

SACHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Holbrook, New York

Samoset Middle School
Board Room

September 17, 2008
7:00 P.M.

Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

The Board of Education welcomes all who are attending this meeting.

A. OPENING OF MEETING

1. **Call to Order** Anthony Falco, President will preside.
A quorum is expected.

B. EXECUTIVE SESSION – The Board will immediately convene to executive session to discuss personnel matters.

C. OPEN SESSION – The Board will reconvene to open session.

1. **Salute to the Flag**
2. **Moment of Silence**
3. **Approval of Minutes**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following minutes”:

August 14, 2008	Special
August 20, 2008	Regular

D. RECOGNITIONS

NYSSMA Student Musicians

E. VISITORS

1. **Visitors** (Each visitor will be limited to 3 minutes)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education welcome visitors who wish to address the Board on matters relating to this agenda.”

If you wish to speak, please fill out a card (located on the table in the rear of the room) and turn in to the table in the front of the room adjacent to the Board of Education. The President of the Board will call speakers to the floor.

F. BUSINESS ITEMS

1. Bid Awards

Certain supplies, materials, and equipment to be used in various school units have been advertised for bid in accordance with section 103 of the General Municipal Laws. Bids have been evaluated by the staff and recommendations for action are ready to be made.

The bid awards presented for action are:

- a. Athletic Team Uniforms-Soccer & Basketball-*approve*
- b. Test Forms-*approve*
- c. Imprinted Stationery, Envelopes, Business Cards-*approve*

G. PERSONNEL ITEMS

Consent Agenda for Personnel Items G.1.a through G.5.a

1.a. Resignation of Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the resignation of teaching personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Date</u>
Rosenbaum, Amy	English	Sachem East	Personal	8/29/08

1.b. Probationary Appointments of Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the appointment of probationary teachers as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Hinkaty, Jonathan	English	East	2-4	9/1/08-6/30/11
Mangano, Shannon	Speech	Gatelot/Lynwood	6-7	9/1/08**
McGrath, Kathleen	English	Sachem East	3-4	9/1/08-6/30/11

** Excessed teacher rehired, previously tenured.

1.c. Leave Replacement Appointments of Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the leave replacement appointments of teaching personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Alexander, Danielle	Elementary	Samoset	2-2	9/1/08-6/30/09
Droll, Catherine	Reading	Wenonah	2-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Freaso, Teresa	Speech	OSS/Nokomis	6-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Lecarreux-Platzer, China*	Elementary	Lynwood	2-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Maloupis, Donna*	Speech	Tecumseh	4-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Marino, Christine*	Elementary	Chippewa	1-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Rosen, Devon	Elementary	Gatlot	1-4	9/1/08-6/30/09
Schweiger, Michelle*	Elementary	Cayuga	1-1	9/1/08-6/30/09
Turner, Susan *	Elementary	Merrimac	1-4	9/1/08-6/30/09

*Conditional appointment in accordance with recent modification to the Project SAVE legislation, effective August 10, 2001.

1.d. Salary Changes for Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the salary changes for teaching personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Date of Change</u>	<u>From Step</u>	<u>To Step</u>	<u>Salary Difference</u>
Banschback, Jeanine	Wenonah	9/1/08	5-3	5-4	2,237.00
Barracca, Victoria	Gatlot	9/1/08	3-3	3-4	2,237.00
Bennett, Maria	Cayuga	9/1/08	8-7	8-8	2,461.00
Brezak, Andrew	Sachem North	9/1/08	4-7	4-8	2,238.00
Broadbent, Kristin	Sequoia	9/1/08	10-8	10-9	2,461.00
Colletti, Kristen	Seneca	9/1/08	3-6	3-7	2,238.00
Conklin-Penwell, Kelly	Sachem North	9/1/08	4-7	4-8	2,238.00
Connors, Katherine	Sachem East	9/1/08	1-4	1-5	2,238.00
DeLuca, Beth Ann	Grundy	9/1/08	7-2	7-4	4,923.00
Dente, Jeannine	Sachem East	9/1/08	6-6	6-7	2,237.00
Esposito, Deborah	Sachem East	9/1/08	9-5	9-6	2,461.00
Fiore, Annemarie	Lynwood	9/1/08	5-5	5-6	2,237.00
Fiore, James	Cayuga	9/1/08	7-7	7-8	2,461.00
Friedrichs, Jennifer	Wenonah	9/1/08	11-8	11-9	2,461.00
Gillespie, Arlene	Sachem East	9/1/08	2-1	2-2	2,238.00
Guarino, Stephanie	Samoset	9/1/08	4-2	4-4	4,475.00
Gutmann, Elizabeth	Sachem North	9/1/08	6-4	6-5	2,237.00
Holl, William	Sachem North	9/1/08	2-1	2-2	2,238.00
Keane, Nancy	Hiawatha	9/1/08	2-4	2-5	2,237.00
Krausz, Kevin	Wenonah	9/1/08	5-2	5-4	4,475.00
Kyle, Alyssa	Lynwood	9/1/08	2-1	2-2	2,238.00
Lewonka, Lauren	Sagamore	9/1/08	3-4	3-5	2,238.00
Macy, Jason	Tamarac	9/1/08	3-1	3-2	2,237.00
Massaro, Jessica	Hiawatha	9/1/08	7-5	7-6	2,461.00
Monroy, Anna	Sagamore	9/1/08	2-1	2-2	2,238.00
Oaks, Christopher	Seneca	9/1/08	8-8	8-9	2,461.00
Roell, Carolyn	Sachem North	9/1/08	7-8	7-9	2,461.00

