak Award

**Inez Crandall** 

VFW Scholarship

Kaya Law

**VFW Leadership** 

Inez Crandall

**American Legion Americanism** 

Liam Fowkes

## **American Legion Citizenship**

Kyle Masi

## **American Legion Auxiliary Americanism**

**Riley Miles** 

## **American Legion Auxiliary Citizenship**

Dylan Cashin

#### **Suffolk County Public Service Award**

**Inez Crandall** 

#### **Congratulations to Long House Annual Art Show Winners:**

### **First Grade**

Declan BalnisAaliyah Brown, Greta Burwell, Paloma Demers, Jacob Eames, Merritt Emptage, Omar Hernandez Gomez, Copeland Law, Zander Molin, Iris Patterson, Vance Resnick, Brie Steele and Benjamin Zung

#### **Fourth Grade**

Thomas Brunn, Chris De Los Santos, Emily Jimenez, Hope Masi, Natalia Muchnic, Charlie Stern

Congratulations and the best of luck to.... East Hampton High School Scholarship/Award Winners:

### Mario Mayaorga Memorial Scholarship

Alexander Siqua Pintado

#### Springs FD David M. King Memorial Scholarship

Alexander Siqua Pintado

#### **Amagansett Fire Department**

Lucy Emptage

### **Amagansett FD Ladies Aux. Book Scholarships**

Lucy Emptage Madison Hughes

## **Amagansett Village Improvement Society Scholarships**

Michelle Barranco Ramirez, Lucy Emptage, Hunter Fromm, Noah Gualtieri, Madison Hughes, Samantha Merritt, Maya Schultz

#### **Amagansett Teachers' Association**

Tess Ryan Memorial Academic – Maya Schultz Community Service Award – Lucy Emptage

#### <u>American Legion Awards – Book Scholarship</u>

Christopher Fallon

#### **BNB Business Scholar Award**

**Hunter Fromm** 

#### **Community Service Scholarship**

Maya Schultz

## **Donald T. Sharkey Mem. Community Scholarship**

Christopher Fallon

## EH Lions Club Scholarship - Student of the Year

Alexander Siqua Pintado

## **East Hampton Rotary Interact Scholarship**

Alexander Siqua Pintado

## East Hampton Teachers' Association Book Scholarships

Michelle Barranco Ramirez, Erin White

#### **East Hampton Town PBA Scholarship**

**Madison Hughes** 

## East Hampton Volunteer Ocean Rescue Scholarship

Noah Gualtieri, Thomas Treadwell

## **Greater East Hampton Educational Foundation Scholarships**

Book Scholarships – Erin White, Lucy Emptage, Madison Hughes

## **Paddlers of Humanity**

Lucy Emptage

### **Springs Fire Department Ladies Aux. Scholarships**

**Madison Hughes** 

#### **SCOPE Education Service Scholarship**

Lina Bistrian, Alexander Sigua Pintado

## **East Hampton High School Physical Education Department**

Gold – Matthew McGovern Gold – Rose Littman Health – Reiley Segelken

## **East Hampton High School Science Department**

Advanced Placement Chemistry (Silver) – Emily Hugo Advanced Placement Physics (Gold) – Alexander Siqua Pintado Advanced Placement Biology (Silver) – Tucker Kabbaz

#### East Hampton High School Social Studies Department

Advanced Placement World History (Silver) – Devon Merritt US History and Government (Gold) – Samantha King Advanced Placement Government & Politics (Silver) – Alexander Siqua Pintado Departmental Four-Year Award – Alexander Siqua Pintado

### **World Languages Department**

French II – Lucie Sarazin
Spanish IV Honors (Silver) – Emily Hugo
SUNY Old Westbury Native Spanish (Silver) – Alexander Siqua Pintado
Latin II (Gold) – Emily Hugo
Latin II (Silver) – Alexander Siqua Pintado
Departmental Four-Year Award – Alexander Siqua Pintado

#### (Art)

Drawing/Painting (Gold) – Emily Hugo Foundation Studio (Silver) – Maria Littman Photography II (Gold) – Tyco Che Burwell Advanced Placement Studio Art-Drawing (Silver) – Noah Gualtieri

### **Business**

Departmental Four-Year Award – Hunter Fromm

## **Communications Department**

Video Production II (Silver) – Samantha King Documentary Production (Gold) – Noah Gualtieri

