

Welcome to Board Briefs, in which we summarize key agenda items from prior Board of Education meetings and address topics that were brought to the Board's attention. Full meeting minutes are typically not available until reviewed and approved by the Board at a subsequent meeting, but we hope that this summary of key items from the previous meeting will 'keep you in touch' with the notable actions of the Board. As always, our community is encouraged to attend our meetings. We welcome your questions and comments.

November 5, 2015 Board of Education Meeting

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In an effort to further improve communications and make district news and announcements accessible in another platform to residents, the Croton-Harmon School District has launched a new Facebook page. The new Facebook page can be found by searching "Croton-Harmon Schools" in Facebook or visiting the district's website and clicking on the Facebook logo. Please be aware that the page is intended only to provide the community with information regarding the district and not for public posting or dialogue.

Advocacy Efforts

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Edward Fuhrman reported on the positive impact of the advocacy efforts on education by the Croton-Harmon community, staff and Board. In addition, Dr. Fuhrman reported on attending the Governor's Task Force meeting.

Engineering Pilot Program

The Board of Education approved a proposed Engineering Pilot Program for the spring semester of the 2015-16 school year.

Acceptance of Donations

The Board of Education gratefully accepted with appreciation a number of donations. The PVC PTA donated approximately \$2,500 for eighth-graders to attend a play hosted by Encore Chamber Repertory Theater Productions. In addition, Eric Rosen donated a Big Bubba batting cage backdrop to protect cars and pedestrians from foul balls during practice. The Board thanks these organizations and individuals for their generous contributions to the district.