Shannon, Linda	Waverly	9/1/08	12-5	12-6	2,462.00
Shivers, Katherine	Samoset	9/1/08	11-8	11-9	2,461.00
Sullivan, Vanessa	Sagamore	9/1/08	7-2	7-4	4,923.00
Treacy, Courtney	Gatlot	9/1/08	4-5	4-6	2,238.00
Trentowski, Katie	Tecumseh	9/1/08	8-5	8-6	2,462.00
Weston, Jonathan	Sachem North	9/1/08	2-1	2-2	2,238.00
Zieman, William	Tamarac	9/1/08	4-1	4-2	2,238.00

1.e. Tenure Appointments for Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the tenure appointments for teaching personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Increment</u>
Evan, Tina	School Media Specialist	Tecumseh	10/20/08	\$262..40
O’Brien, Faith	Elementary	Cayuga	10/4/08	\$278.80
Piazza, Christina	Special Education	Sachem East	10/2/08	\$278.80
Stellato, Maria	Elementary	Wenonah	10/27/08	\$262.40

1.f. Ten Year Increment for Teaching Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the ten year increments for teaching personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Otto, Judith	Waverly	9/4/08	\$270.00
Savery, Cherisse	North	9/19/08	\$255.00

1.g. Approval of Substitute Teachers

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the substitute teacher list as follows”:

Alcalde, Steven*	Esposito, Kristen*	Luciano, Angela*
Argenzio, Laura*	Faison, Mildred*	Mallon, Edward
Atcosta, Kristen	Feire, Bryan*	Manganello, AnneMarie*
Brenner, Allison*	Fiorio, Jennifer*	Marlowe, Monica*
Butler, Erin*	Groen, Jennifer*	Mascolo, Robert*
Cappelmann, Lynn*	Gouldsbury, April*	McGuire, Deborah*
Cortes, Elizabeth*	Goz, Dara*	McMahon, Alexandria*
Curtin, Nicole*	Gurney, Jamie Lynn*	Moraglia, Courtney
DaCosta, Patricia*	Halpin, Jenny*	Moran, Karly*
DeMaria, Robert*	Hokanson, Elizabeth*	Morrissey, Lauren*
DeTomasso, Gina*	Kiernan, Kelly*	Mosby, Michael*
Donohue, Susan*	Kouimanis, Vivian	Nugent, Fallon*
Eger, Lisa*	Lewando, Theresa*	Olivari, Lauren*

Olmstead, Ashley*	Schiraldi, Elizabeth*	Vaianella, Christopher*
Pazereckas, Joseph*	Schmidt, Erin*	Yirce, Michele*
Poserina, Nancy*	Smith, Michelle*	
Quigley, Kimberly*	Smith, Nicole*	

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1.h. Termination/Resignation of Substitute Teachers

