

# SPARTA COMMUNITY UNIT DISTRICT #140 BOARD HIGHLIGHTS



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*The following is a brief summary of the Board of Education meeting held on April 13, 2017.*

## PERSONNEL

The Board accepted the resignation of Grace Hernandez as Assistant Golf Coach at Sparta High School.

The Board approved a three-year contract with Lynda Loesing as Assistant Principal at Sparta Lincoln School beginning July 1, 2017, with an annual salary of \$65,000 for the 2017-2018 school year; \$67,500 for the 2018-2019 school year and \$70,000 for the 2019-2020 school year.

Julie Draper was approved as the Assistant Softball Coach at Sparta High School.

## FINANCE

The building budget requests for FY18 were approved.

The daily pay rate for substitute teachers was increased from \$75 to \$80 per day for the 2017-2018 school year. Retired District 140 teachers' daily pay rate was increased from \$80 per day to \$85 per day.

## MISCELLANEOUS

The preliminary 2017-2018 school calendar with a start date of August 15 was approved.

The amended calendar for 2016-2017 was approved. The last day of school for students will be May 24 with a teacher institute on May 25.

The Sparta Lincoln School Science Club overnight trip to Dubois, Illinois, was approved.

The Sparta High School Math Team was approved to go on an overnight trip to Champaign, Illinois.

The Social Studies textbooks for Sparta Lincoln School were approved.

The next regular board meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 11, 2017, at Evansville Attendance Center.

A special meeting will be held Thursday, April 27, 2017, at 7 p.m. at Sparta Lincoln School. New board members will be seated at that time.