



SCA Joint Munsey Park/Shelter Parent Council Meeting Minutes

Date: October 22, 2014, 9:30am

Subject of Meeting: Internet Safety

Location: Auditorium, Munsey Park School

Mrs. Cathy Conniff, SCA President

Mrs. Conniff welcomed everyone and then mentioned the following upcoming events:

Manhasset SEPTA Gifted and Talented Programming presents Challenge Island, (a whimsical, wildly popular enrichment program that promotes creative and critical thinking skills in children) for a series of 4 classes. This program takes place on 10/24, 11/7, 11/14 and 12/5 from 5-6pm at the Manhasset Public Library.

Manhasset SEPTA Gifted and Talented Programming is also hosting a presentation by Lisa Braverman, Ph.D. on November 12th from 7pm-9pm at the Manhasset Library. Dr. Braverman will discuss the joys and challenges of being a parent of a gifted child, how to be proactive about identifying appropriate education and development opportunities for children, and information about schools, programs, and opportunities that exist in Long Island and the NY metropolitan area for gifted students.

The Manhasset Community Coalition against Substance Abuse spoke about their upcoming presentation "It's A Fact....Parents do matter" with Dr. Robert Turissi, on October 30 at 7:30 pm the Secondary School Auditorium. Dr. Turissi will discuss why it is important for teens and parents to talk about the dangers of underage drinking.

Mrs. Conniff then introduced today's presentation "Safe Surfing" which was presented by Munsey Park Computer Specialist Deborah Cernuto, Munsey Park Library Media Specialist, Kathleen Olwey, Shelter Rock Computer Specialist, Dina Merolesi, and Shelter Rock Library Media Specialist, Amy Rowland.

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Today's presentation was a Netsmartz workshop on Internet safety. The presentation addressed Smartphones, Social networking, Gaming Safely, and Sexting. It also covered safety risks of cyber bullying, inappropriate online behavior, online predators, posting personal or inappropriate behavior, and sexting. It is up to parents to teach kids rules of internet safety by talking to them at every age. The presentation also addressed how parents can protect their kids by talking to them and using certain filtering and monitoring software.

Today's presentation was videotaped and can be viewed at

The original presentation can also be viewed at: <http://www.netsmartz.org/Presentations/Parents>



Below the screen is an additional link to download the presenter's guide...this is where you will find the script to accompany the slides. Most of the presentation is the same as was presented today.

Mrs. Regina Rule, Board of Education President

Mrs. Rule discussed how the Board of Education adopted a Bond Referendum to be voted on at the Secondary School on December 3rd. Please see the attached one page summary of the bond, which is focused on renovations in the following areas: science, food services/cafeteria, athletic fields, fine arts and other infrastructure projects.

Mrs. Rule also encouraged parents to contact the SCA presidents or the BOE with any questions.

Mr. Charles Cardillo, Superintendent of Manhasset School District

Mr. Cardillo discussed the bond and the need to provide suitable space for our children.



Manhasset 2020: Facilities Bond Vote **Wednesday, December 3rd 2014**

WHAT: The proposed December 3rd vote includes District wide (DW) capital projects totaling \$22,609,870 funded by the proposed \$19,959,870 bond, \$2.4 million of capital reserves and the \$250,000 SCA gift of the Secondary School (SS) cafeteria air conditioning. The estimated property tax increase for an average home is \$134.

WHY: District wide enrollment has increased almost 40% to 3366 students presently from 2450 students in 2000. Projections show continued large enrollment thru 2020 and beyond, yet student classroom spaces have not changed. Targeted science and fine arts classroom configurations are antiquated and cannot meet the current and future needs of Manhasset's larger student population. Demand continues to grow for higher level course work in all disciplines including the fine arts where 90% of students participate K-12. Reconfigured and relocated spaces will ease overcrowding and enable more high level opportunities for students through increased student scheduling flexibility. Athletic and cafeteria renovations and cafeteria air conditioning in all three schools will enable these widely used facilities to better serve both student and community needs. Proposed projects include:

Program Focused Projects:

- **Sciences:** renovate five classroom, lab, chemical storage and prep areas at the SS; create one new flexible SS science classroom lab; relocate the SS technology classroom and renovate two classrooms and the lab at each elementary school to create advanced science ready environments.
- **Arts & Music:** reconfigure, relocate and renovate five SS music and art rooms and renovate the theater program scene shop to provide larger and more efficient work spaces for basic and advanced band, orchestra, chorus, art and drama students. Additional flexible space will ensure a dedicated, uninterrupted space for theater arts instruction. The SS reconfigurations require the relocation of Central Administration to the Bus Garage. Reconfigure smaller music spaces at both elementary schools to accommodate larger group instruction.
- **Food Services:** expand SS cafeteria seating, renovate Munsey Park (MP) serving line and kitchen facilities and replace Shelter Rock (SR) acoustic ceiling; air condition cafeterias in all three schools.
- **Athletics:** renovate Memorial Field by installing a 330' sod field and upgrading tennis courts to full sized deco turf. Install new storage/toilet facility and perimeter landscaping and relocate the flagpole and Memorial monument on site. Rebuild the basketball court on the SS campus.

