

SACHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Samoset Middle School
Board Room**

**October 19, 2011
7:30 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** Robert Scavo, President will preside.
A quorum is expected.
2. **Salute to the Flag**
3. **Moment of Silence**
4. **Approval of Minutes**

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

September 7, 2011 Work Session
September 21, 2011 Regular

B. RECOGNITIONS

1. Relay for Life
2. Covey “The Leader In Me”

C. 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.

D. BUSINESS ITEMS*Consent Agenda for Business Items D.1.a through D.2.e*1.a. **Treasurer's Report – June 2011**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the monthly Cash Reconciliation Report as of 6/30/11 for each fund as submitted by the District Treasurer, Diane Kollmer.

FURTHER, that the Board of Education approve the monthly Budget Status Report as of 6/30/11 as submitted by the District Treasurer, Diane Kollmer.”

Treasurer's Report (including Reconciliation of Collateral)**Revenues****Expenditures****Balance Sheets (as of 6/30/11)****Report on Extra-Classroom Activity****Account Reconciliation of Cash Balances (as of 6/30/11)**1.b. **Treasurer's Report – July 2011**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the monthly Cash Reconciliation Report as of 7/31/11 for each fund as submitted by the District Treasurer, Diane Kollmer.

FURTHER, that the Board of Education approve the monthly Budget Status Report as of 7/31/11 as submitted by the District Treasurer, Diane Kollmer.”

Treasurer's Report (including Reconciliation of Collateral)**Revenues****Expenditures****Balance Sheets (as of 7/31/11)**2. **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. Supplemental Dial 3 Testing Material~*reject*
- b. Salt/Sand Delivery~*approve*
- c. Parts for Maintenance Vehicles~*approve*
- d. NuLife Food Products for School Food Service Program~*approve*
- e. Baseball/Softball Field Preparation and Purchase of Clay~*approve*

E. PERSONNEL ITEMS*Consent Agenda for Personnel Items E.1.a through E.3.a***1.a. Leaves of Absence of Teaching Personnel**

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

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Date</u>
Poffenbarger, Allison	Elementary	Grundy	Child Care Leave	12/5/11-6/30/12
Spencer, Angie	Foreign Language	East	Child Care Leave	11/5/11-1/29/12

1.b. 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>
Tirado, Lauren	Guidance	Sachem North	1-4	10/20/11-6/30/12

1.c. 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>
Bausch, Christine	Sachem North	9/1/11	4-8	4-9	2,338.00
Banschback, Jeanine	Wenonah	9/1/11	7-5	7-6	2,573.00
Coffey, Alexia	Sachem North	9/1/11	8-6	8-7	2,573.00
Connelly, Keith	Sachem East	9/1/11	9-7	9-8	2,573.00
DiLorenzo, Christine	Chippewa	9/1/11	8-7	8-8	2,574.00
Galligan, Beth	Seneca	9/1/11	6-5	6-6	2,341.00
Gearns, Erin	Sachem East	9/1/11	4-5	4-6	2,342.00
Genova, Jennifer	Sachem East	9/1/11	5-6	5-7	2,341.00
Guzzo, Lindsay	Samoset	9/1/11	7-5	7-6	2,573.00
Harvey, Kim	Merrimac	9/1/11	9-6	9-7	2,574.00
Holter, Megan	Sachem East	9/1/11	8-8	8-9	2,573.00
Knobler, Jessica	Sagamore	9/1/11	3-4	3-5	2,340.00
Leonardi, Laura	Sachem East	9/1/11	2-6	2-7	2,338.00
LoManto, Gina	Tecumseh	9/1/11	5-7	5-8	2,338.00
MacLeod, Courtney	Chippewa	9/1/11	7-7	7-8	2,573.00
McGrath, Kathleen	Sachem East	9/1/11	5-5	5-6	2,338.00
McGuire, Deborah	Waverly	9/1/11	2-3	2-4	2,340.00
Nicosia, Linda	Sachem East	9/1/11	13-7	13-8	2,574.00
Regan, Robert	Sachem East	9/1/11	11-7	11-8	2,573.00
Rosenthal, Amy	Cayuga	9/1/11	10-8	10-9	2,573.00
Tutton, Laura	Nokomis	9/1/11	7-6	7-7	2,575.00
Verbarg, Jessica	Grundy	9/1/11	4-5	4-6	2,342.00

