

UPDATE

Quincy Public
Schools
Newsletter

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FROM SUPERINTENDENT WEBB—BOARD MEETING REVIEW

At the March 21st Board meeting, we recognized 15 Quincy Senior High students who are named Illinois All-State musicians for 2018 by the Illinois Music Educator's Association. These All-State musicians performed as members of the All-State band, orchestra, chorus and honors chorus in Peoria in January. Students were selected through individual state-wide auditions with 290 other Illinois schools participating. QHS has one of the highest number of students selected in Illinois. Congratulations to these musicians and staff!

Quincy Junior High School received the Project Lead The Way (PLTW) Distinguished School recognition. To receive the designation, a school must have offered a minimum of one PLTW Gateway unit per grade and had 50 percent of students or more participate in a PLTW Gateway unit. QJHS had 80 percent. THE PLTW program at QJHS was implemented in the spring of 2014.

The Board approved discontinuing certain extra-duty/stipend assignments and duties for educational support and licensed personnel at the end of the current school. Some of the extra assignments include curriculum leaders, PBIS coordinators, and student support duties. These duties will be rolled into other job descriptions with the transition to the K-5 schools and will not eliminate any opportunities for students. The elimination of these stipends will save the district \$40,000 in 2018-2019.

Replacement doors will be installed this summer at QJHS. Mahogany finished fiberglass will replace the aging wood doors. Board Member McNay explained that the fiberglass doors have a warranty not available with wood doors and will save the district approximately \$45,000.

Roof replacement at QJHS will also begin this summer. Bids will be opened later this week and approved at a special meeting on Friday, March 23.

Art Foundations 3-D is a new course offering that will be available for Quincy Senior High School students next year. It is a semester course that will provide exposure to art for students with openings in their schedules.

Have a safe and enjoyable spring break!

Roy Webb
Superintendent

PERSONNEL

Appointments/Change in Assignment 2017-2018

KAITLYN EALY—COLLEGE CAREER COUNSELOR QHS 4/3/18. KELLY CURRAN—ASST SOFTBALL COACH QHS. MICHEL ARMSTRONG LEWTON—ASST SOFTBALL COACH QHS. TIFFANEY RAINS—VARSITY HEAD VOLLEYBALL COACH QHS. KORY HOLLENSTEINER—ASST BASEBALL COACH QHS. JAMES COTTRELL—QHS ASST BASEBALL COACH. BARBARA JONES—KITCHEN L-D. LAURA EPPERSON—DAY CUST QHS. TIM WATERKOTTE—SECURITY QHS. TIFFANY VAHLE—SEIU RIDER. JIM MCNEIL—LEAD GROUNDSKEEPER FLINN.

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TAMI REDD—INSTRU COACH/ED COORD ECFC. ABIGAIL CRAMSEY—ECFC SP ED. JAROD CLARK—6TH GRD SCI QJHS. BREANNE TENHOUSE—ELEM. ROBYN ISEMINGER—SP ED.

Resignations end of 2017-2018 or as indicated

HEATHER FRIDAY—SP ED WASH. KARISSA HAM—SCI QHS. DENISE HEBERLEIN—ENG QJHS. JUSTIN BYERS—2ND ADAMS. STEPHANIE STUDER—KDG WASH. JOSEPH STEKEL—PE QHS. KATELYN GOTTIER—SP ED QHS. SARAH HOFFMAN—SCH PSYCH (6/15/18). MICHAELA FRAY—CURR INSTR ASSESSMENT DIR/IL PART (6/30/18). EMILY ADAMS—SEIU DRIVER/RIDER ECFC. DUSTIN BUTCHER—PARA MADISON.

Retirements effective at the end of 2017-2018 will be listed in the May 2018 UPDATE



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In other action, the Board approved:

- * **Bid for asbestos removal at Baldwin.**
Bid #1 as submitted by Triple A Asbestos Services (demolition) at a cost of \$194,935, and Great Western Abatement for bid #2 (renovation) at a cost of \$108,450. Total project cost \$303,385.

**SPRING BREAK
NO SCHOOL
March 26—April 2**



QHS NEW FACES

The Quincy Senior High production of New Faces is April 5 – April 7 at 7:30 p.m. and April 8 at 2:00 p.m. in the QHS Theatre.
Contact QHS Music Dept.
for more information—217-224-3774

