

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION COMMITTEE NOTES-JANUARY

PRESENT---BOARD MEMBERS-Phyllis Pascucci, Robin Wetmore, Chiung Yin Liu, Ana Vander Woude

ADMINISTRATION---Mary Beth Currie, Barbara Duncan

SUMMER ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT CAMP BROCHURE

Harry Dangler presented to the committee the summer camp enrichment brochure. The committee reviewed the course offerings and recommended the approval of the Brochure. The summer camps will run from July thru August. A flyer will be sent out in the next few weeks once the board has approved the Brochure. It will be placed on the districts website and an E alert will be sent out to remind the community of the April 30th deadline for registration.

504 PLANS-ERIC SWENSON-504 plans are an educational plan for students who have a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities. Learning is considered to be a major life activity. Mr. Swenson presented to the committee an overview of how the district ensures that these students have the same opportunity to participate in academic and non-academic services as non-disabled students. Policies and Procedures were reviewed to ensure compliance with the law.

PROGRAM OF STUDIES--- The program of studies was reviewed again prior to placing on the agenda for board approval on February 2. Susan Alston updated the committee on the College Board's requirements for AP US History I and II. Ms Alston informed the Board that the requirements for the AP exam in terms of curriculum are in the process of being rewritten. Therefore, the administration and the committee recommend keeping the requirements for the AP History course the same for 2011-2012 and begin to work on the curriculum this summer. In addition, both the administration and the committee believe that the sequence of courses and offerings in the Social Sciences needs to be re-assessed for the 2012-2013 school year.