



BLOOMSBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

BOARD OF EDUCATION

LATEST NEWS

OCTOBER 2009

The Board continues to prepare for the state **Quality Single Accountability Continuum (QSAC)** inspection (for additional information, see <http://www.state.nj.us/education/genfo/qsac/>).

At our September meeting (23 Sep 2009) the Board honored Peg Jagodzinski, who retired last year after 14 years of service to the school. Peg and her husband were on hand to accept the honor and to update us on her progress.

The **State of NJ DOE School Report Card** on BES may be found on the internet at:

<http://education.state.nj.us/rc/rc08/dataselect.php?c=19;d=0430;s=020;lt=B;st=A&datasection=all>

The Board approved World Language and Technology curricula, a nursing services plan, and in our continuing effort to save money through shared services, we approved an interlocal agreement with the Pohatcong Board of Education for Business Administrator services.

Board members Cathy Foulk and Karyn Frey attended a NJSB workshop on Regionalization on 7 October in Flemington.

A number of policies were approved for first reading, including policies on Nepotism, Conduct and Discipline, Health, Search and Seizure, and Conflict of Interest. All policies can be viewed online on the school's website: <http://www.bburyes.com>

The Board will be joining with East Stroudsburg University to take part in their National Writing Project, a partnership in which our classroom teachers have the opportunity to work with teacher consultants throughout the course of the year specific to the area of writing instruction.

CSA's REPORT

NJ ASK scores have been received by the district and the annual presentation will occur at the October Meeting.

High School Groundbreaking took place on October 5 at the new site off Roseberry Drive. Governor Corzine was there to join in the festivities.

H1N1 Virus

plans for teacher and student absenteeism were discussed, and Mr. Slattery provided a county-wide update from the superintendent of schools.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for
Wednesday, October 21st.
Please join us in the All-Purpose Room.

Mike, Karyn, Cathy, Marnie, and Bert