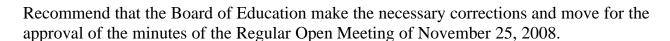
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING DEER PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT DECEMBER 16, 2008 DEER PARK HIGH SCHOOL – 8:00 pm

- I. Call to Order.
- **II**. Roll Call, Members, Board of Education.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES



IV. WELCOME DEER PARK HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS

Christine Rocco – President Nicole Falzone – Vice President Brian Giunta – Secretary

WELCOME CLASS OFFICERS

Senior Class Officers	Junior Class Officers
President – Larissa Curley	President - Michael Prescia
V. President – Jacklyn Londono	V. President - Samantha Friend
Secretary – Danielle Szewczuk	Secretary – Lauren Indelicato
Treasurer – Daniel Brunner	Treasurer – Deanna Ingrassia
Sophomore Class Officers	Freshman Class Officers
President - Ornob Chowdhury	President - Janeece Felton
V. President – Alyssa Jacullo	V. President – Alyssa Cavalcante
Secretary – Carissa Gagliano	Secretary – Samantha Effinger
	Treasurer – Kelsey Dillon

V. PRESENTATIONS:

SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO THE
DEER PARK MUSIC ASSOCIATION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION:
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT &
CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR

MR. AMESTI WOULD LIKE TO GIVE SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO MS. COTRONE AND THE MARCHING BAND STUDENTS

PRESENTATION BY MS. COTRONE ON
THE MARCHING BAND TRIP THIS PAST SPRING TO WASHINGTON, DC

Presentation to our SCHOLAR ATHLETES by Superintendent Marino and Mr. Amesti, Director of Athletics

POST SEASON HONORS FOR FALL STUDENT ATHLETES

Congratulations to the following teams who were recognized by the Section XI Athletic Association for honors for the 2008-09 Fall Student Athletes

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# **VARSITY FOOTBALL**

Coach: Ron Langella Assistant Coach: Ed Goldrick Assistant Coach: Dan Fergeson

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

**Andrew Pyatt ALL COUNTY** 

**ALL CONFERENCE** 

**Kyle Thorn ALL CONFERENCE** 

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Justin Berry ALL CONFERENCE

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Dylan Cortina ALL CONFERENCE

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Sean Hopkins ALL CONFERENCE (2<sup>ND</sup> Team)

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

**Rob Catrombone** ALL CONFERENCE (2<sup>ND</sup> Team)

Dimitry Russ ALL CONFERENCE (2<sup>ND</sup> Team)

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE team members:

Christopher Ciuffo Vincent McAnuff
Dylan Doyle Nicholas Pastore
Brian Kavanagh Nicholas Randone
Samuel Locker Shayan Rizvi

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VARSITY GIRLS SOCCER

Coach: Ian Kyranakis Assistant Coach: Greg Menig

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

This team's performance during the regular season <u>once again</u> earned them a spot in the playoffs. They advanced to the second round and finished amongst the Elite 8 in Suffolk County Class AA.

Sofia Sanchez ALL STATE

ALL COUNTY

Sydney Bond ALL COUNTY

SCHOLAR ATHLETE

Emily Fenice ALL CONFERENCE

Samantha Friend ALL LEAGUE

SCHOLAR ATHLETE

Samantha Johrden ALL LEAGUE

SCHOLAR ATHLETE

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE team members:

Ashley Brennan
Catrina Cotrone
Jenai Davidson
Nicole DeBiase
Kristina Legland
Kaitlin Monteith
Laura Pirrone
Gina Tortorici
Larisa Zambelli

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#### **VARSITY BOYS SOCCER**

Coach: Rob Franco

**Assistant Coach: Michael McLaughlin** 

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their season.