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1.d. 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>
Augeri, Keith	Social Studies	Sachem East	11/3/11	\$259.12

1.e. 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>
Trentowski, Katie	Tecumseh	10/03/11	\$240
Gengler, Katherine	Sachem East	10/05/11	\$240
Newton-McNally, Donna	Sachem North	10/10/11	\$240
Messina, Maria	Sachem North	10/24/11	\$225
Mayola, Dara	Waverly	10/25/11	\$225

1.f. 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”:

Ambrosini, Dominick	Beck, Keeley	Bradley, Mary Kate
Burger, Joey	DeGaetano, Marielle	Hughes Jr., Owen
Levine, Emily	Long, Alessandra	Mignone, James (ALC)
Ramsey, Rebecca	Sneider, Andrew	Spataro, Dina-Marie
Stone, Pamela*	Tirado, Lauren	

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

1.g. 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>
DeSalvio, Krystle	10/11/11
Donato, Mark	9/28/11
Yoches, Tara Ann	10/12/11

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2.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>
Biernacki, Karen	Hall Monitor/Sagamore	10/18/2011
Karpinski, Michael	Custodian	10/11/2011
Gildersleeve, Theresa	Office Aide/Sagamore	10/18/2011
Michael, Rita	Hall Monitor/Samoset	10/11/2011

2.b. 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>Clerk Typist</u>	
Cariotte, Lucille	10/21/2011
Salajka, Christina	10/11/2011
<u>Special Ed Aide</u>	
Escaldi, Rosemary	09/21/2011
<u>Custodian</u>	
Kiesecker, Vincent	10/25/11
Mackay, Sean	10/19/11
Martschenko, Nicholas	10/20/11
Miranda, Jaime	10/22/11
Nash, Kenneth	10/23/11

2.c. 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>
Karpinski, Michael	Head Custodian/ Cayuga	\$55,805	10/12/11	26 weeks 10/12/11-04/11/12

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2.d. **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>
Biernacki, Karen	Office Aide/ Sagamore	\$8.68/hr.	10/19/11	None
Kiesecker, Vincent	Custodian/ Samoset	\$48,723	10/26/11	90 days 10/26/11-1/23/12
Mackay, Sean	Custodian/ Samoset	\$48,723	10/20/11	90 Days 10/20/11-1/17/12
Martschenko, Nicholas	Custodian/ Waverly	\$48,723	10/21/11	90 Days 10/21/11-1/18/12
Miranda, Jaime	Custodian/ Gatlot	\$48,723	10/24/11	90 Days 10/24/11-1/21/12
Nash, Kenneth	Custodian/ Waverly	\$48,723	10/25/11	90 Days 10/25/11-1/22/12
Reilly, Kerry*	Office Aide/ Wenonah	\$8.68/hr.	10/19/11	None

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

2.e. **Appointment 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>Clerk Typist</u>	
Gildersleeve, Theresa	10/19/2011
Michael, Rita	10/12/2011
<u>Special Ed. Aide</u>	
Salajka, Christina	10/12/2011
<u>Custodian</u>	
Turner, Andrew*	10/12/2011

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3.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>
Pena, Aissa	Recreation Aide	\$9.82/hr.	10/12/11
Wilson, Lorraine	Recreation Aide	\$9.82/hr.	10/05/11

F. ACTION ITEMS**1. Mini Contracts*****Consent Agenda for Action Items F.1.a. through F.1.e.*****1.a. Approval of Agreement Between the Sachem Central School District and the Cleary School for the Deaf**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Cleary School for the Deaf to provide adequate instruction, related services and/or a facility to students during the school year. Sachem School District shall pay for each child, at the rate of Ninety Three Thousand Five Hundred One and 00/00 (\$93,501.00) per 10 month period, which is per pupil charge (PPC) set by the Commissioner of the New York State Education Department. The billing schedule shall be as follows:

September 1, 2011	\$ 9,350.10
October 1, 2011	\$28,050.30
January 1, 2012	\$28,050.30
April 1, 2012	\$28,050.30

The term of this agreement shall be from September 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.b. Approval of Agreement Between the Sachem Central School District and Lovin’Oven/Land’s End Corp – North Senior Banquet

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Sachem Central School District and Lovin’ Oven/Land’s End Corp. for the Sachem High School North Senior Banquet being held on November 10, 2011. The cost will be paid for by the students. This contract has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

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1.c **Approval of Agreement Between the Sachem Central School District and Music Theatre International (MTI) – Cayuga**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between the Sachem Central School District and Music Theatre International (MTI) to provide show kits, pay a royalty fee and non-refundable materials fee for the production of Schoolhouse Rock Live! Jr. at Cayuga Elementary School. The cost is approximately \$590.00.”

1.d **Approval of Agreement Between the Sachem Central School District and John A. Grillo Architect, P.C. for the 2011-2012 Capital Improvement Program**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves John A. Grillo Architect, P.C. for the 2011-2012 Capital Improvement Program. The architect shall provide all architectural and engineering services, including but not limited to structural, mechanical and electrical engineering services. John A. Grillo shall be designated as the Project Architect in charge of the Project. He shall provide the following:

- Pre-design services
- Visit the District’s facilities and meet with central office administrators
- Consult with the New York State Education Department, Office of Facilities Planning
- Research federal and state statutes, rules and regulations
- Prepare an analysis of the preliminary estimate of the cost for labor and materials necessary to perform the proposed projects
- Schematic design and design development services
- Prepare for approval construction documents consisting of Drawings and Specifications
- Assist in obtaining bids for the work contemplated by the project
- Provide administration of the contract for construction and post construction services
- Provide professional services that reflect the standard of professional care that is customary for architects in Suffolk County

The Architect’s compensation for specified services outlined in the agreement shall be 6% of the actual “Construction Cost.” The term of agreement shall be for the period July 1, 2011 and shall continue until completion of the work by the Contractors engaged. This agreement has been reviewed and approved by the school district’s attorney.”

1.e **Approval of Agreement Between the Sachem Central School District and Naviance**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the agreement between Naviance and the Sachem Central School District. Naviance develops, sells, and supports WorkspaceK12, a Web-based planning and advising system for schools, including:

- User-initiated school and district level data import and export tools for SIS integration
- Ability to create an unlimited number of custom student groups and to analyze data based on groups
- Intelligent, user-customizable surveys that can be pushed to users based on multi-criteria search
- Grade-level specific interfaces to the Workspace K12 parent/student portal, Family Connection
- Individual parent sign-in accounts for Family connection that link to multiple, related children

This program is already used in the high schools and administration would like to extend it to the middle schools. The total cost of this program is \$12,840.00 which includes enrollment, web-based private class (4 hours), assess/advice consulting program (8 hours) and learning style inventory. 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”:

10/06/11	10/11/11	10/12/11	10/13/11
10/14/11	10/17/11	10/18/11	10/19/11

3. **Approval of Payment –Cindy Pentheros**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves payment to Cindy Pentheros (PONY driver) of her hourly overtime rate for Saturday, October 29, 2011 and Sunday, October 30, 2011 for driving the equipment truck for the Marching Band to and from Syracuse, New York. Additionally, she will be paid a \$250 stipend for the overnight stay. This is in accordance with past practices.”

4. **Appointment of Budget Advisory Committee Members**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education appoints the following individuals as active members of the Budget Advisory Committee”:

Kevin Landry Michael Reynolds

5. **Approval of Applied Behavioral Analysis (ABA) Specialists**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following personnel as Specialists for the home ABA Program for the 2011-12 school year”:

Pereira, Fabiana

6. **Approval of Donation – Great American Opportunities**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education accepts with gratitude, a check in the amount of \$46.80 from Great American Opportunities, representing a profit from Times for Kids program for participation in Tecumseh Elementary School’s online sales. The monies will be used to purchase materials for their classrooms to support their instructional program.”