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the termination/resignation of substitute teachers as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>
Adkins, Sean	8/29/08	Kemerson, Karen	8/25/08
Alongi, Joseph	8/25/08	Kinkaid, Janine	8/25/08
Barra, Jennifer	8/29/08	Kirby, Jeffrey	8/25/08
Batewell, Kimberly	8/25/08	Koerner, Susan	8/25/08
Belz, Janet	8/25/08	Laraque, Denise	8/25/08
Bene-Mullee, Brooke	8/25/08	Lyman, Lauren	8/25/08
Berard, Ryan	8/29/08	MacCary, Emily	8/25/08
Blair, Laurie	8/25/08	McCarroll, Megan	8/25/08
Boller, Thomas	8/25/08	Mennella, Robyn	8/25/08
Borrero, Debra	8/25/08	Moore, Jennifer	8/25/08
Burghardt, Patricia	8/25/08	Murillo, Dana	8/25/08
Cacioli, Jaclyn	8/25/08	Murnane, Lauren	8/25/08
Caraciolo, Nicole	8/25/08	Myers, Jennifer	9/5/08
Cassibba, Lori	8/25/08	Newberg, Robin	8/25/08
Cerullo, Matthew	9/3/08	Nielsen, Rita	8/25/08
Cheetham, Heather	8/25/08	O’Sullivan, William	8/25/08
Chu, Bridget	8/25/08	Pantanelli, Lia	8/21/08
Cimaglia, Marie	8/20/08	Parlapiano, Regina	8/25/08
Conroy, Renee	8/25/08	Piccirillo, Alexander	8/25/08
Crespolini, Jamie	8/25/08	Pollard, Kerri	8/25/08
Csorny, Brian	8/25/08	Prete, Kristin	8/25/08
Davis, Kimberly	8/25/08	Reynolds, John	8/25/08
Dean, Kathleen	8/25/08	Riker, Karen	8/25/08
DelMastro, Nicole	8/29/08	Ruff, Cory	8/25/08
Dittmeier, Marissa	8/25/08	Rugen, William	8/25/08
Dugan, Kathleen	8/25/08	Sarno, John	8/25/08
Dziadowicz, Adam	8/25/08	Schelberg, Sharon	8/25/08
Esteves, Susan	8/25/08	Schreck, Paul	8/25/08
Finn, Thomas	8/29/08	Skowronski, Jennifer	8/25/08
Fleming, Cole	9/5/08	Sneider, Matthew	8/25/08
Fleming, Mary Kate	8/25/08	Sommo, Frank	8/25/08
Forman, Jessica	8/25/08	Sullivan, Carol	8/25/08
Fortin, Arthur	9/5/08	Tappin, Edward	8/25/08
Gambino, James	8/25/08	Thalhamer, Tracy	8/29/08
Granata, Elizabeth	8/25/08	Tipton, Andrea	8/25/08
Grass, Christina	8/25/08	Tringone, Joseph	8/25/08
Haughwout, Peter	8/25/08	Valiando, Michael	8/25/08
Hoffman, Keith	8/25/08	Verso, Gina	8/25/08
Hoose, Lisa	8/25/08	Wilson, Adrienne	8/25/08
Huancayo, Patricia	9/5/08	Zambito, Toni	8/25/08
Iovino, Karen	8/25/08		

2.a. Resignation of Teacher Assistants/Interpreters

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the resignation of teacher assistants/interpreters as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Balzarini, John	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sagamore	8/29/08
Fresolone, Catherine	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	8/29/08
Keane, Laurelle	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	8/29/08
Lewis, Jennifer	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Seneca	8/29/08

2.b. Declination of Teacher Assistant Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the declination of teacher assistant personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Alexander, Danielle	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sachem East	8/21/08
Kouimanis, Vivian	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	8/21/08
Moraglia, Courtney	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	8/22/08

2.c. Appointment of Probationary Teacher Assistants/Interpreters

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the appointment of probationary teacher assistants/interpreters as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Tenure Area</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Kirschenheiter, Kim	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Gatlot	2-3	9/1/08-10/21/10
Knee, Jacqueline*	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/11
Montalbano, John	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Seneca	2-3	9/1/08-6/30/10
Nowakowski, Marissa	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Seneca	2-3	9/1/08-6/30/10
Reilly, Elizabeth	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sagamore	2-3	9/1/08-5/18/11
Santulli, Christi	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/11
Selesky, Renee	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	2-3	9/1/08-3/13/10
Umina, Kristi	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Seneca	4-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Vasquez, Andrea	Special Education Teacher Assistant	Sagamore	2-3	9/1/08-6/30/10

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2.d. Appointment of Leave Replacement Teacher Assistants/Interpreters

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the appointment of leave replacement teacher assistants/interpreters as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Baccoli, Linda*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Gatelor	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Bourgal, Allison	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sagamore	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Curran, Michael	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sachem East	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Damm, James*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Tecumseh	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Dunn, Matthew*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Ferrara, Melissa*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Seneca	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Fresolone, Victoria	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Chippewa	2-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Gorczycki, Laura*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	2-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Guichard, Deborah	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Samoset	1-2	9/1/08-6/30/09
Leggio, Dawn*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	1-1	9/1/08-6/30/09
Loeber, Kristen*	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Seneca	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09
Rodriguez, Nereida	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Sequoia	1-1	9/1/08-6/30/09
Tobin, Nicole	Special Ed Teacher Assistant	Wenonah	1-3	9/1/08-6/30/09

