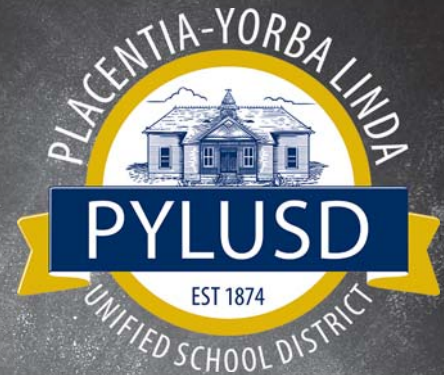


BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

Notes from the **Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016** PYLUSD Board of Education Meeting



Board Actions

1. Staff appointments

The Board took action to approve Orlando Luevano as the new Nutrition Services Production Supervisor III/Chef for the district. Orlando comes to PYLUSD with more than 25 years of experience within school districts as an Assistant Director and District Chef. He spent several years in Arizona school districts, and nine years at William S. Hart Union High School District in Southern California. Please join us in congratulating and welcoming Orlando to our district!

2. First readings

The Board took action to revise two Board Policies (BP) – “Designated Management Positions” (2412-E) and “Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials - Adopted” (6161.1), both first readings.

3. Budget revisions and transfers

The Board took action to adopt Resolution No. 14 for 2016-2017 budget revisions to adjust 2015-2016 unaudited actual fund balance, and authorize 2016-2017 budget transfers.

Upcoming Board Meetings

- **Tuesday, Nov. 8**
- **Tuesday, Dec. 13**
- **Tuesday, Jan. 10**

**All meetings take place at 7 p.m. in the Board room, 1301 E. Orangethorpe Ave., unless otherwise noted*

Notes

1. Student Board Rep. gives first report

Student Board Representative Elizabeth Yin, a senior at Valencia High School, presented her very first report to the Board of Education.

2. APLE President talks “Good News”

Linda Manion, President of the Association of Placentia Linda Educators (APLE) teachers union, spoke during the public comment section of the Board meeting. She discussed all the great things happening in the district, like advanced placement (AP) test scores and the International Baccalaureate (IB) program.

Presentations to the Board

1. Study Session: Student Achievement Data

Before the Board meeting, the district hosted a Study Session for the Board of Education and the public in the Board room. The Educational Services Department presented Student Achievement Data from the 2015-2016 school year. Director of Assessment and Accountability Andi Norman, Ed.D., gave the presentation.

The second annual release of California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) data revealed continued academic growth for PYLUSD students. CAASPP includes the Smarter Balanced Assessment (SBA), which is a computer-based test for students in grades third through eighth and 11th in the areas of English Language Arts (ELA) and math. PYLUSD students once again outscored the county and the state in both ELA and math. PYLUSD students meeting or exceeding standards increased by four percent in ELA, and three percent in math when compared to 2015-2016 SBA results.

For a complete rundown of district scores across Orange County, click here: www.ocregister.com/articles/test-682268-county-districts.html

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