#### **Family and Consumer Sciences**

Food Preparation (Gold) – Megan White Food Science (Gold) – Erin White

### **Technology**

Coding – Java I & II (Gold) – Finlay Carmichael

## **Music Department**

SCMEA – Tucker Kabbaz LISFA Award – Charles Goldsmith HMEA – Tucker Kabbaz

## **Grade 11 Leadership and Scholastic Achievement**

**Emily Hugo** 

#### Principal's Award

Alexander Sigua Pintado

**Congratulations and the best of luck to....** East Hampton Middle School Award Winners:

#### **National Junior Honor Society**

Jonah Ball Tabitha Bennett Ella Bennett

Luke Brunn

Emma Hren

Evan Masi

**Dante Sasso** 

Joseph Suter

#### **American Legion Ladies Auxiliary Award**

Tabitha Bennett Luke Brunn Emma Hren

### **Principal's Award**

Declan Bistrian Luke Brunn Zola Crandall

Emma Hren

Evan Masi (for Highest Scholastic Achievement)

Joseph Suter

#### **PTA Humanitarian Award**

Finian Byrnes

## **Herman Stephens Character Award**

Ella Bistrian

### **Girl's Physical Education Award**

Ella Bistrian

## **Four Sport Athlete Award**

Ella Bistrian Zola Crandall Joseph Suter

## **Science Olympiad Award**

Evan Masi Dante Sasso Logan Rodgers

#### **Earth Science Award**

**Dante Sasso** 

### **Alegebra Award**

Evan Masi

### **8. Community Comments** (Agenda Items Only)

The Amagansett Board of Education welcomes public comments. To maintain an orderly and efficient meeting, the Board has established the following guidelines for those wishing to address the Board:

- 1. Each speaker is permitted two minutes for their comments.
- The Board will listen to comments but will not necessarily debate or discuss items; operational and managerial matters will be handled bu the Administration.
- The Board is not permitted to address personnel or individual student matters with the public.

### **9. Community Comments** (current agenda items only)

#### 10. Consent Agenda

- Minutes (May 22, 2018)
- Treasurer reports (April 2018)
- Warrants (May 11 & 30,2018)
- Claims audit report (May 2018)
- Corrective action plan (none required)
- Student IEP's (Students #102030117 & #102030217)

11. Superintendent's Comments

- Enrollment update
- 12. Committee reports
- 13. Old Business

14. New Business		
<b>Resolution #86</b> – Upon motion of	, seconded by	and carried

WHEREAS, New York Real Property Tax Law §458-a was amended to provide eligible veterans with a real property tax exemption from school taxes so long as the School District in which the real property is located, after public hearings, adopts a resolution authorizing the exemption.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby adopt the basic exemption provided for in Real Property Tax Law ("RPTL) §458-a as follows:

- **1.** Basic Exemption for Qualifying Veterans Tax exemption of 15% of the assessed value of the property, not to exceed \$12,000 or the product of \$12,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate for the assessing unit, whichever is less.
- 2. Combat Zone Exemption for Qualifying Veterans An additional tax exemption of 10% of the assessed value of qualifying residential property of veterans who are documented to have served in a combat zone, not to exceed \$8,000 or the product of \$8,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate, whichever is less.
- **3.** Disabled Veterans Exemption for Qualifying Veterans In addition to the above exemptions, where the veteran received a compensation rating from the United States Veterans' Administration or from the United States Department of Defense based upon a service related disability, the qualifying residential property will be exempt to the extent of the product of the assessed value multiplied by 50% of the veteran's disability rating, not to exceed \$40,000 or the product of \$40,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate, whichever is less; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby adopt the expanded definition of the term "qualified owner" as that term is defined under RPTL §458-a to include a "gold star parent" as that term is defined under RPTL §458-a.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby allow a cooperative corporation to be eligible to receive such exemption pursuant to RPTL §458-a(6)(d).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby allow a qualified veteran under RPTL §458-a to transfer, on a pro-rated basis, his/her exemption to another home purchased within the Amagansett Union Free School District; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board directs the District Clerk to provide a certified copy of this resolution to the Town of East Hampton Assessors; the taxing jurisdiction located within this School District.

