

# Board of Education Highlights

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May 25, 2005 – Edison Middle School

## **Good News**

Employees celebrating 15 and 25 years of service to District 200 were honored with a reception and presentation.

The New 200 Foundation is a non-profit, volunteer organization that raises monies to support innovative teaching and learning in District 200. Over the past three years, this volunteer organization has distributed almost \$60,000 directly to our schools. It has helped every school in the district. The Foundation has awarded 72 mini-grants over this time for innovative teaching methods, as well as strategic larger grants that have broader impact across the district. A sample of the projects it has funded include a new smartboard for visual math learning, digital microscopes for science exploration, a classroom greenhouse, an animation studio, digital neighborhood mapping and a Lenart sphere for middle school geometry. The Foundation has recently announced another round of mini-grants. Eighteen teacher projects will be funded for a total of \$8,220.00. The district very much appreciates their contributions to our schools.

District 200 has received a 2005 School Employee Loss Fund Achievement Award for dedication to streamlining the accident reporting process.

At their annual Awards Night tonight, The Technology Center of DuPage (TCD) is recognizing nine students from WNHS and ten students from WWSHS that have been named Outstanding Seniors in their program areas at the TCD.

The Wheaton Warrenville Coop Boy's Gymnastics Team took first place at the state meet. The team took the all time first place record in the state. Congratulations to the team and the coaching staff.

## **The Board took the following action:**

- Posted revisions to Policy 6.210, Instruction Materials
- Approved an amendment to the Intergovernmental Agreement for the Jewell Road work
- Approved the minutes from the May 11 Board meeting
- Approved the personnel and supplemental personnel reports
- Approved new curriculum for the health and family living units and new curriculum for handwriting classes
- Approved the posting of the supplemental materials for the health and family living, and the handwriting curriculums
- Renewed the employee life insurance policies

## **The Board discussed the following:**

Budget preparation process

## **Next Meeting:**

June 8 at the SSC