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3.a. Resignation of Support Services Personnel (All Civil Service Classifications)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the resignation of support services personnel (all Civil Service classifications) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position & Assignment</u>	<u>Service Ends</u>
Bloom, Michael	Bus Driver/Transportation	07/30/08
Colon, Ana	3 Hr. FSW/Seneca	08/31/08
Corcoran, Laurie	Hall Monitor/Sequoia	09/01/08
Dratch, Lance	Bus Driver/Transportation	07/30/08
Egic, Danielle	Special Ed Aide/North	06/26/08
Foster, Kathleen	Hall Monitor/ Samoset	08/31/08
Guichard, Deborah	Special Ed Aide/Samoset	09/01/08
Gutmann, Denise	Hall Monitor/ Hiawatha	08/31/08
Marshall, Lauren	Classroom Aide/Cayuga	08/31/08
Mauren, Tina	Special Ed Aide/Nokomis	09/01/08
Mignano, Virginia	Bus Driver/Transportation	09/01/08
Miller, Angela	Office Aide/OSS	09/02/08
Ocasio, Rosemarie	4 Hr. FSW/Seneca	08/25/08
O’Leary, Diane	Special Ed Aide/Lynwood	09/01/08
Rekowicz, Debra	Classroom Aide/Wenonah	09/01/08
Rizzo, Deana	Hall Monitor/Samoset	09/01/08
Rodriguez, Nereida	Special Ed Aide/Sequoia	09/01/08
Schaefer, Anna	Hall Monitor/Samoset	08/19/08
Traina, Sandra	Hall Monitor/Hiawatha	09/01/08
Turano, Denise	Hall Monitor/Grundy	09/01/08
Vitale, Riki-Ann	3 Hr. FSW/Tamarac	08/31/08

3.b. Termination of Support Services Personnel (All Civil Service Classifications)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the termination of support services personnel (all Civil Service classifications) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position & Assignment</u>	<u>Service Ends</u>
Pernice, Patrick	Custodian/Wenonah	08/19/08**

**Deceased

3.c. Return from a Leave of Absence of Support Services Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the return from a leave of absence of support services personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position & Assignment</u>	<u>Date</u>
Jusino, Aida	Special Ed Aide/North	09/02/08

3.d. Resignation/Termination of Substitute Support Services Personnel (Exempt, Labor, and Non-Competitive)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the resignation/termination of substitute support services personnel (exempt, labor, and non-competitive) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Service Ends</u>
<u>Aides</u>	
Barletta, Diane	09/01/08
Calvagna, Sabrina	09/01/08
Lopez, Milagros	09/01/08
Pavonetti, Laura	09/01/08
Vierling, Kathleen	09/01/08

<u>Clerical</u>	<u>Service Ends</u>
Ferraro, Michelle	08/25/08

<u>Food Service Worker</u>	<u>Service Ends</u>
Ferraro, Lori Ann	08/31/08

3.e. Probationary Appointments of Support Services Personnel (Competitive)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the probationary appointments of support services personnel (competitive) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position & Assignment</u>	<u>Base Salary</u>	<u>Service Begins</u>	<u>Probationary Appointment</u>
Anderson, Tracy*	School Communications Aide/ North	\$20,000	09/02/08	None**
Corcoran, Laurie	School Communications Aide/ Lynwood/Tecumseh	\$20,000	09/02/08	None**
DiPuma, Donna	Clerk Typist/East	\$40,651	09/19/08	12 weeks 09/19/08-12/12/08
Uettwiller(Heilig) , Joan	School Bus Disptacher/Transportation	\$35,000	09/02/08	26 weeks 09/02/08-03/03/09

**As per Civil Service Law there is no probationary period for a provisional appointment.

3.f. Appointment of Support Services Personnel (Exempt, Labor and Non-Competitive)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the appointment of support services personnel (exempt, labor, and non-competitive) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position & Assignment</u>	<u>Base Salary</u>	<u>Service Begins</u>	<u>Probationary Appointment</u>
Aiello,Regina*	Hall Monitor/North	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Barletta, Diane	Special Ed Aide/ Wenonah	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Berkowitz, Jennifer*	Hall Monitor/North	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Bottachiari, Patricia*	Hall Monitor/Sagamore	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Buttacavoli, Susan	Special Ed Aide/ Sagamore	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Calvagna, Sabrina	Special Ed Aide/ Tamarac	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Chura, Kim*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Clemens, Donna	Office Aide/District Office	\$8.26/hr	09/15/08	None
Coda, Mariann	Bus Driver/ Transportation	\$18.51/hr	09/02/08	90 days 09/02/08-11/30/08
Davis-Murphy, Barbara*	Hall Monitor/ Hiawatha	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Destler, Irene	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None

