



# Board Briefs

Highlights from this week's Board of Education meeting

## **Superintendent's evaluation leads to a contract extension**

Following approval of the Superintendent's Performance Evaluation for 2008-09, the Board of Education unanimously approved a contract extension for IUSD Superintendent Gwen Gross, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2012.

## **Student board members welcomed at inaugural meeting**

Board President Gavin Huntley-Fenner welcomed IUSD's four new student trustees to their first board meeting. Laura Bran of Northwood High School, Lucas Salzman of Woodbrige High, Gal Sadlik of University High and Brianne Searl of Irvine High will each serve through June 2010.

## **Board complies with instructional materials requirement**

Meeting an annual requirement of the California Education Code, Board members adopted a resolution confirming that all students enrolled in IUSD's elementary schools have sufficient access to textbooks and instructional materials aligned to the state's content standards.

## **District enters into agreement with provider of relocatables**

Board members authorized the assistant superintendent of Business Services to enter into a five-year contract with Modular Structures International Inc. for the future purchase of relocatable classroom buildings. In a separate vote, the board rejected all bids for the lease of relocatable buildings and authorized staff to solicit new bids.

## **Coming Up...**

Regular Meetings: *Tuesday, October 20, 2009 in the Board Room*  
*Tuesday, November 3, 2009 in the Board Room*

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