7. **Approval of Field Trips for the 2011-12 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following field trip requests for the 2011-12 school year”:

Seneca

8th Grade Honors Science	March 21-23, 2012	Frost Valley
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Samoset

8 th Grade Honors Science	March 28-30, 2012	Frost Valley
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8. **Approval of DEDUCT Change Order – Pioneer Construction – Samoset**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves a deduct Change Order No. 1, Pioneer Construction Co. for Samoset Middle School. The original contract amount of \$21,370.00 will be decreased by \$1,500.00. An allowance, in the amount of \$1,500.00, was included in the contract document for unforeseen conditions. The allowance is being returned in its entirety. The new contract amount including this Change Order will be \$19,870.00.”

9. **Appointment of Individual Nurses for the 2011-12 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the appointment of the following individual nurses for the 2011-12 school year:”

Patricia Annunziato	Stephanie Bland	Joanne Bruno	Marianne Cinquemani
Kathy Conner	Lisa Dellegar	Dorothy Farrell	Lisa Fox
Diane Lipp	Kathleen Maloney	Carol Marin	Melody Marino
Kathleen McCabe	Marilyn McLean	Patricia Miller	Kimberly Monsen
Bernadette Murray	Kathe Murray	Carol Schaub	Ellen Walsh Natalie Zaino
Colleen Cleary	Eileen Gresalfi	Theresa Keller	Diane Kuethman
Dennis Lundy	Diane McDonough	Liana O’Connor	Victoria Petersen
Debra Reece	Maryann Sagritalo		

10. **Coaching Assignments for 2011-12 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following coaching assignments for the 2011-12 school year”:

FALL/WINTER

CHEERLEADING

Seneca – Samantha Schade (Out of District)

11. **Approval of Extracurricular Activities/Clubs for the 2011-12 School Year**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves the following extracurricular activities/clubs for the 2011-12 school year”:

<i>School</i>	<i>Club</i>	<i>Advisor</i>
Cayuga	Drama Club “A”	Amy Rosenthal
	Student Leadership “B”	Loretta Woods
	5 th Grade Yearbook “B”	Joan Damers Maria Bennett
Chippewa	Drama Club “A”	Jennifer Salerno/Trish Christie
	Healthy Kids “A”	Pat Annunziata/Kim DiGiovanna
Gatelot	Renaissance Club “B”	Maria Feuerwerger
	Leader’s Club “B”	Joe Scholz/Courtney Dolan
	Library Club K-3 “B”	Jessica Botto
Grundy	Helping Hands “B”	Laura Onorato/ Melissa Peiliker
	The Arts Newsletter “B”	Nicole Aliffi/Johanna Napolitano
	Boys/Girls Sports “B”	Anthony Muratore/Laura Onorato
Hiawatha	Spirit Club “B”	Lori Onesto
	Student Council “A”	Alexandra Lewis/Christine Rogers
	Drama Club “B”	Kim Alfano
Lynwood	Intramural Sports “B”	Angela Budovsky
	Fifth Grade Yearbook “B”	Christal Satterfield
	Student Leadership/Lighthouse Team “B”	Catherine Rafferty/Michele Tuminelli
Merrimac	Intramural Sports Club “A”	Robert Romano/Nicole Kessinger
	Art & Student Council “B”	Lisa Martinez/Danielle Gagnon
	Talent Show Club “B”	Debra Degenhardt/Donna Greve/Eileen Guider/Lisa Martinez/Kristen McDonald