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Doscher, Megan*	Special Ed Aide/ Wenonah	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Edwards, Cariann	Bus Driver/ Transportation	\$18.51/hr	09/02/08	90 days 09/02/08-11/30/08
Efron, Milissa*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Ferraro-Capito, Danielle*	Hall Monitor/North	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Flemming, Anna*	Hall Monitor/ Hiawatha	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Larocca, Priscilla*	Special Ed Aide/ Saint Joesph's	\$9.97/hr	09/10/08	None
Lehmann, Jennifer*	Special Ed Aide/ Tamarac	\$9.97/hr	09/10/08	None
Leonardo, Michele*	Office Aide/Samoset	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Locascio, Christina*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Longhi, Kelly*	Special Ed Aide/ Samoset	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Lopez, Milagros	Special Ed Aide/ Chippewa	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
McConnell, Kristy*	Special Ed Aide/ Gatlot	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
McGuinness, Joan*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Mignano, Virginia	Special Ed Aide/ Sagamore	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Noschese, Patricia*	Hall Monitor/ Tamarac	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
O'Donnell, Linda*	Hall Monitor/ Merrimac	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
O'Leary, Diane	Classroom Aide/ Lynwood	\$13.29/hr	09/02/08	None
Pavonetti, Laura	Special Ed Aide/ Hiawatha	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Rekowicz, Debra	Special Ed Aide/ Wenonah	\$12.62/hr	09/02/08	None
Rizzo, Deana	Special Ed Aide/ Nokomis	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Russo, Laura*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Semetsis, Susan*	Office Aide/District Office	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Simas, Monica*	Hall Monitor/ Sequoia	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Smykowski, Louis	Bus Driver/ Transportation	\$18.51/hr	09/02/08	90 days 09/02/08-11/30/08
Syron, Bridget*	Special Ed Aide/ Wenonah	\$9.97/hr	09/02/08	None
Thompson, Melissa*	Hall Monitor/ Samoset	\$8.26/hr	09/10/08	None
Torres, Jeffrey	Bus Driver/ Transportation	\$18.51/hr	09/02/08	90 days 09/02/08-11/30/08
Traina, Sandra	Special Ed Aide/ Waverly	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Turano, Denise	Hall Monitor/ Grundy	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None
Vierling, Kathleen	Special Ed Aide/ Tecumseh	\$11.28/hr	09/02/08	None
Vivona, Catherine*	Hall Monitor/ Cayuga	\$8.26/hr	09/03/08	None
Warburton, Barbara*	Hall Monitor/East	\$8.26/hr	09/02/08	None

3.g. Approval of Substitute Support Services Personnel (Exempt, Labor and Non-Competitive)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the substitute support services personnel (exempt, labor, and non-competitive) as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Service Begins</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Service Begins</u>
<u>Aide</u>		<u>Food Service Worker</u>	
Borzumato, Melissa	09/02/08	Arnao, Denise Lori	09/10/08
		Delemo, Catherine	09/10/08
		Dorst, Christine*	09/02/08
		Gerasimovich, Susan	09/10/08
		Hayes, Maureen*	09/02/08
		Lanotte, Kelly*	09/02/08
		Lawlor, Kelly*	09/02/08
		Parkin, Ruth*	09/02/08
<u>Clerical</u>		<u>Nurse</u>	
Miller, Angela	09/03/08	Boucher, Patricia*	09/02/08
Hartsough, Deborah*	09/03/08	Dellegar, Lisa*	09/02/08
		Hartcorn, Stacey*	09/02/08
		Hasler, Cara*	09/02/08
<u>Custodian</u>			
Armstrong, Philip H. Jr.*	9/10/08		
Johnson, Lawrence*	9/03/08		
Nieves, Jorge L *	9/10/08		

4.a. Child Care Program Appointments

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the child care program appointments as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Rate of Pay</u>	<u>Start Date</u>
Capodieci, Marie	Recreation Aide	\$9.12/hr	09/08/08

5.a. Community Education Appointments

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the community education appointments as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Rate of Pay</u>	<u>Dates</u>
Boos, Gail L.	Community Ed Instructor	\$22.57/hr	09/08/08
Leehman, Barbara	Sea Instructor	\$22.57/hr	10/11/08
Lipani Jr, Thomas	Sea Instructor	\$22.57/hr	10/11/08
Salerno, Robert	Sea Instructor	\$22.57/hr	10/11/08
Sampayo, Stephanie	Sea Instructor	\$22.57/hr	10/11/08
Santos, Andrew	Recreation Aide III	\$ 9.35/hr	09/08/08

