

**SAUSALITO MARIN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SAUSALITO, CALIFORNIA**

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES**

October 28, 2010

OPEN SESSION: 7:10 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Mark Trotter, President
Karen Benjamin
Shirley Thornton
William Ziegler

MEMBERS ABSENT:
Thomas Newmeyer

Debra A. Bradley, Superintendent and Secretary to the Board

Others Present: Jonnette Newton, Carol Cooper, Nathania Jacobs, Tenisha Tate, Dee Echelbarger, Carmen Rivera, Karen Brinkman, Andrew Boyd-Goodrich, Debra Osburn, Ellen Franz, Paula Hammons, Joe Messina, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Warden, Jonathan Leone, Kenneth Price, Michelle Morris, Gerry Klor, Debra Moore, Mark Tong, Margaret Bonardi, many families and Kathy Blazei taking minutes.

Following a sing-a-long with Principal, Jonnette Newton, President, Mark Trotter, called the meeting of the Sausalito Marin City School District Board of Trustees to order at 7:10 p.m.

Call to Order

M/s/c Thornton/Benjamin/all to approve agenda order

Agenda Order

Trustee Benjamin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Pledge of Allegiance

Dunya Fraser, parent of a Willow Creek Academy student, reported that students are forming a debate club at WCA and are in need of assistance.

Public Comment

EDUCATION

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Superintendent Dr. Debra A. Bradley welcomed everyone in the audience.

Welcome

Three current board members were uncontested candidates for three (3) full term vacancies on the Sausalito Marin City School District's Board of Trustees. On August 24, 2010, the candidates were appointed by the Marin County Board of Supervisors in lieu of an election. They are:

Installation of Board of Trustees

- Thomas Newmeyer Four Year Term
- Dr. Shirley Thornton Four Year Term
- Mark Trotter Four Year Term

SAUSALITO MARIN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES
THURSDAY, October 28, 2010. - Minutes

Superintendent Bradley gave the Oath of Office to Mark Trotter and Dr. Shirley Thornton. Thomas Newmeyer, who was unable to attend this meeting will be installed at the November 18, 2010 Board meeting.

Congratulations to all!

Superintendent Bradley welcomed families and acknowledged guests for the Fifth Annual Celebration of Students who excelled on State STAR assessments administered in the spring each year. Students honored at this event will be recognized for their outstanding achievement on testing in the spring of 2010.

Student Awards
Presentations

Student awards were presented by Bayside Principal Jonnette Newton, Willow Creek Academy Head of School Carol Cooper, Martin Luther King, Jr. Academy Interim Principal Karen Brinkman and Superintendent Bradley, with assistance from Jonathan Leoni, Mayor of the City of Sausalito. A program with a complete list of awardees is attached. Trustees congratulated each child with a handshake before the students assembled on stage for pictures to memorialize the occasion.

Students whose combined English Language Arts and Math scores totaled or exceeded 900 were welcomed to the Vision 900 Club. They are:

Grade 3

Corey Lewis, Brenda Rodriguez Mazariegos

Grade 4

Michael Balistreri, Jacob Blum, Mia Krueger, Isabelle Rivera,
Marcus Trotter, Jeanne Specht, Sotiel Specht

Grade 5

Carla Canada, Mikael Damasco, Piper Gilmore, Amir Modan,
Priscilla Navas, Ronnie Pereira

Grade 6

Carrie Clark, Sophie Gilmore, Misbah Mamoon, River Matta

Grade 7

Carli Alexander, Gavin Boyd-Goodrich

Grade 8

Thu Dam, Gabrielle Kraft, Luca Osburn

The meeting was adjourned to a reception and refreshments.

ADJOURNMENT

M/s/c Thornton/Benjamin/all to adjourn at 8:20 p.m.

Clerk Karen Benjamin Date 11-18-10

Secretary _____

FUTURE BOARD MEETING DATES

All meetings are held at the District Office, 630 Nevada Street, Sausalito at 7:00 pm unless otherwise noted. *The first meeting date of each month will be allocated to, additional special meetings on bond and facilities issues, special meetings, community forums, etc. as needed. The only or second meeting date of each month will be allocated to regular board meetings.

**FUTURE BOARD
MEETING DATES**

November 18
December 7

UPCOMING EVENTS/IMPORTANT DATES

November 11 Veterans Day, No School
November 22-26 Thanksgiving Recess
December 20-January 2 Winter Recess
December 22 Classified In Lieu Day
December 23 Local Holiday
December 24 Christmas Holiday
December 31 New Years Holiday
January 3 Students Return to School

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FUTURE CHARTER SCHOOL BOARD MEETING DATES

Unless other noticed, all meetings are held at 6:30 PM on the school campus, 630 Nevada Street, Sausalito, CA. All meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

**FUTURE CHARTER
SCHOOL BOARD
MEETING DATES**

November 17
December 15
January 19
February 16
March 16
April 20
May 18
June 15