

**Oak Park and River Forest High School, District 200**  
**Board Briefs**  
**Thursday, December 21, 2017**

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**Board Actions**

Approval of the following items:

- Consent Items
  - Check Disbursements and Financial Resolutions dated December 21, 2017
  - Monthly Treasurer's Report
  - Monthly Financials
  - Audit Report
  - Regular Board of Education Dates for 2018
  - Driver Ed Waiver Request
  - Summer 2018 Capital Improvements
  - Adaptive Gym Bid Results
  - Summer School\_Calendar
  - Personnel Recommendations, including Resignation, Return from Leave and Leave
  - Approval of Open & Closed Minutes of November 8, 16, and December 12, and a declaration that the closed session audiotapes of April 2016 are destroyed
- Adopted the 2017 Levy whereas to only apply 0.81% to the previous year's extension (2016 Tax Levy Extension)
- Approved Dr. Pruitt-Adams Emergency Leave Plan

**Reports  
Announcements**

Dr. Pruitt-Adams announced that 1) More than 200 seniors have been designated State Scholars in recognition of outstanding academic achievement. This represents roughly 25% of the graduating class; on average just ten percent of graduates from Illinois high schools are announced as State Scholars each year; 2) More than two dozen music students have been selected to compete/represent OPRF at the Illinois Music Educators Association All-State Festival this coming January, a record number for OPRF; 3) Senior Kara Jackson was selected as the Allstate Kid of the Week and appeared on WGN radio's Steve Cochran Show because of her dedication to and skill in the craft of poetry and her kindness toward others; 4) The Speech Team received the "Let Us Give Thanks Community Service Award" for the fourth year in a row at the District 211 Thanksgiving Tournament. Dr. Pruitt-Adams wished everyone a wonderful holiday season.

A Truth-in-Taxation hearing was held. Student Council and FOIA reports were given. The update on Equal Opportunity Schools (EOS) was for information only.

**Personnel Report**

**Resignation**

**Jennifer Cain**, Nurse, effective December 22, 2017  
**Marie Antunez**, Food Service Worker, effective December 18, 2017  
**Douglas Brown**, Golf, Boys/Girls Coach, Special Education, effective December 22, 2017  
**Robert Fox**, Soccer, Girls – Assistant, effective December 13, 2017

**Return from  
Leave**

**Amber Hooper**, Library Teacher, effective the 2018-2019 School Year

**Leave of  
Absence**

**Elaine Ritacco**, Secretary, Intervention Department, effective January 9-June 1, 2018

The next regular Board of Education Meeting will be  
Thursday, January 25, 2018  
6:30 p.m. closed session & 7:30 p.m. open session  
Board Room