H. ACTION ITEMS***CONSENT AGENDA FOR ACTION ITEMS H.1.a. THROUGH H.1.i.*****1. Mini Contracts****1.a. Approval of Agreement between the Sachem Central School District and Slim Goodbody Corp**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Slim Goodbody Corp. to provide 3 (three) twenty-five (25) minute performances of the Musical Health Show at Wenonah Elementary School on July 25, 2008 at a cost of \$625. This is being paid by Special Education Summer School. Due to the timing of the information received, we were not able to have it approved before the date of the event. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.b. Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and Developmental Disabilities Institute

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Developmental Disabilities Institute to provide an educational program for handicapped children at the tuition rate set by the State Education Department. Psychological evaluations shall be paid at a cost of \$500 per evaluation. The term of this contract shall be from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.c. Approval of Agreement Between Sachem Central School District and LJ Create Services

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and LJ Create Services to provide technical support services to the laboratories at Sagamore Middle School, Seneca Middle School, Sequoya Middle School, Samoset Middle School, High School North, and High School East at a cost of \$12,600.00 per year. The term of this contract shall be from July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.d. **Approval of Agreement Between Sachem Central School District and East Islip UFSD**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and East Islip UFSD to provide special education services to parentally-placed students with disabilities, when such students attend private schools in the East Islip UFSD. The costs associated are in accordance with Education Law Section 3602-c and the Regulations or Rules of the Commissioner of Education. The term of this agreement shall be from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008. This agreement has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.e. **Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and Sunshine Center, Inc.**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Sunshine Center, Inc. to provide services in the area of substance abuse and violence prevention, social skills building and instructional activities to designated students. The fee for this service is \$450 per week for each enrolled student. The term of this agreement is July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.f. **Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and the Astor Place Theater/Blue Man Group – Sagamore Middle School**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem School District and the Astor Place Theater/Blue Man Group for 8th grade students at Sagamore Middle School to attend a performance on March 18, 2009. The total cost is \$16,693 for 298 tickets at \$55 each, which includes mail and restoration fees to be paid by the students, student government and Arts in Education. This agreement has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.g. **Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and the Fresh Air Fund**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and the Fresh Air Fund. The Sachem High School North Junior Varsity and Varsity Football Team will be attending the camp from August 24, 2008 through August 29, 2008. The cost of this trip is \$192.00 per student being paid for by fundraisers and the Sachem High School North Touchdown Club. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.h. **Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and 10 Seconds Inc.**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and 10 Seconds Inc. to provide motivational presentations concerning safe teen driving to students at Sachem North High School. The cost is \$3,275 per two (2) presentations to be paid through the Title IV Safe and Drug Free Schools Grant. The term of this agreement is September 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.i. **Approval of Agreement between Sachem School District and Fireworks by Grucci, Inc.**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Fireworks by Grucci, Inc. to provide a fireworks performance at Sachem East High School on October 10, 2008 at a cost of \$5,000. This is being paid by Student Government funds. This agreement has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

2. **Recommendations from the Committee on Special Education**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accept the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education for the following meetings”:

8/21/08	8/27/08	8/28/08	8/29/08	9/04/08
9/05/08	9/08/08	9/09/08	9/10/08	9/11/08
9/16/08				

3. **Adoption of Purchasing Revised Policy #6700 – 2nd Reading**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education adopt as a 2nd reading revised Policy #6700, Purchasing, as presented in Enclosure H.3.”

4. **Adoption of Meals and Refreshments Revised Policy #9170 – 2nd Reading**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education adopt as a 2nd reading revised Policy #9170, Meals and Refreshments, as presented in Enclosure H.4.”

5. **Approval of Donation – Suffolk County Legislator Brian Beedenbender Grant**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts with gratitude, a Grant in the amount of \$2,000 from Suffolk County Legislator Brian Beedenbender to be used to beautify the grounds at Tecumseh Elementary School with the purchase of trees and bushes.”

6. **Approval of Revised Rate of Pay – Community Education Instructor**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the rate of pay for Gayle Precht, Instructor for Hatha Yoga and Stress Reduction at a fee of \$40 per hour.”

7. **Approval of Additional Book Purchases – Harcourt School Publishers**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the additional book purchases for the elementary schools from Harcourt School Publishers for StoryTown 2008. The original agreement was approved at the July 30th Board of Education meeting. The additional cost is approximately \$9,000 for fourth and fifth grade Social Studies books. This will be paid by the Office of Curriculum & Instruction, Staff Development & Assessment.”

8. **Approval of DEDUCT Change Order No. 1 – Best Roofing of NJ Inc**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the Deduct Change Order No. 1, from Best Roofing of NJ Inc., in the amount of \$4,000, which was included in the contract amount, for unforeseen conditions. The allowance is being returned to the owner in its entirety.”

9. **Approval of Budget Transfers of \$50,000 or Greater**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “Resolved, that the Board of Education approves a budget transfer of \$50,000 or greater through August 29, 2008.”