Nokomis	Leaders' Club "A"	Jeanne Gilbert/Philip Torregrosa
	Before School Sports "AA"	Jeanne Gilbert-Girls/Philip Torregrosa-Boys
Tamarac	Intramural Club "B"	Clodagh Harte/Christopher Cordella
	Kids Care Newspaper	Gina Mordente/Elizabeth Paoletta/Johanna Napolitano
Tecumseh	French Digital French Digital Yearbook	Mallory Gempel/Bonnie Beyernheimer
	Book Lovers Club (4 th and 5 th Graders)	Rachel Fleming/Diana Asner
	"B"	
	5 th Grade Sports Club "B"	Lorie Dow/John Miller
Waverly	Art Club/Painters Club "B"	Pat MacDonell
	Student Leaders "B"	Catherine Juliano
	Boy's Sports "B"	Thomas Erb
	Girl's Sports "B"	Teresa Melo-Doon
Wenonah	Drama Club "AA"	Heather Wilson/Maria Varca
	Special Olympics "B"	Lauren Padolecchia
East	Anime/Science Fiction Club	James Berger
	Art Club	Loretta Corbisiero
	BLT Liaison	James Berger
	Book Series Club	Madelyn Haussner, Linda Nicosia
	Buddies Club	Kathleen Caffrey
	Chess Club	Stephen Wefer
	Class Advisor – 9 th Grade	Meredith Babst, Jamie Sison
	Class Advisor – 10 th Grade	Sean Holden, Robert Regan
	Class Advisor – 11 th Grade	Jennifer Carpenter, Maureen Boles
	Class Advisor – 12 th Grade	Kathy Stein, Kenneth Dobbins
	Coordinator: Junior Banquet	Jennifer Carpenter, Maureen Boles
	Coordinator: Senior Banquet	Richard Lemke, Kristin Barnes
	Coordinator: Senior Prom	Richard Lemke, Kristin Barnes
	Coordinator: Senior Trip	Carol Herrmann, Robert Kroczyński
	Creative Outdoors	Jon Kinkaty, Frank L. D'Abramo
	Culinary Arts Club	Arlene Gillespie
	DECA Club	Lisa Anthony, Deb Trudnak
	Digital Photo Club	Keith Connelly
	Drama Club	Kenneth Dobbins
	Eastside View	Larry Patten
	Envirothon Club	Maureen Branca, Colleen Lohr
	Fashion & Sewing Club	Kristin Barnes, Erin Fisher
	Foreign Language: French	Ana Silva
	Foreign Language: Italian	Gina DiMaggio
	Foreign Language: Spanish	Denise Guercio
	Future Educators Association	Madelyn Haussner
	GSA-Gay/Straight Alliance	Randi Chisari, Kate Taylor
	Honor Society: Art	Ellen Sneider
	Honor Society: Business & Marketing	Lisa Anthony
	Honor Society: Foreign Language	Crystal Nardone
	Honor Society: Int'l Thespian Society	Kenneth Dobbins
	Honor Society: National	Tina Moon, Patty Zumbo
	Honor Society: Science National	Stephen Wefer, April Kunz
	Interact Volunteer Center	Richard Lemke
	Interactive Technologies	Arthur Scheffer
	Literary Magazine	Frank L. D'Abramo, Kathleen McGrath
	Math Team: 9	Jennifer Genova
	Math Team: Senior High	Frank Zumbo
	MSG Varsity	Amanda Thomson
	Nat'l History Club & History Society	Mike Jannace, Madelyn Haussner
	News 12 LI Challenge	Nick Antonucci
	Peer Tutoring Coordinator	Dawn Francese

