# **GLENBARD TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 87**

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# Minutes of the 6 p.m. Oct. 3, 2022 Meeting of the Communication, Legislation, and Partnerships Committee

Present: Amy Goodman, Jim Shannon, Melissa Piwowar, Margaret Lebeau, Zahra Waheed, Colin Crook, Jason Lo, Nick Scipione, Peg Mannion, Peg Agnos and Jennifer Figurelli

# I. Approval of minutes

The committee approved minutes of the April 18, 2022 meeting of the Communication, Legislation and Partnerships Committee.

# II. Legislative update

Peg Agnos and Jennifer Figurelli from Legislative Education Network of DuPage provided updates on:

- New ISBE chair Steven Isoye
- ISBE board retreat work, including elevating educators and equity project portfolio
- Work to streamline educators' professional development trainings
- General Assembly veto session Nov. 15 17
- LEND Council meeting on Oct. 28

# III. Community Relations update

Peg Mannion, community relations coordinator, reviewed the following items:

# **Glendale Heights Family Health and Safety Fair**

- Oct. 5 from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Sports Hub
- We are co-sponsors
- Fewer vendors quality over quantity

# **Vocational partners**

- Partnering with Dawn Langdon, who is Transitions supervisor
- Presentations to chambers of commerce
- Vocational partner profiles in Glenbard News
  - Spotlighting individual businesses
  - · Includes a link to become a vocational partner

# **Publicity workshop for parent organization leaders**

- Boosters, etc. gain tips for info to be included in Glenbard News
- Sent a handout to parent organization leaders who couldn't attend

#### School anniversaries

- West is celebrating its centennial
- South is celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary
- Community engagement with alumni, current families and community members
- Special homecoming celebrations
- School tours

# IV. Partnership for Educational Progress update

Peg Mannion, community relations coordinator, reviewed the following item:

- PEP's 30th anniversary celebration held Sunday, Sept. 18
- Good turnout of families and community partners
- Dr. Larson and other superintendents on hand
- Food trucks
- Games
- Glenbard students and students from our sender school districts.
  - East Incubator students and teachers
  - o West band's music instrument "petting zoo"
    - Get familiar with various instruments
- Also funded scholarship and grant programs for PEP's Pathway to Progress.

Respectfully submitted,

Glenbard District 87

Communication, Legislation and Partnerships Committee Member