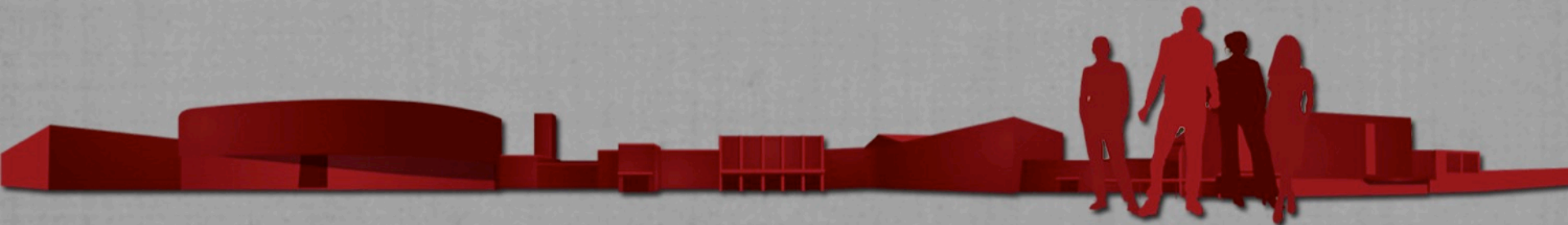


BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING

July 13, 2016

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Open Session

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance



Committee of the Whole

- *Report from Curriculum Committee*
- *Report from Finance Committee*
- *Report from Policy Committee*
- *Report from Discipline Committee*
- *Report from Facilities Committee*

Consent Agenda

- *Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting and Executive Session of April 13, 2016*
- *Approval of Minutes: Regular Meeting and Executive Session of May 11, 2016*
- *Approval of District 205 Bills dated: June 8, June 16, June 23 and June 30, 2016*
- *Personnel: Approval of Resignations, Leave of Absence, New Hires and Terminations dated July 13, 2016*

Public Participation

We now open the Public Participation section of our agenda. At this time, members of the community are invited to address the Board. We ask that you state your name and town, limit your total time to two minutes, and talk only about items on the current Board Agenda.

In addition, if your comments are of a critical nature about specific people, the Board requests that you present your comments during the personnel portion of the “executive session.”

Your name will not be called if you do not sign in and list a topic or the topic is not on the current Board agenda or if public participation has begun.

Freedom Of Information Act

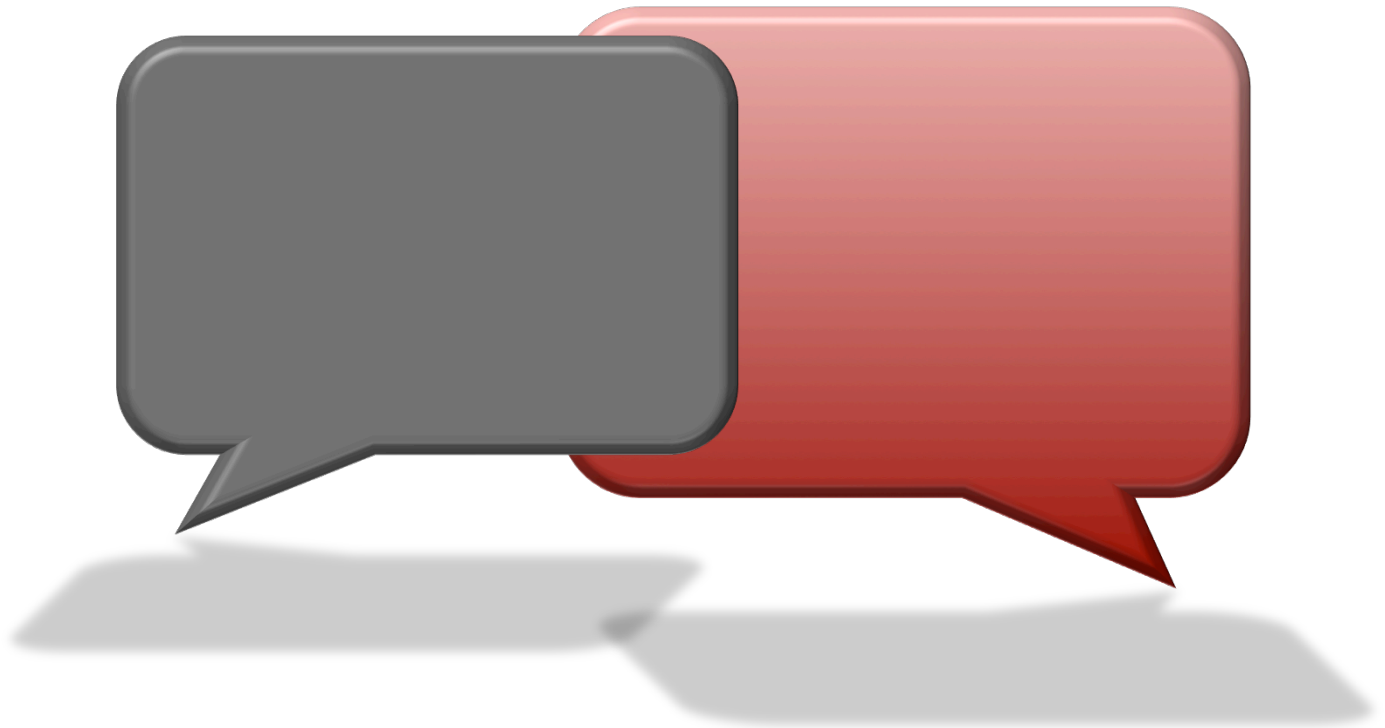
- *Dr. Doss*

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- *Mr. Arrington*



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Summer School Graduation

Thornwood High School

July 14, 2016

10am

**SUMMER
SCHOOL**

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SUMMER GIFTED STEM CELEBRATION