Resolution #87 -Upon motion of _	, seconded by	and carried
	Cold War Exemption Resolution	

WHEREAS, New York Real Property Tax Law §458-b was amended to provide eligible Cold War veterans with a real property tax exemption from school taxes similar to exemptions offered under other provisions of the real property tax law so long as the School District in which the real property is located, after public hearing, adopts a resolution authorizing the exemption.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby adopt the basic exemption provided for in Real Property Tax Law ("RPTL) §458-b as follows:

BE IT RESOLVED, that pursuant to RPTL §458-b, subdivision 2, paragraph (a), subparagraph (ii), the Board adopts the fifteen percent (15%) exemption, which amount shall not exceed the statutory basic maximum of \$12,000 or the product of \$12,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate, whichever is less; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to RPTL §458-b, subdivision 2, paragraph (b), the Board adopts the exemption relating to service connected disabilities, which amount shall not exceed the statutory basic maximum of \$40,000 or the product of \$40,000 multiplied by the latest state equalization rate, whichever is less; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Amagansett Union Free School District does hereby allow a cooperative corporation to be eligible to receive such exemption pursuant to RPTL §458-b (7); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the exemption afforded veterans pursuant to RPTL §458-b shall apply to "qualifying owners" of "qualifying real property" as those terms are defined in RPTL §458-b for as long as they remain "qualifying owners", without regard to the ten-year limitation set forth in RPTL §458-b.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board directs the District Clerk to provide a certified copy of this resolution to the Town of East Hampton Assessors; the taxing jurisdiction located within this School District.

<b>Resolution #88 -</b> Upon motion of	, seconded by	and carried,
BE IT RESOLVED, that upon recommend	lation of Superintendent Eleanor T	Critt, the Amagansett School
Board hereby authorizes the District Clerk to exec	cute an agreement with Bilingual I	nc. DBA Achieve Beyond USA for
educationally-related services on an as-needed ba	asis for the 2018/2019 school year.	

Resolution #89 - Upon motion of	agreement with Family Service	and carried, the Amagansett School League, Inc. for
Resolution #90 - Upon motion of	ed service agreement with Lori	and carried, he Amagansett School Board Longo Flynn for
Resolution #91 - Upon motion of	rvice agreement with Long Isla	nd Developmental
Resolution #92 - Upon motion of	rvice agreement with Manorvil	and carried, the Amagansett School le Speech Pathology, PC. for
Resolution #93 - Upon motion of  BE IT RESOLVED that upon recommendation of hereby authorizes the District Clerk to execute an agreemed educationally related services on an as-needed basis for the services of the services	ent with Marra & Glick Applied	and carried, he Amagansett School Board l Behavior Analysts, PLLC for
<b>Resolution #94 -</b> Upon motion of	rvice agreement with Metro Th	and carried, the Amagansett School erapy, Inc. for educationally-
Resolution #95 - Upon motion of	rvice agreement with Katelyn N	Mautschke for educationally-
Resolution #96 - Upon motion of	Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, rvice agreement with Village Sp	the Amagansett School peech and Language, PLLC
Resolution #97 - Upon motion of	eement Reinstatement with Th	and carried, ne Amagansett School Board ne Omni Group for the
Resolution #98 - Upon motion of	ngreement with Tri-State/Natio	and carried, the Amagansett School onal REACH, Inc. for
Resolution #99 - Upon motion of	norandum of Agreement betwe	en the negotiating

Agreement to include teaching assistants for the longevity payment, and authorizes the Superintendent and/or the Board of Education President to execute the new CBA incorporating the terms of the June 6, 2018 Agreement.

**Resolution #100 -** Upon motion of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_ and carried \_\_\_\_, BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the Amagansett School

BE IT RESOLVED, that upon the recommendation of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the Amagansett School Board hereby appoints the following persons to teach/assist/substitute part-time in the Amagansett Summer Enrichment Program, for the period July 5 – July 28, 2017, (Monday-Friday, 3 hours per day) and/or for the period July 31- August 11, 2017 (Monday-Friday, 2 hours per day) for mandated 12 month services:

**Summer Enrichment: 4 Weeks** 

Employee	Position	Rate
Moira Hussey	Coordinator (65 Hours)	\$82.92/hr.
Donna Daniels	Teacher, (4 Weeks, 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.
Elizabeth Paris	Teacher, (4 Weeks, 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.
Shawn Mitchell	Teacher, (4 Weeks, 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.
Marith McMahon	Teacher, (4 Weeks, 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.