Joseph Marinaro ALL COUNTY (Academic)

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Vincent Negri ALL CONFERENCE

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Christopher Posillico ALL LEAGUE

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE Team Members:

Frank Bertelle Adrian Hurtado
Matthew Burke William Kelsch
Michael Burke Gregory McCue
Nicholas DeMonda Christian Montanez
Brian Fisher Nicholas Scotto

These students were also SECTION XI Sportsmanship Team Winners

Frank Bertelle William Kelsch Vincent Negri **Christopher Posillico Matthew Burke Kurt Liebe** Michael Burke **Robert Macaluso Brandon Rooney** Nicholas DeMonda Joseph Marinaro Joseph Rubino **Joseph Martinez Nicholas Scotto Brian Fischer Matthew Fischer Christian Montanez Jason Tobar Adrian Hurtado** William Murtha **Kyle Wynter** 

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VARSITY GIRLS SWIMMING

Coach: Craig Mangio Assistant Coach: Gwen Wagner

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season

Allyssa Patak ALL LEAGUE - 200 Medley Relay

ALL LEAGUE - 200 Free Relay ALL LEAGUE - 50 Freestyle

Kiera Fox ALL LEAGUE - 200 Medley Relay

ALL LEAGUE - 200 Free Relay

Shannon Casey ALL LEAGUE - 200 Medley Relay

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE team members:

Safra Bacchus Amanda Donnelly Jacqueline Munro
Anna Caruso Courtney Fekete Kelly Murtha
Vasiliki Cayioulis Carissa Gagliano Melissa Raynoha
Emily Daiell Melissa Marin Kayla Saraniero
Keren Sheridan

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# **VARSITY GIRLS TENNIS**

Coach: Caryn Levy

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season:

Zaera Nazir ALL LEAGUE

**SCHOLAR ATHLETE** 

Aanika Lal ALL LEAGUE

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE team members

Jaclyn Cartwright
Lindsay Depalo
Sharae Hale
Alyssa Jacullo
Jacklyn Londono
Megan Reilly
Paige Rosenberg
Jacqueline Schaefer

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VARSITY GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Coached by Dan Higgins

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Ashley Graham ALL LEAGUE

SCHOLAR ATHLETE

Alyson Dzierzynski ALL LEAGUE

Additional contributing SCHOLAR ATHLETE team members.

Marissa Di Nardo Kristina Mallon
Dana Englehardt Nina Ragone
Desiree Malhado Christina Santare
Nicole Zeblilsky

These students were also Section XI Sportsmanship Team Members

Kristen Baker Kristina Mallon Jennifer Benoit Nina Ragone Marissa DiNardo Christina Santare

Alyson Dzierzynski Tashmere Octavia Ward

Dana Englehardt Kristina Watt Ashley Graham Nicole Zeblisky

Desiree Malhado

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# **VARSITY BOYS CROSS COUNTRY**

**Coached by Christopher Kauter** 

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Jose Cisneros Abdul-Samad Mirza
Hui-Hung Hwang Robert Rotchford
Ka-Chung Hung Philip Scarfi
Brandon Lynch Randy Singh
Ronald Marciszyn Michael Soldano

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VARSITY GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

Coached by Mike Buszko

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a New York State Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Linda Burani Nicole Goh Helen Chan Ginger Valle Alina Florez Jesika Ramirez

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#### **VARSITY CHEERLEADING**

Coached by Lia Demyen Assisted by Margaret Sullivan

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a Deer Park Scholar Athlete Team. Which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Alyssa Frohnhoefer Erin Mullins

Concette Gioeli Jessica Pozankowski

Brittany Guttadauria Kedeisha Rose Deanna Merlino Victoria Russell

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VARSITY GIRLS KICKLINE

Coached by Colleen O'Brien Assisted by Angela Bonanno

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a Deer Park Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

Nicole Cito

Kaitlyn Lucas
Gabrielle Miceli

Bridget Roy

Dana Norman
Alyssa Napoli
Holly Petrone
Bridget Roy

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#### MARCHING BAND

Coached by Tammy Cotrone Lauren Donovan

This team was awarded the distinction of being recognized as a Deer Park Scholar Athlete Team, which means they maintained a GPA of 90.00 or better throughout their entire season.