*You are cordially invited to attend the **Summer Gifted STEM Lunch Celebration** scheduled for July 14, 2016 at 11:30 a.m. - 2:00p.m. This ceremony will take place at Thornton Township High School's Vocational Technical Building located in T-107. Our program will feature the summer STEM workshop, group smart watch presentations, and our awards ceremony. Please come out to witness what your son or daughter has produced this summer. This will be an event not to miss.*

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Registration Dates

THORNBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL **HOME OF THE FALCONS**

Fee Payment / Schedule Pick-Up and Opening of School Year

EARLY-REGISTRATION

Tuesday July 19th

8:00am - 2:00pm

REGISTRATION

Tues. Aug. 2nd - All Students (8:30 am - 2:30 pm)

Thurs. Aug. 4th - All Students (3:00 pm - 8:00 pm)

Sat. Aug. 6th - All Students (10:00 am - 2:00 pm)

Wednesday, August 17th

***FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR
FRESHMAN ONLY***

Thursday, August 18th

***FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
FOR ALL STUDENTS***

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Registration Dates

THORNTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL **HOME OF THE WILDCATS**

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Wildcat Bash, July 19th 5 - 7pm (Class of 2020)

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Registration Dates

THORNWOOD HIGH SCHOOL **HOME OF THE THUNDERBIRDS**

Fee Payment / Schedule Pick-Up and Opening of School Year

FEE-WAIVER-DAYS

Thursdays In July

**July 7th, July 14th,
July 21st, July 28th**

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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Wildcat Headed to India

Congratulations is extended to David Clay for being selected from *The Experiment of International Living* to travel to India on a fully funded Scholarship. He will receive intensive leadership training in Washington, DC followed by a four-week experience focused on public health and community development in India. Finally, he will return to the US for debriefings, synthesis and reflection sessions and reentry workshops on the *School for International Training* campus in Southern Vermont.



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PARENTS

YOU ARE INVITED TO CAMP AVID

Paying for College

- Join us for a workshop focused on paying for your child's college education

College Chat & Chew

- Have lunch on us and talk with representatives from nearly 10 different local colleges and universities

Thornton Township HS, T-building

Thursday, July 14

Beginning at 11AM



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WILDCAT COLLEGE & CAREER PREP CAMP END OF CAMP CELEBRATION

*Join us as we celebrate the ending of an amazing 6 weeks of fun,
enriching, and educational opportunities.*

Thornton Township HS, T-building Rm. T-108

Monday, July 18

11AM – 1PM



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Thunderbirds Soar on the Golf Course

The TW Special Olympics students participated in the Special Olympics Golf Qualifier tournament where they did an outstanding job. There were two first place finishers: Tyree Hardy and Jordan Fuller, four second place finishers: Isaiah Leslie, Luis Cano, Antonio Carr and Miguel Castillo, Third place went to Sencere Gerald and seventh went to Joshua Hubbard.



Unfinished Business

New Business

- *STEM Utah Trip Presentation-*
Mr. William Lawrence

New Business

- *Recommended Approval of 2016-2017 School Calendar Modification-*
Dr. Swopes (Approval Needed)

New Business

- *Recommended Approval of Overnight Field Trip–
Mr. Willis (Approval Needed)*

New Business

- *Recommended Approval of Overnight Field Trip–
Dr. Doss (Approval Needed)*

New Business

- *First Reading of Amendments to Policy Sections: 7:190; 7:190e3; 7:200; 7:210; 7:220 and 7:240 (30-day Review) – Mr. Ratliff*

Superintendent's Report

Executive Session

- *Closed session pursuant to Section 2(c) of the Open Meetings Act to consider:*
 - *“The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body or legal counsel for the public body, including hearing testimony on a complaint lodged against an employee of the public body or against legal counsel for the public body to determine its validity.”*
 - *Student discipline*
 - *Collective negotiating matters;*
 - *Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent, and*
 - *Review of Executive Session minutes.*

Reconvene Open Session

Action Items Following **Executive Session**

- ❖ *Action Concerning Student Discipline*
- ❖ *Action Concerning Resolution Rescinding Reduction-in-Force for Certain Teachers*
- ❖ *Action Concerning Faculty Association Grievance #42516*
- ❖ *Action Concerning Compensation for Administrators and Exempt Personnel*
- ❖ *Action Concerning Hiring of Thornridge Principal*

Adjournment

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, August 10, 2016

6:30pm

Thornwood High School