



# Kenston Board of Education

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**COMMENDATIONS:** The superintendent approved the following commendations: Kenston High School's 2010 Winter Sports All Academic: Basketball: **Pat Behm, Megan Cardaman, Jeff Catlin, Stephanie Deuley**; Swimming: **Ryan Astalos, Rachel Bullock, Sarah Devonshire, Katherine Obringer, Craig Piunno, Brooke Potts, Justin Schultz, Jessica Sofranko**; Hockey: **A.J. Mangan, Greg Revak, Kyle Weninger**; Wrestling: **Mike Fussell, Brendan Gilday, Jake Kazimir**; Gymnastics: **Taylor Lincoln, Alyssa Riddle, Carlee Ridgway**. Work accepted to show in the Ohio Governors Youth Art Exhibition: **Kit Mizeres, Liz Thimmig, Brooke Belohlavek and Hanna Zucker**; Bomberettes for placing first at the CCC Hard Rockin' National Championship: **Jenna Abele, Leah Clemmer, Kate Colsch, Brittany Elliott, Tate Hamilton, Alexandra Gentile, Allison Kumnick, Megan Montville, Shannon Pesek, Amanda Powell, Renata Rozsnyai, Liz Schaefer, Kristin Schultz, Jazmin Stokes and Alison Tatro**. **Seth Kubaitis**, KHS student, for placing 1<sup>st</sup> in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade division of the 2010 "Stop the Hate Youth Speak Out" Essay Contest sponsored by the Maltz Museum of Jewish Heritage. KHS students **Shannon Shaver** for placing 1<sup>st</sup> in prose, and **Nicole Raab** for placing 3<sup>rd</sup> in poetry in the Ohioana Robert Fox Awards for Young Writers. KIS teachers, **Leila Grumbos, Stephanie Olup, Bonnie Bernstein, Mark Goodine**, and **Nancy Olson** for receiving a Certificate of Special Merit from the Samuel H. Elliott Award for Leadership in Economics in Education.

**PROFESSIONAL TRIPS:** Approved the following professional trips: **Mary Beth Hearn**s, Co-Teaching Working Together to Meet the Needs of Diverse Learners (also **Pam Garrett, Rebecca Stephanadis, Rita Pressman, Jack DiCello, Amanda Englehart, Laurie Hance, Terry Markoff**); **Yahui Xu**, Ohio Foreign Language Association workshop; **Greg Koltas**, Math Core Curriculum Standards Forum; **Rita Pressman**, Family & Civic Engagement - Grant Orientation; **Jackie England**, eSIS to EMIS Year End Training; **Joan Hamilton, Tom Fussner and Anne Randall**, Ohio School Board Association Board Leadership Institute; **Greg Koltas**, Credit Flexibility, Auburn Career Center; **Chris Vasil**, 2010 OSSCA (Ohio Scholastic Soccer Coaches Association) Soccer Coaching Symposium; **Frank Novotny**, Wastewater Review, Walters Environmental Consulting; **Karen Bechtel**, Orange Schools, Observation of Literacy Program (also **Gail Hastings, Tamara Perrine, Nicole Wichert, Mary Lou Haas, Kristine Edwards, Jason Peterson, Leila Grumbos, Mary Croft**); **Tom Gabram**, Response to Intervention Seminar.

**SUPPLEMENTALS:** **Staff, 2009/10 School Year:** **Eric Nelson**, Water Operator; **Josh Jakacki**, Basketball, Ext. Season; **Alan Thomas**, KMS Trip Chaperone (7<sup>th</sup>) **Josh Timmons**, Basketball, Ext. Season. KMS Trip Chaperones, 6<sup>th</sup>: **Mary O'Toole, Angela Sedmak Erin Ballantyne, Ann Frasz, Josh Jakacki, Rich Abraham, Jeff Gowdy, Ray Kimpton, Jennifer Miller, Linda Levi, Sondra Kosinski, Sandy Galicki, Brian Malloy, Tom Miller, Kevin Hinkle, Carolyn Massie**, Alternates: **Mary Lynn Hope, Rob Winton, Cheryl Murphy, Pat Brockway**. KMS Trip Chaperone, 8<sup>th</sup>: **Jeff Fromwiller, Jodie Todia, Kevin Hinkle, Lee Ann Popovich, Christy Kerchenski, Jeff Gowdy, Mary Lynn Hope, Santina Lucarelli, Ray Kimpton, Kristin Urycki, Brent Barr, Wendy Wilk, Zach Kowalski, Brian Holley, Angela Sedmak, Josh Timmons, Tom Miller, Rob Winton**, Alternate: **Josh Jakacki**. **Non Staff 2009/10 School Year:** **Jim Revak**, Hockey, Ext. Season; **Jim Mangan**, Ext. Season; **Christina Paperone**, Cheerleading Basketball, Ext. Season; **Krista Koenig**, Track, Asst. Girls Coach, **Stephanie Nemcek**, KMS Trip Chaperone, 8<sup>th</sup>. **Staff, 2010/11 School Year:** **Nancy Olson**, Grade Level Chairperson, Gr. 5; **Janine Collins**, Grade Level Chairperson, Gr. 4; **Mark Goodine**, Grade Level Technology, Web Page, KIS; **Kathleen Bowers**, Chorus Director, Gr. 5;