North

Pottery Club	Arthur Scheffer
Project Spectrum Coordinator	Patricia LeBlanc
Renaissance Student Store	James Berger, Katherine Gengler
Robotics	Scott Van Kurin, Bruce Howe, Bob Wentzel
S.A.D.D.	Patricia Broderick
Sachem East Book Club	Jamie Sison
Sachem East Mentoring Club	Chris Kozlowsky, Randi Chisari
Sachem East Physics Club	Carl Erickson
Science Club	Peggy Doherty
Stock Market Club	Mike Jannace
Strategies & Tactics	James Berger
Student Government	Bill Kropp, Matt Rivera
Suburban Olympic Team	James Berger, Jason Toto
Teens as Teachers	Patricia Broderick, Marissa Boscia
Varsity Club	Kevin Schnupp
Yearbook: Advisor	Arthur Scheffer
Yearbook: Business	Glen Monsen
Yearbook: Video	Doug Kelsch
American Sign Language	Rachel Cerra, Sheri Rose
Art Club	Chris Savino
Art Honor Society	Chris Savino, Diana Del Vallez
BLT Liaison	Joanna Morano
Buddies Club	Donna Chorzepa, Emily Frosina
Business Honor Society	Melanie Akerberg
Change Club of Sachem North	Elizabeth Kachmar, Kim Murphy
Chess Club	Jeff Lederman
Congress for Justice	Diamela Peguero, Amanda Berg
Covey Club	Mary Faller
Culinary Arts Club	Michele Esp
Current Events Forum	Georgia Afxendiou, Kevin Miller
DECA	Donna McNally
Digital & Video Communication	Dom Lux
DVD Yearbook	Diana Del Vallez
Envirothon Club	John O'Neill, Monica Marlowe
Fashion & Sewing Club	Donna Hiltz
Foreign Language Honor Society	Alexis Shaw
French Club	Jennifer O'Connor
Freshman Class Advisor	Jon Weston, Alexis Shaw
Graphic Designer	Diana Del Vallez
Interact Club	Christy Zummo
Italian Club	Frank Scricco
Junior Banquet Advisor	Sue Hance
Junior Class Advisor	Elizabeth Kachmar, Kim Murphy
Knitting & Crocheting Club	Diana Del Vallez
Math Team, Grade 12	Rich Schaentzler
Math Team, Grade 9	Tina McDermott
Mentor Club, Senior/Freshman	Mary Kuerner, Grace Cervini, Joanna Morano
Model United Nations Club	Georgia Afxendiou, Kevin Miller
MSG Varsity Club	Jon Weston
National Honor Society	Jen Conti, Lauren Angiporti
Northwind Newspaper	Victoria Cangelosi, Amanda Cereola
Prom Coordinator	Rich O'Brien, Jean-Marie Reigger
Renaissance/School Store	Alex Young, Ralph Pepe
Robotics Team	Bruce Howe, Bob Wentzel
Sachem Cares Club	Annette Broderick
Sachem North Book Club	Grace Cervini, Mary Kuerner

Sagamore

Science Club/Olympiad
 Science Honor Society
 Senior Banquet Advisor
 Senior Class Advisor
 Senior Trip Coordinator
 Shakespeare Club
 Sophomore Class Advisor
 Spanish Club
 Student Government
 Varsity Club
 Yearbook Advisor
 Yearbook Business
 Young Adult Social Club
 Art Club
 Book Club
 Buddies Club
 Chamber Music
 Cooking & Crafts Club
 Culture Club
 HOPE
 Lighting and Sound Club
 Math Club
 National Junior Honor Society
 Natural Helpers
 Newspaper
 Peer Mediation
 SAVE
 Science Club
 Student Government
 Technology Club
 Yearbook

Samoset

American Sign Language
 Board Game Club
 Buddies Club
 Buddies Club
 Class Book
 Jazz Club
 Kickboxing/Self Defense
 Kids Helping Kids
 Leadership Club
 Nat'l Junior Honor Society
 NYSSMA/Piano
 Renaissance
 Samoset's Got Talent

Seneca

Scrapbook Club
 Select Orchestra
 Student Government
 Video & Music Club
 Art Club
 Bookends Book Club
 Buddies Club
 Chamber Orchestra
 Classbook
 Community Club
 Critter Club
 Crossfit Club
 Family & Consumer Science