Infrastructure Projects:

- Repair/replace parts of the MP slate roof
- Reconstruct toilets at MP and SR
- Replace playgrounds surfaces at SR
- Ventilate crawl space at SS
- Install exterior lighting at MP and SR
- Replace Sanitary system at SS
- Install Voice over IP phone system DW
- Install Building storage and drainage at MP

WHEN: VOTE Wednesday, December 3rd, 2014, 6:30AM – 10PM in the High School Gym.

School	Type	Description	Capital Projects	Final Scope of Capital Projects
			PROGRAMMATIC	INFRASTRUCTURE
MP	PROG-SCI	Science Room Reconstruction	134,375	
MP	PROG-SCI	Upgrade 6th Grade Classroom to Science Lab	118,000	
SR	PROG-SCI	Science Room Reconstruction	230,100	
SR	PROG-SCI	Upgrade 6th Grade Classroom to Science Lab	118,000	
SS	PROG-SCI	Science Classrooms - Reconstruction (5), Incl. chem storage and prep area	2,199,800	
SS	PROG-SCI	Technology Classroom Reconstruction and Conversion to new Science Classroom	375,000	
SS	PROG-SCI	New Technology Classroom-created by subdividing existing ACC	250,000	
MP	PROG-Arts	Music Rooms - Reconstruction	546,280	
SR	PROG-Arts	Music Rooms - Reconstruction	444,250	
SS	PROG-Arts	Music/Art Classroom Expansion/Relocation and Reconstruction	6,215,976	
SS	PROG-Arts	Relocation of Administration to Bus Garage in re Music/Art Classroom Expansion/Relocation, new Grounds Storage Building, Relocate Fuel Oil Storage/Dispenser Unit	3,231,600	
MP	PROG-CAFÉ	Cafeteria - Kitchen/Serving Line Reconstruction / Air Conditioning	2,346,000	
SR	PROG-CAFÉ	Cafeteria - Air Conditioning	305,325	
SR	PROG-CAFÉ	Cafeteria - Ceiling & Lighting Replacement	141,600	
SS	PROG-CAFÉ	Cafeteria Expansion/Reconstruction/Finishes/Air Conditioning	1,752,477	
SS	PROG-ATHL	Memorial Field and Tennis Complex- 4 new Deco Turf courts, new sod field, storage/toliet facility/perimeter landscaping, relocate bshl court, relocate flagpole/monument	1,073,736	
MP	PROG-OTHER	Gymnasium - Wall Pads, Divider Curtain, Grill Replacement	46,146	
SR	PROG-OTHER	Gymnasium - Wall Pads (2 Gyms), Divider Curtain	61,752	
SR	PROG-OTHER	New ADA Toliet in self-contained classroom	59,000	
SS	PROG-OTHER	Gymnasiums - Wall Pads, Divider Curtain	34,836	
MP	INFRA	Toliet Reconstruction	246,035	
MP	INFRA	Site Drainage	73,278	
MP	INFRA	Slate Roofs - Targeted Replacement/Repair	686,642	
MP	INFRA	Exterior Site and Security Lighting Replacement	61,712	
MP	INFRA	Asphalt Pavement Replacement - Small Parking Lot	0 *	
MP	INFRA	Building Storage (Maintenance Equipment)	125,000	
MP	INFRA	North Playground Resurfacing - New Poured Safety Surface	91,450	
SR	INFRA	Kindergarten Playground - New Poured Safety Surface	26,400	
SR	INFRA	Toilet Reconstruction & ADA Compliant Accessibility for the Physically-Challenged	100,000	
SR	INFRA	Exterior Site and Security Lighting Replacement	230,100	
SR	INFRA	Asphalt Pavement Replacement - play areas	290,000	
SR	INFRA	Crawl Space Ventilation Phase II	245,000	
SS	INFRA	Exterior Doors - Replacement	0 *	
SS	INFRA	Asphalt Pavement Replacement - Campus-wide	0 *	
SS	INFRA	Secondary School Sanitary System Replacement	525,000	
SS	INFRA	Voice Over / Phone System	225,000	
DW	INFRA			
Total Capital Projects			22,609,870	19,684,253
				2,925,617

*Note: In the event the final scope of capital projects can be accomplished in all material respects at a cost of less than \$22,609,870, the Board reserves the right to expend funds on the following items:
 Toilet reconstruction \$294,000
 Asphalt pavement replacement \$1 million
 Exterior door replacement \$68,000

**Includes: \$2,235,000 (Bus Garage conversion); \$185,000 (Grounds Storage Building); \$326,600 (Bus Garage Drain/Existing Sanitary System Soil Remediation); \$185,000 (Gas Tank and Fueling Station Removal and Relocation); \$95,000 (New Sanitary System); \$80,000 (Electrical Service Upgrade); \$125,000 (Site Restoration and Asphalt Repair).

Funding Scenario:	22,609,870
Gift from the SCA Toward Secondary School Cafeteria Air Conditioning	250,000
Transfer from 2010 Capital Reserve Toward Science Classroom Reconstruction	2,400,000
Proceeds from Bond Issuance	19,959,870

Project description details are contained in the summaries and detail presentations discussed at public Board meetings on June 19, 2014, September 4, 2014, September 18, 2014 and October 2, 2014. The summary document of the October 2nd meeting contains the links to all other documents:

<http://www.k12.ny.us/board.cfm?subpage=23649>