**Stephanie Olup**, Student Council, Gr. 5; **Christine Fogel**, Student Council, Gr. 4; **Kathy Werner**, Band, Auxiliary Unit Advisor, Camp, Drill Team Camp; KHS Substitute Caller; **Eric Nelson**, Water Operator; **Michelle Spicuzza**, Grade Level Chairperson, Gr. 3; **Theresa Petrick**, Grade Level Chairperson, Gr. 2; **Sarah Snyder**, Grade Level Chairperson, Gr. 1; **Kathy Hryb**, TES Student Council, Gr. 3; **Sue Runevitch**, Grade Level Technology, TES; **Erin Lewis**, TES Web Page; **Rick Suba**, Club Advisor, Zoo Crew.

**ADMINISTRATIVE:** Approved two-year contracts effective August 1, 2010 for the following administrators: **Jack DiCello**, Principal KIS; **Kristen Hasenhorl**, Asst. Principal, TES; **Marilyn Kahle**, Principal, GELC; **Ray Kimpton**, Asst. Principal, KMS; **Katy McGrath**, Director, Community Relations; **Kathleen Poe**, Principal, TES; **Rita Pressman**, Director, Special Education.

**TEACHING:** Approved the lists of teachers on continuing status and the limited status for the 2010-11 school year. Teachers eligible for continuing contract status effective with the 2010-11 school year: **Christian Barrus**, KHS; **Kim Craig**, KHS; **Brian Holley**, KMS; **Josh Jakacki**, KSM; **Ellen Larkin**, KHS; **Linda Levi**, KMS; **Terry Markoff**, KHS; **Mary McCabe**, GELC; **John Misenko**, KHS; **Theresa Petrick**, TES; **Katie Phillips**, KHS; **Sarah Snyder**, TES; **Christopher Vasil**, KHS; **Shannon Wirthwein**, KMS. Approved leave of absence for **Karen Myers**. Approved the retirement resignation of **Nancy Childs**, KIS.

**NON TEACHING:** Approved the lists of non teaching continuing status and probationary status for the 2010-11 school year.

**OBSOLETE EQUIPMENT:** Sealed bids for the obsolete equipment must be submitted to the Treasurer's office by noon on April 29, 2010. **TES:** Califone-CD/Tape player and radio.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Approval of Auburn Rec Board Appointments: **Marty Palumbo**, term ending June 30, 2010; **Bill Doak**, term ending June 30, 2011; **Michael Barnes**, term ending June 30, 2012. Approved Non-Teaching Substitute Rate Revision for Drivers/Mechanic/Maintenance/Grounds. Approved the advertisement of bids for the repair of the exterior west wall of the Timmons Elementary School gym.

**DONATIONS:** The following donations were accepted and approved:  
\$50 from Mr. and Mrs. Osborne toward 7<sup>th</sup> grade camp scholarships.  
\$25 from Mr. and Mrs. Lamb toward 7<sup>th</sup> grade camp scholarships.  
\$50 from Michael and Sandra Kinney to the KHS website.  
Class subscription to Russian Life magazine from Ted Krejsa to the KHS Russian foreign language program.  
\$139 from Dr. and Mrs. Ray Rozman to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade Washington, D.C. trip.  
Snare drum from Patty Highlander to the KIS Music/Band Department.  
\$150 from the GELC PTO to the GELC Principal's Fund.

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING:** **May 17th, 2010** Timmons Elementary Multipurpose Room, 7 pm