

**MEETING OF BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MT. VERNON
MARCH 7, 2011**

RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENTS

ART

Art work from the following MVHS students have been chosen for the Evansville Museum High School Art Show:

Cassandra Baker
MecKenzie Heckman
Johnathon Rye
Lauren Sacco
Jami Hollar
Kate Cox
Katelyn Herrenbruck
Amanda Kester
Sabrina Hollar
Erica Martin
Shannon felty
Mary Klueh
Brooke Stewart
Dalton Marshall
Cassie Thompson
Carissa Hoskins
Montana Eaton

BASKETBALL

Carynn Koch and Jacey Ritzert have been selected to the Big 8 All Conference Girls' Basketball Team.

BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS

Hannah Pyle, MVHS student, placed eighth in Integrated Office Applications competition at the Business Professionals of America State Leadership Conference.

DANCE CATS

The Dance Cats placed first in Jazz and first in Hip Hop in recent IHSDTA competition. They now qualify for regional competition in Bloomington.

ISSMA SOLO & ENSEMBLE CONTESTS

The following MVHS students earned awards at State ISSMA Instrumental and Vocal Solo and Ensemble Contests recently:

INSTRUMENTAL SOLO

Gold Medal

Andrew Higgins – trombone solo

VOCAL SOLO AND ENSEMBLES

Gold Medals

Andrew Abad
Angelus
Josie Brown
Chamber Choir
David Cole
Melanie Davis
Katelynn Herrenbruck
Kate Higgins
Kira Irons
Michelle Huff
Jenna Rueger
Michelle Walker

Silver Medals

Abad Quartet
David Barton
Cul
Carly Gray
The Seifert Quartet

STAFF

Darla Edwards, MVHS physical education and science teacher, recently received the 2011 Phyllis L. Tubbs Service Award from the Indiana Coaches of Girls' Sports Association.

CONTRACT BUS ROUTES 2011-15

The Board accepted the bid from Nix Bus Sales for all contracted bus routes for 2011-2015 as recommended.

EMPLOYMENT

The Board confirmed the employment of Lora Schmitt as a custodian as recommended.

CPF EMERGENCY RESOLUTION

The Board adopted a resolution authorizing the use of the CPF Emergency Fund allocation to replace a variable frequency drive on a boiler pump at the high school in an amount not to exceed \$5,500.00 as recommended.

TEST PLOT LEASES

The Board approved test plot lease agreements with the Ports of Indiana, Cargill, Inc., and Jim and Idella Davis as recommended.

2011-12 CHILDCARE PROGRAM

The Board granted permission to advertise on March 16 and 23, 2011, for proposals for a childcare program for the 2011-12 school year.

IN-DISTRICT MILEAGE

The Board adopted a revised in-district mileage chart as recommended.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

Information to the Board included MVJHS Bobcat Parent Focus of February 21 & 28, 2011, Farmersville Falcon News, School Lunch Menu for March, and Scholarship Committee Members – 2011.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

Thursday, March 17, 2011 at 5:45 p.m.

Monday, April 4, 2011 at 5:45 p.m.

Monday, April 18, 2011 at 5:45 p.m.

Board Workshop - Thursday, March 10, 2011 from 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

All meetings will be held at the junior high school.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board met in Executive Session after the regular meeting.