

# **Spotlight on the Board**

## **Notes from the District 15 School Board Meeting**

### **June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2006**

*Spotlight on the Board* is a collection of notes taken at the District 15 School Board meetings by Pleasant Hill PTAs' School Board liaison, Susan Quinn. They are meant to help parents and staff who are unable to attend the Board meetings on a regular basis to keep informed about the issues and plans affecting the district. These Notes are not endorsed by District 15 or the Board of Education. Below are the highlights from the June "Regular" meeting.

- 1. District introduces 5 assistant principals, 3 new to the district**
  - a. Winston Elem/Pleasant Hill ("Scott"), Winston Jr. High ("Paul") and Sandberg Jr. High ("Paul"), Lake Louise (Jeanette Sander), Lincoln (Mary Beth Knoppel).
- 2. Board approved unanimously a variety of bids for health and food service supplies, a resolution to prepare the 2006-07 Tentative Budget, Abatement of the Working Cash Fund 2006-07, and other items**
- 3. Board approved (4:1) Insurance and Workers Comp coverage (Keenan voted "no" objecting to lack of bids)**
- 4. Board approved (3:2) joining the IASB (Illinois Association of School Boards) for the 2006-07 year (Keenan and Millar voted "no"). IASB provides policy recommendations and other services to School Boards in Illinois.**
  - a. Keenan, Millar said IASB did not lobby for suburban interests, wanted to work with local school districts to form policy
  - b. Carlson, Mikula, Silverman wanted to stay with IASB for one more year while forming an "ad-hoc" committee to work with local school districts to form policy

Board notes will continue through the summer! SUBSCRIBE to the *Spotlight on the Board* notes via email at [www.phpta.org](http://www.phpta.org). Next Board meeting is Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2006, 7 pm at Sundling Jr. High – this is a "Regular" meeting.