Extended School Year Program: 6 Weeks (30 Days)

Employee	Position	Rate
Kristen Graham	Teacher, (6 Weeks 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.
Alicia Fasano	Teacher, (6 Weeks 3hrs/Day)	\$54.00/hr.
Alicia Fasano	Bus Aide (6 Weeks 2hrs/Day)	\$39.00/hr.
Kristen Graham	Bus Aide (4 Weeks, 1hr/Day)	\$39.00/hr.
Mary Jo Bennett	School Nurse, (4 Weeks. 3hrs/day)	\$54.00/hr.

**Resolution #101 -** Upon motion of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_ carried \_\_\_\_\_, BE IT RESOLVED that upon recommendation of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the Amagansett School Board hereby approves the following stipends for the 2018/2019 school year:

Employee	Position	Rate/Stipend
Donna Daniels	Bus Aide	\$39.00/hr.
Kristen Graham	Bus Aide	\$39.00/hr.
Kristin Powell	Bus Aide	\$39.00/hr.
Liz Paris	Calendar	\$39.00/hr.
Liz Paris	Ceramics	\$54.00/hr.
Kammy Ball	Ceramics Assistant	\$54.00/hr.
Kristen Graham	Technology Club	\$54.00/hr.
Kaitlin Hamilton	CSE/CPSE (Summer)	\$54.00/hr.
Brittany Cabrera	Homework Club	\$54.00/hr.
Jason Hancock	Homework Club	\$54.00/hr.
Erin Brodarick	Homework Club-Special Education	\$54.00/hr.
Jackie Mc Govern	Homework Club	\$54.00/hr.
Austin Keyes	Homework Club	\$54.00/hr.
Marith McMahon	Homework Club	\$54.00/hr.
Liz Paris	Media Arts	\$54.00/hr.
Kammy Ball	Media Arts Assistant	\$54.00/hr.
Kathy Solomon	Mentoring	\$54.00/hr.
Tina Quarty	Newsletter Assistant	\$39.00/hr.
Liz Paris	Newsletter (Summer)	\$39.00/hr.
Mary Jo Bennett	Nurse	\$54.00/hr.

Jason Hancock	Recreation	\$54.00/hr.
Alicia Fasano	Recreation	\$54.00/hr.
Mike Rodgers	Recreation	\$54.00/hr.
Kelly Hren	Drama Club	\$54.00/hr.
Mike Rodgers	SchoolTool Support/Data	\$39.00/hr.
Janine Balnis	Student Council Advisor	\$1,119 /Stipend
Shawn Mitchell	Student Council Advisor	\$1,119 /Stipend
Sandy Nuzzi	Substitute Services	\$149.74/ Employee
Kelly Hren	Theatrical Assistant	\$1,043
Liz Paris	Theatrical Assistant	\$1,043
Cindy Kamp	Theatrical Director	\$1,342
Celeste Tracy	Translation Services	\$39.00/hr.
Kristen Graham	Updating: SAVE rosters, manuals, emergency bags, Summer Technology Program Setup	\$39.00/hr.
Shawn Mitchell	Videographer (Maximum 14 Hours Per Event))	\$39.00/hr.
Kristen Graham	Website Development & Maintenance	\$39.00/hr.
Kathy Solomon	Library Renovation	\$39.00/hr.
Liz Paris	Yearbook	\$1,119/annum
Kathleen Brunn	Science Test Set Up	\$39.00/hr.
Brittany Cabrera	Science Test Set Up	\$39.00/hr.
Varied	Concerts, Dance, Family Fun Night, Extended Day Field Trips, Music Festivals, (Preapproval By Principal/Superintendent)	\$54.00/hr.

As per ATA Contract, the tutorial rate is \$54.00 per hour and the non-tutorial rate is \$39.00 per hour. All certified personnel are eligible to substitute for any of the listings.