Norma Kimmel
 Marcy Demsky
 Jen Conti
 Rich O'Brien, Jean-Marie Reigger
 Bill Miller, Jo Anne Holl
 Mike Klein
 Erica Ceparano, Amanda Berg
 Maria Scricco
 Gary Comstock, Chris Olsen
 Anthony Falco, Rich O'Brien
 Chris Savino, Jo Anne Holl
 Chris Savino, Jo Anne Holl
 Michele Churillo, Lauren Puleo
 Michael Lacetera
 Denise Cinco
 Anna Stalzer, Megan Woolard
 Kerri Rubenstein, Jen Fischer
 Kristy Alexander
 Carissa Speelman, Aristeia Lucas
 Sabrina Foy
 Gerard Giglio
 Ryan Carroll
 Jessica Knobler
 Coleen Smith, Sabrina Foy
 Donna Schibani
 Sabrina Foy
 Coleen Smith, Christine Saccone
 Laura Marek, Anna Monroy
 Patty Scaturro, Tiziano Torquato
 Ryan Theiss
 Dan Hamilton
 Danielle Alexander
 Desiree Serra
 Deserie Burns
 Maryellen Scarola
 Michelle Ing, Susan Murphy
 Jennifer Bennett
 Christopher Cauley
 Jill Rattinger
 Brian Schnall, Matthew Golini
 Jill Berk, Joanne Creighton
 Christina Schaefer
 Dawn Francois, Danielle Alexander
 Christina Schaefer, Jessica Tirado, T.
 J. Nardolillo
 Lindsay Guzzo, Dana Kalachik
 William Gerrity
 Anthony Balsamo, Alicia Miller
 Michael Saccullo
 Kerin Crowley
 Christine Marino, Lara Dieterich
 Sara Austin
 Lauren Kant
 Jessica Ramsay
 Kelly Vinberg
 Cindy Keith, Amy Porcellio
 Diana Rose
 Lindsey Shelhorse

Sequoia

Foreign Language Club
 Leaders Club
 Literary Magazine
 Math Club
 Nat'l Junior Honor Society
 Peer Tutoring
 Renaissance
 Student Government
 Student Recognition Club
 Technology Club
 Best Buddies Club
 Book Club
 Ecology Club
 8th Grade Lego Robotics Club
 Environmental Action Club
 Game "Scrabble" Club
 Leaders Club
 Literary Magazine
 Nat'l Junior Honor Society
 Peer Tutoring
 Renaissance Academic Recognition
 Program
 Renaissance Community Service Club
 Science Club
 7th & 8th Grade Art Club
 6th Grade Art
 Student Government
 Student Government
 Yearbook

Music

Drama Director, East
 Drama Asst. Director, East
 Drama Producer, East
 Jazz Ensemble, East
 Music Council, East
 Music Vocal Prep., East
 Pit Orchestra Director, East
 Select String Ensemble, East
 Select Vocal Ensemble, East
 Tri-M Music Honor Society, East
 Co-Choreographers, North
 Drama Director, North
 Drama Producer, North
 Jazz Ensemble, North
 Musical Vocal Prep., North
 Pit Orchestra Director, North
 Select String Ensemble, North
 Select Vocal Ensemble, North
 Tri-M Music Honor Society, North
 Drama Director, Sagamore
 Drama Asst. Director, Sagamore
 Jazz Ensemble, Sagamore
 Select Chorus, Sagamore
 Jazz Ensemble, Samoset
 Select Chorus, Samoset
 Drama Director, Seneca
 Drama Asst. Director, Seneca
 Jazz Ensemble, Seneca
 Select Chorus, Seneca

Lorie Forkin
 Ramona Biso
 Chris Carruthers, Jenna Faron
 Chris Oakes
 Melissa Marlowe
 Katie Prusinski, Lara Dieterich
 Concetta Wharton, Peter Cafiso
 Elizabeth Curry, Frank DeMeo
 Jenna Haines
 Eric Jorgensen
 Michelle Higbie, Denise Phillips
 Ros Mylroie
 Karen Hokanson, Shaun Harney
 Grant Gustavsen
 Jill Hughes, Mary Lou O'Boyle
 Christine DiGiacinto
 Kathleen O'Reilly
 Rochelle Oliver
 Jennifer Schroeder
 Jennifer Schroeder, Jen Jargo