| Renee Jean-Baptiste | Janelle Grizzle       | Carissa Scarfi        |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Brian Bartley       | Melissa Marin         | <b>Emily Sicinski</b> |
| <b>Brett Burnor</b> | Christina Marmo       | <b>Ashlee Thomas</b>  |
| Diana Cotrone       | Johnny Ramirez        | <b>Arielle Victor</b> |
| John Paul Cotrone   | <b>Emma Rosenthal</b> | <b>Catherine Xie</b>  |
|                     |                       | Erum Zahir            |

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# **ROBERT FROST GIRLS SOCCER**

Coached by Keri Schumacher Assisted by Danyelle Lieneck

This team completed its second consecutive UNDEFEATED season and were also Section XI SPORTSMANSHIP TEAM AWARD WINNERS

| Francesca Arena           | <b>Brianna Fatone</b> | Samantha Lagnese    |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Sydney Bernard            | Jessica Freely        | Jorden Lazarich     |
| <b>Courtney Brown</b>     | Laura Gomez           | Alicia Legland      |
| Meagan Byrne              | Nicole Gomez          | Julianne Murray     |
| Michelle Carbone          | Totianya Guadalupe    | Deandra Nash        |
| Brianna Crocco            | Megan Healy           | Sabrina Riley       |
| Lauryn Davidson           | Gina Hock             | Sabina Sookhu       |
| Jennifer Depre            | Robyn Iversen         | Brenna Svedi        |
| Rachel DiGangi            | Amanda Khare          | Nicolette Tortorici |
| <b>Alexandra Donnelly</b> | Diana Kline           | Karlee Trautwig     |
|                           |                       | Daniela Zabbatino   |
|                           |                       |                     |

# **ROBERT FROST BOYS SOCCER**

**Coached by Kevin Cogan** 

This team were also SECTION XI SPORTSMANSHIP WINNERS

| Ferdeen Afsari            | Hashim Gray          | <b>Matthew Montanez</b>    |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Anthony Bolson</b>     | Niyah Highsmith      | <b>Alexander Posillico</b> |
| Kevin Cochran             | Thomas Horne         | Nicolas Ruiz               |
| Michael DeStefano         | Jonathan Hurtado     | Sean Schultz               |
| Tyler Doogan              | Daniel Keller        | Mark Ottersen              |
| <b>Steven Dorney</b>      | Nolan Lessick        | Nicholas Rubino            |
| Patrick Duff              | <b>Anthony Marmo</b> | Nasratullah Sultany        |
| <b>Anthony Fiorentino</b> | Joseph McGarty       | Salvatore Trovato          |
| Kevin Fischer             | Laquan Mclain        | Michael Valenti            |
| Daniel Friend             | Frank Mitrani        |                            |
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#### VI. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

# 1. <u>ABOLISHMENT OF A POSITION</u>

# **RECOMMEND**, that the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that effective March 10, 2009, that the Civil Service position of Network & Systems Specialist II, District Title Manager, MIS Technology Systems is hereby abolished, and

#### IT IS FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the employment of Robert Zuber, holding such a position at this time, is hereby terminated, effective such date.

# 2. <u>COMPUTER FRAUD INSURANCE</u>

#### **RECOMMEND** that the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Deer Park School District's computer fraud insurance liability policy be increased from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000 of coverage, and

#### IT IS FURTHER

RESOLVED, that employee dishonesty coverage will automatically be increased to match the computer fraud limit.

# 3. **FIRST READING OF "REVISED" BOARD POLICY**

#### **RECOMMEND** that the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED that the Deer Park Board of Education approve the revisions to the following Board of Education policies:

- ✓ Policy #5110 School Attendance Areas
- ✓ Policy #5206 Secondary Extra Co-Curricular & Athletic Eligibility Policy
- ✓ Policy #6640 Inventory
- ✓ Policy #6680 Internal Audit Function

# 4. OMNI AGREEMENT

#### **RECOMMEND** that the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education adopt the 403(b) Plan attached hereto and made a part, hereof, and

#### IT IS FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approve the agreement with Omni to administer the plan which is attached hereto, and made a part, hereof, and

#### IT IS FURTHER

RESOLVED that the Board of Education approves the agreement with FIDELITY EMPLOYER SERVICES COMPANY,LLC for record keeping services in connection with the plan, and

#### IT IS FURTHER

RESOLVED that the Board president be authorized to sign the agreements on behalf of the Board of Education

# 5. <u>2009-2010 SCHOOL CALENDAR</u>

#### **RECOMMEND** that the Board of Education approve the following resolution:

RESOLVED, that the Board of Education approve the 2009-2010 school district calendar for the upcoming school year (as attached).