Resolution #102 - Upon motion of	, seconded by	and carried,
BE IT RESOLVED, that upon recommendation of	of Superintendent Eleano	r Tritt, the Amagansett School
Board hereby accepts Ms. Nancy Parson's letter of resign effective June 30, 2018.	nation for the purpose of	retirement. This retirement is

**Resolution #103 -** Upon motion of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and carried \_\_\_\_\_\_ BE IT RESOLVED, that upon recommendation of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the Amagansett School Board hereby appoints/reappoints the following substitute teachers/teaching assistants/special education aides/teacher aides/office assistants for the 2018/2019 school year:

Kristen Brady, Registered Nurse
Catherine Casse, Certified
Eleine Bricken, Clerical
Marjorie Diamond, Certified
Maria DiScipio, Registered Nurse
Alison Fantini, Certified
Valerie Gilday, Certified
Marian Greene, Certified
Gary Grille, Bus Driver
Geoffrey Heppenheimer, Certified
Nancy Nagel, Certified
Theresa Pacor, Registered Nurse
Encie Peters, Certified

Barbara Raeder-Tracy, Certified Patti Tocci, Certified Liana Tutino Morales, Certified Joseph Van Asco, Certified Jack Youngs, Certified

<b>Resolution #104 -</b> Upon motion of	, seconded by	and carried,
Board does hereby eliminate one part-time Special Education position (.9FTE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Ms. Erin Bro	cation Teacher position (.8FTE) as of a cation Teacher position (.8FTE) as of a	June 30, 2018 and
Education position (.9FTE) for the period July 1, 2018 the valid New York State certifications in the areas of:	nrough on or before June 30, 2019. M	Is. Brodarick holds
	(Grades 1-6), Initial Certificate Grades 1-6), Initial Certificate	
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Ms. Brush will current teacher's contract.	ll be paid .9 FTE of Column F (Master	rs + 30), Step 4 of the
Resolution #105 - Upon motion of  BE IT RESOLVED, that upon recommendation of Board hereby reappoints Mrs. Jennifer Brussell to a part August 29, 2018 through on or before June 30, 2019.  BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mrs. Brussell of the current teachers' contract.	of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the A t-time position of Reading Teacher (.ç	magansett School OFTE) for the period
Resolution #106 - Upon motion of	t-time position of Speech Teacher (.6F d	FTE) for the period
Resolution #107 - Upon motion of	osition of Music Teacher (.9FTE) for t d	magansett School the period
Resolution #108 - Upon motion of	of Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the A time position of Foreign Language Tea 019.	magansett School cher (.9 FTE) for the
Resolution #109 - Upon motion of	ation from her Civil Service positions	of District Clerk,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Amagansett School Board does hereby appoint Mrs. Sandra L. Nuzzi to the position of District Clerk for the period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

BE IT RESOL Board hereby approve Administrator and cr and, BE IT FURTH position of Network S	Upon motion of	Superintendent Eleanor Tritt, the ty Civil Service position of Netw work Systems Coordinator (Dut t School Board does promote Ms ice Eligibility List #18EL243, eff	e Amagansett School ork Systems ies statement #18-1113), s. Jennifer Miller to the fective July 1, 2018.	
Resolution #111 - U BE IT RESOL hereby reappoints the	Jpon motion of VED that upon recommendation of S e following employees for the 2018/20	, seconded by uperintendent Eleanor Tritt, the o19 school year:	and carried, Amagansett School Board	
BE IT RESOL approves the restated	School Nurse Switchboard Operator Treasurer Full-time Bus Driver Custodial Worker III & Bus Driver Account Clerk Typist Network & Systems Coordinator Principal Clerk & District Clerk School Secretary Full-time Bus Driver Part-Time Bus Driver Custodial Worker I Full-Time Bus Driver Upon motion of VED, that the Board of Education of the employment contract between the Ded to execute said employment agreement contract.	the Amagansett Union Free Scho istrict and Principal Maria Dorr	+ summer program  oth employee (P/T 75%)  vee  e  vee  vee  ool District hereby  and authorizes the	
Board hereby reappoint and terminating on o	Upon motion of	sition of Interim Administrator o	commencing July 1, 2018	
<b>Resolution #114 -</b> Upon motion of, seconded by and carried, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President of the Board of Education is hereby authorized and directed to sign on behalf of the District an agreement providing for the employment of Dr. Allan Gerstenlauer as a Consultant for the period June 13, 2018 through June 30, 2018, and subsequently Interim Superintendent of Schools pursuant to the terms and provisions of Section 1711 of the Education Law of the State of New York, effective July 1, 2018 through on or before June 30, 2019.				
15. Community Comments (general comments)				
16. Executive Session (anticipated)				
17. Return to Publi	ic			

18. Adjournment