 Doreen Schaefer
 Doreen Schaefer
 Elizabeth Woolard, Jeanne Burton
 Denise Phillips
 Heide Mato
 Erin Fronhoefer
 Meghan Rossi
 Jill Hughes, Jill Bongiorno
 Kenneth Dobbins
 Laura Leonardi
 Kenneth Dobbins
 Patrick Armann
 Robin Macy
 Robin Macy
 Dorie Downs
 Dorie Downs
 Robin Macy
 Dorie Downs
 Jillian Berner, Jessica Clark
 Jonathan Chiaramonte
 William Averso
 Justin Comito
 Nicole Morace
 Michael Carroll
 Irina Pustovoit
 Nicole Morace
 Michael Carroll
 Tara Trimboli
 Gillian Kolodny
 Matthew Schneider
 Paul Hedemark
 William Gerrity
 Jenny Lee Terzopoulos
 Melanie Dominick
 Alison Hudak
 Michelle Bellafatto
 Melanie Dominick

Drama Director, Sequoya
 Drama Asst. Director, Sequoya
 Jazz Ensemble, Sequoya
 Select Chorus, Sequoya

Dana Fraccalvieri
 Elizabeth Woolard
 Dylan Benson
 Elinor Zayas

12. Approval of Reimbursement to Instructional Staff

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves reimbursement to the following three teachers for expending their own money to purchase supplies for the Saturday enrichment classes offered during the fall of 2010, as part of the Community Education program:”

Barbara Lehmann	\$375.00
Robert Salerno	\$327.00
Lisa Martino-Ortiz	\$250.00

13. Approval of Revised Substitute Teacher Hourly Rate of Pay

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approves eliminating the teacher hourly sub rate of \$15.48/hour and adding the following two new classifications effective October 31, 2011:”

<u>Employee Group</u>	<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2011-12</u>
Elementary Hourly Sub (new classification)	\$0.00	\$13.76/per hour
Secondary Period Coverage Sub (new classification)	\$0.00	\$11.61/per period

14. Approval of Proctors for the PSAT Examination

RECOMMENDED ACTION: “that, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education approve the following appointment of proctors for the PSAT examination”:

Melissa Capuano	Michael Curran	Allison Fennell
Kelly Hanson	Elizabeth Kachmer	Kevin Miller
Jennifer O’Connor	Chris Olsen	Raymond Pickersgill
Stephanie Ribek (clerical)		

5. **2011-12 Board of Education Goals**

Goal #1 – Provide Safe and Secure Schools

- The Board is dedicated to maintaining a safe, secure and orderly environment where anti-bullying and character education programs will be utilized K-12 to promote positive peer relationships, and successful student learning environments.

Goal #2 – Enhance Student Achievement, Quality of Instruction and Leadership Skills

- The Board is committed to implementing a curriculum which incorporates critical thinking, collaboration, creativity and civic responsibility. The curriculum is supported by a K-12 Curriculum Council of educators and administrators. Graduates will be college ready and be prepared for 21st century careers.

Goal #3 – Improve Parent, Community and Staff Communication

- Continue to enhance communication through a variety of print media and technology resources in an effort to be environmentally responsible.

Goal #4 – Improve Fiscal Responsibility and Accountability throughout the District

- Continue to focus on balancing the needs of students with taxpayer sensitivity.

Goal #5 – Technology Integration

- Curriculum will require students to exhibit a range of functional and critical thinking skills related to information media and technology.

Goal #6 – Committed to Providing the Staff With the Necessary Tools and Support to Provide the Students With the Highest Quality Education

- Creating an environment conducive to personal and career growth. Encouraging employees to reach their full potential and positively impact the sachem students. .
- Encouraging and empowering employees to think outside of the box, make recommendations for improvement in order to help students reach new levels of success.
- Encouraging participation in district activities/events aimed at improved employee and student moral and increased community involvement.
- Making Sachem a great place to work, live and learn.

Goal #7 – We Are Sachem

- The Board is dedicated to promoting one Sachem family and collaboration amongst our 18 schools. This will support consistent academic programs and activities.

H. **PRESENTATIONS**

1. Charms Music Assistant Demo
2. Physical Education Grant
3. Summer Enrichment

I. 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 work session on Wednesday, **November 2, 2011** in the Board Room at Samoset Middle School.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held on Wednesday, **November 16, 2011** at 7:30 PM in the Board Room at Samoset Middle School.

J. CLOSING

K. EXECUTIVE SESSION – The Board of Education will adjourn to executive session to discuss negotiations.

L. ADJOURN

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