# VII. APPROVAL OF SCHEDULES

# SCHEDULE 08-BP-686 – SCHEDULE OF BILLS PAYABLE

| Workers Comp & Unemploy. | 11 | 11/26/08 | \$ 6,037.24  |
|--------------------------|----|----------|--------------|
| Trust & Agency           | 5  | 11/25/08 | 1,886,963.52 |
| Federal Funds            | 12 | 11/25/08 | 153,544.34   |
| General Fund             | 15 | 11/25/08 | 4,470,321.77 |
| School Lunch             | 6  | 12/02/08 | 222,000.30   |
| Workers Comp & Unemploy. | 12 | 12/02/08 | 5,515.89     |
| Federal Funds            | 14 | 12/02/08 | 63,416.11    |
| General Fund             | 17 | 12/01/08 | 1,845,048.92 |
| Workers Comp & Unemploy. | 13 | 12/9/08  | 12,341.89    |
| General Fund             | 20 | 12/10/08 | 131,984.70   |
| School Lunch             | 7  | 12/16/08 | 4,192.52     |
| Federal Fund             | 16 | 12/16/08 | 30,639.79    |

General Fund 19 12/16/08 2,020,662.97

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-E-312 – TRANSFER OF BUDGETARY</u> FUNDS

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# SCHEDULE 08-F-119 – CONTRACT REPORT

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-H-12 – HOME TEACHING REGULAR AND SPECIAL EDUCATION (CONFIDENTIAL)</u>

#### SCHEDULE 08-S-12 – SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION (CONFIDENTIAL)

#### NON INSTRUCTIONAL

#### <u>SCHEDULE 08-NN-367 – APPOINTMENTS (NON-INSTRUCTIONAL)</u>

#### **Debra Tuckey-Stengel**

HS/3 hr. Non-Instructional Aide

Salary: \$11.29/hr. Effective: 12/10/08

# SCHEDULE 08-NNPS-220 – PER DIEM SUBSTITUTES (NON-INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### Karen Ann Camodeo

Substitute Cafeteria Aide

Salary: \$8.00/hr Effective: 12/10/08

#### **Sudershan Kaur**

Substitute Cafeteria Aide

Salary: \$8.00/hr. Effective: 12/10/08

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-OO-313 – RETIREMENTS/REMOVALS/TERMINATIONS'/</u> RESIGNATIONS (NON-INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### **Donna Cardone**

DW - Substitute Cafeteria Aide

Effective: 11/20/08

Resignation: No outstanding obligation to the District

#### **Denise Wilner**

DW - Substitute Cafeteria Aide

Effective: 12/01/08

Resignation: No outstanding obligation to the District

#### SCHEDULE 08-QQ-127 – LEAVES OF ABSENCE (NON-INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### Susan Grabhorn

Transportation/Bus Aide JFK/Cafeteria Aide Effective: 12/5/08-12/19/09

#### INSTRUCTIONAL MATTERS

#### Laura Orzo

Robert Frost / Long Term Substitute Leave Replacement

Teaching Area: Special Education

Certification: Initial

Salary/Step: \$51,353 – (Prorated at \$17,460 – MA/Step 1) Effective: 12/1/08-3/13/09 or at the discretion of the

Board of Education

# **Faye Parag**

May Moore / Long Term Substitute Leave Replacement

Teaching Area: Special Education

Certification: Initial

Salary: \$51,353 – (Prorated at \$2568 – MA/Step 1) Effective: 12/6/08-12/19/08 or at the discretion of the