10. **Approval of 2008 Advanced Placement (AP) Summer Academy Personnel**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following personnel to work in the Advanced Placement Summer Academy. The rate of pay for the Summer Academy is \$44.06 per hour”:

Antonucci, Nicholas	Hartnagel, Michael	Miller, Kevin
Auriemma, Keith	Heinrichs, Meggan	Pickersgill, Raymond
Brezak, Andrew	Hofmann, Steven	Rivera, Matthew
Brink, Christopher	Jacobsen, George	Troise, John
Cestaro, Thomas	Klein, Michael	Weber, Rachel
Corso, Nancy	Melandro, Tracey	

11. **Approval of SCTA Side Letter of Agreement – Endicott College/Wilson Language Training Corporation**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve a side letter of agreement to permit the approval of graduate classes for those teachers currently enrolled in Wilson Level I certification courses offered through the Sachem Teacher Center and certified by Endicott College until June 30, 2009.”

12. **Approval of Translators/Interpreters for the 2008-09 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board approve the appointment of the following Translators/Interpreters at a rate of \$99.11 per day for the 2008-09 school year”:

Melek Baba	Graca Fonseca	Myrta Georgetti	Ida Lazar
Mary Le	Tong Liang	Eva Maldonado	Norma Negron
Syeda Safa	Damaris Sampayo	Syeda Sayeed	Diana Valle
Emilia Vertucci	Amy Yip		

13. **Board of Education Rescission of 2008-09 Extracurricular Clubs and Activities Advisor**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education rescind the previously approved 2008-09 extracurricular club advisor”:

CLUBS

East High School
Foreign/Italian Club

ADVISORS

Sal Groe

14. **Board of Education Approval of 2008-09 Extracurricular Clubs and Activities**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following extracurricular clubs and activities for the 2008-09 school year, contingent upon the availability of funds in the co-curricular budget”:

CLUBS

East High School
Gay/Straight Alliance
Foreign/Italian Club
Math Club
Peer Tutoring Club/Coordinator
Robotics

ADVISORS

Wendy Corrigan
Gina DiMaggio/Patty Lamia
Jennifer Pang
Erin Regan
Bruce Howe/Bob Wentzel

North High School

BLT Liaison

Joanna Morano

Sagamore Middle School

Art, News and Literary
School Newspaper
Project SAVE

Dan Hamilton
Donna Schibani
Laura Marek

Samoset Middle School

Horsemanship Club
Select Orchestra

Dawn Curry
William Gerrity

15. **Board of Education Rescission of 2008-09 of Coaching Assignments for the 2008-09 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education rescind the previously approved 2008-09 coaching assignments”:

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>COACH</u>	<u>BUILDING</u>
GIRLS GYMNASTICS Varsity Assistant	Danielle Bense	North/East
CHEERLEADING Sequoya	Danae Riva	TA/East
ARROWETTES Sequoya	Nicole Fassois	Sequoya

16. **Coaching Assignments for the 2008-09 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following coaching assignments for the 2008-09 school year”:

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>COACH</u>	<u>BUILDING</u>
GIRLS GYMNASTICS Varsity Assistant	Fallon Nugent	District Sub
GIRLS SOCCER Seneca 7	Chris Petrucci	North/Perm Sub
BOYS SOCCER Sequoya 7	Scott VanKurin	Sequoya
BOYS CROSS COUNTRY North Varsity Assistant	William Holl	North
ARROWETTES Sagamore Arrowettes Seneca	Lauren Lewonka Tara Rossi	Sagamore Nokomis
CHEERLEADING Sequoya Seneca	Karen Pickford Danae Riva	Sequoya TA/East

17. Approval of Field Trips for the 2008-09 School Year

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following field trips for the 2008-09 school year”:

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sachem East Cheerleaders	February 5-9, 2009	2009 UCA National HS Championships Orlando, FL
Sequoia 8 th Grade Honors Science	April 1-3, 2009	Frost Valley Liberty, NY
Sequoia Student Government	May 6-8, 2009	Washington, DC
Sagamore 8 th Grade Honors Science	April 1-3, 2009	Frost Valley Liberty, NY
Samoset 8 th Grade Honors Science	March 25-27, 2009	Frost Valley Liberty, NY
Seneca 8 th Grade Honors Science	March 25-27, 2009	Frost Valley Liberty, NY

18. Appointment of the School Safety Team

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education appoint the following as the School Safety Team for the 2008-09 school year, in compliance with section 155.17 (b) of the Regulations of the Commissioner”:

Health and Safety Committee

Union Representation:

Joseph Borruso, SSDEU
Stephanie Bland, Nurses' Unit

John Heslin, SCTA

PTA Presidents

Jenn Coggin, Cayuga
Debra Sanacora, Chippewa
Stacy LaCarrubba, Gatelot
Lynn Quinn, Grundy
Kim Chura, Hiawatha
Staci Basuino/
Stefanie Belluardo, Lynwood
Marie Polito, Merrimac
Chrissy Pyne, Nokomis
Jeanine DeBenedictis, Tamarac
Donna Knab, Tecumseh

Jeannie Grega, Waverly
Vanessa Pinello, Wenonah
Terri Consey, Sagamore
Janet Coleman, Samoset
Kathleen Yannotta, Seneca
Gary Thorne, Sequoya
Maria Grupinski, Sachem East
Laurie Smith, Sachem North
Terry Allgor, SEPTA

19. **Approval of 2009-2010 Budget Development Calendar**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the 2009-2010 Budget Development Calendar, found in Enclosure H.19.”

20. **Approval of Curriculum Mapping Coordinators**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following personnel as Curriculum Mapping Coordinators for the 2008-09 school year”:

Secondary

Bartalomy, Brian	Sequoia
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21. **Appointment of Department Chairpersons for the 2008-09 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the appointment of Department Chairpersons for the 2008-09 school year as follows”:

Zarzycki, Joseph	English	Sachem North
Conte-Perotta, Ada	Lead Guidance	Sagamore

22. **Approval of Purchase/Renewal of Autodesk Design Academy Program**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the purchasing and renewal for the Autodesk Design Academy program for the students at Sachem High Schools North and East. It is computer aided design software for use in the Scantek labs. The total cost is \$11,010 and is being paid through the Office of Instructional Technology. This renewal shall be for the 2008-09 school year.”

23. **Approval of Board Member’s Attendance at NYSSBA Fiscal Oversight Workshops**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the registration fee of \$165 for Board Member Jim LaCarrubba to attend Fiscal Oversight Training on November 15, 2008 at the Courtyard Long Island MacArthur Airport.”

24. **Resolution to Reappoint Emergency Conditional Appointments**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education re-appoint those individuals as listed in Attachment A who have been previously appointed on an emergency conditional basis in accordance with chapter 147 of the Laws of 2001.”

I. **MONTHLY REPORTS**

1. **Damage & Loss Summary**

The summary reflects damage and loss for July 2008.

2. **Determinations from the Committee on Preschool Special Education**

The determinations from the Committee on Preschool Special Education for
 8/20/08 9/3/08 9/10/08
 are on file in the office of the District Clerk.

3. **Child Care, Community Education and Building Usage Financial Report**

This report is in the hands of the auditors and it is expected to appear on the 10/22/08 agenda.

4. **Board of Education Sub Committees**

- a. Sachem Legislative Committee
- b. Sachem Citizen’s Advisory Audit Committee
- c. Sachem Budget Advisory Committee
- d. Community Education Advisory Committee

5. **2008-09 Board of Education Goals**

- a. Goal #1 - Enhance Student Achievement and Quality of Instruction
- b. Goal #2 - Improve Parent, Community and Staff Communication
- c. Goal #3 - Improve Fiscal Responsibility and Accountability Throughout the District
- d. Goal #4 - Provide Safe and Secure Schools
- e. Goal #5 - Technology Integration

J. PRESENTATIONS/DISCUSSIONS

1. Sachem Academic Report
2. Field Fees

K. CLOSING

1. **Visitors** (Each visitor will be limited to 3 minutes)

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education hear from members of the audience who wish to present any matters of importance.”

2. **Board of Education Discussion of Future Agenda Items**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, any member of the Board of Education wishing to propose a future agenda item present a motion to the Board of Education for consideration.”

3. **Next Meeting**

The Board of Education will hold a special meeting on **Monday, September 22, 2008** at 8 PM in the Board Room at Samoset Middle School. The Board of Education will immediately adjourn into executive session to discuss legal matters.

The Board of Education will hold a work session on **Tuesday, October 7, 2008** at 8:00 PM in the Board Room at Samoset Middle School.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held on **Wednesday, October 22, 2008** at 8:00 PM in the Board Room at Samoset Middle School.

- L. EXECUTIVE SESSION** – The Board may choose to adjourn to executive session.

M. ADJOURN

**SACHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Holbrook, New York**

**Samoset Middle School
Board Room**

**September 17, 2008
8:00 P.M.**

Regular Meeting of the Board of Education

ADDENDUM

PERSONNEL ITEM

Tenure Appointments of Administrative Personnel

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the tenure appointments of administrative personnel as follows”:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>
Gierasch, Jill	Asst. Superintendent for Curriculum, Instruction, Staff Development and Assessment	District Office	November 28, 2008

CJM:baw