

**RENSSELAER CENTRAL SCHOOLS CORPORATION**  
**BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES**  
**BOARD BITS – FEBRUARY 21, 2012**

- The minutes of the January 17, 2012 Board of Finance Meeting, Regular Session and Executive Session, the January 31, 2012 Special Session and the February 13, 2012 Executive Session were approved as presented.
- The Board was shown an ISTEP “Infomercial” made by staff and parents of the elementary schools.
- The Board approved claims dated January 1 - 31, 2012, #1 - 112 and claims dated February 1 – 15, 2012, #113 - 212.
- The Board was presented with a Budget Report showing expenditures through January 31, 2012.
- The Board was informed that the 2012 Budget has been received from the State of Indiana.
- The Board was updated on the construction of the new primary school.
- The Board approved Building Corporation Pay Requests from Lorenz Williams Clinton Architectural Services, D.A. Dodd, Sweny Electric and Fetters Construction.
- The Board approved School Corporation Pay Requests from Patriot Engineering and Fetters Construction.
- The Board approved a 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies Washington, D.C. Field Trip Request for June 4 – 11, 2012.
- The Board approved an Age 4 Pre-School/Day Care Program at the New Primary School for the 2012-2013 school year.
- The Board approved a Before and After School Program at the New Primary School for the 2012-2013 school year.
- The Board approved a High School Honors Social Studies Class Field Trip Request to Medieval Times Dinner and Tournament in Schaumburg, Illinois March 5, 2012.
- The Board approved the RISE Evaluation and Development System for Rensselaer Central Schools.
- The Board was informed of the following resignations:
  - Tracy Kozlik – Middle School Math Teacher
  - Dan Kellow – High School English Teacher and Swim Coach

- The Board approved the following hiring recommendations:
  - Bernard Sell – Spring Musical Director
  - Stephanie Davisson – Spring Musical Accompanist
- The Board was presented with Volunteer Applications
- Announcements were made of the following dates:
  - Tuesday, March 13, 2012 – Next Regular Board Meeting
  - Monday, March 19 – Friday, March 23, 2012 – Spring Break
  - Thursday, April 5, 2012 – Kindergarten Roundup 8:30 – 4:00
  - Monday, April 9, 2012 – Flex Day – Weather Make-Up Day if needed
  - Tuesday, April 17, 2012 – Kindergarten Assessment 8:30 – 4:00
  - Friday, April 20, 2012 – Kindergarten Readiness (Pre-K) 8:30 – 4:00