**Board of Education** 

Extension of previous appointment

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-NC-57 – COORDINATOR ASSIGNMENT</u> (INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### John Heeg

District Wide – Mentor Coordinator

Salary: \$250/month

Effective: 12/1/08-6/30/09

#### SCHEDULE 08-NPS-222 – PER DIEM SUBSTITUTES (INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### **Christianne Vella**

Certification: Initial Per Diem Substitute Salary: \$100/day Effective: 6/1/09

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# <u>SCHEDULE 08-NS-230 – APPOINTMENTS (INSTRUCTIONAL)</u> REGULAR SUBSTITUTES

#### **Christianne Vella**

HS/ Permanent Substitute Certification: Initial Salary: \$115/day

Starting: 12/12/08-5/31/09 or at the discretion of the

**Board of Education** 

#### SCHEDULE 08-Q-201 – LEAVES OF ABSENCE (INSTRUCTIONAL)

#### **Kelly Ann Acevedo**

JFK/Elementary

**Change dates to**: 11/20/08-1/19/09 Maternity Sick Leave (FMLA)

# Patricia Eysser

MM/Elementary

Effective: 1/5/09-2/13/09 Maternity Sick Leave (FMLA)

#### Melissa Plocinski

RF/Special Education

Effective: 12/1/08-1/23/09 – Maternity Sick Leave (FMLA) 1/26/09-3/13/09 – Remainder of FMLA

#### **Annmarie Gruttadaurio**

HS/Teaching Assistant Effective: 11/25/08-12/9/08 Medical Leave (FMLA)

#### **Colleen Scannell**

MM/Special Education

Effective: 10/24/08-12/14/08 - Maternity Sick Leave (FMLA)

12/15/08-12/19/08 - Remainder of FMLA

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-TA-40 – APPOINTMENTS (INSTRUCTIONAL)</u>

# Jenny Halpin

JQA/Probationary
Teaching Assistant/Health Aide
Certification: Initial
Salary: \$17,000/Step 1 (Prorated at \$11,730)
\$3750 (Prorated at \$2588)

Effective: 12/3/08-12/2/11

# Margo Kilkelly

JQA/Probationary Teaching Assistant Certification: Level I

Salary: \$17,000 / Step 1 (Prorated at \$11,730)

Effective: 12/3/08-12/2/11

#### **Diane LoPiccolo**

MM/Probationary Teaching Assistant Certification: Initial

Salary: \$17,000 / Step 1 (Prorated at \$11,730)

Effective: 12/3/08-12/2/11

#### Brenda Klein

JFK/Teaching Assistant

**Tenure Date Correction** – 9/1/06-8/31/09

#### **SCHEDULE 08-TR-27 – TRANSFERS (INSTRUCTIONAL)**

#### **Kimberly Rivera**

From: JFK To: JQA No change in salary Effective: 11/17/08

#### Frank Mastandrea

From: JQA To: JFK No change in salary Effective: 11/17/08

#### VIII. RECEIPT OF SCHEDULES

**RECOMMEND, that the Board of Education approve the following schedules collectively:** 

#### SCHEDULE 08-A-356 – TREASURER'S REPORT AND COMPUTER RUN

Statement of Revenues General Fund – November

Federal Fund - November School Lunch Fund - November

Treasurer's Report November
Cash Flow November

Check Listing of Numbers November 13, 2008-November 25, 2008

November 26, 2008- December 10, 2008

# <u>SCHEDULE 08-B-686 – APPROPRIATION OF BUDGET STATUS REPORT</u>

Appropriation Budget Status Report General Fund – November

Capital November – Regular Capital

Bond Capital

Federal Fund – November

School Lunch Fund - November

Extra Classroom Activities Funds September ( Frost)

October (Frost)

Trial Balance General Fund

School Lunch

Workers' Comp & Unemployment

Federal Fund Capital Projects Trust & Agency Private Purpose Trust Flexible Benefits

#### IX. PUBLIC BE HEARD

X. Concerns, Comments, Questions, - BOARD OF EDUCATION

# XI. Adjournment

