

## **Board Highlights December 8, 2015**

At its December Meeting on Tuesday, the Board welcomed newly elected Trustee Quoc Tran and reelected Trustee Juli Kauffman. In its annual reorganization, the Board chose Juli Kauffman as President and Ashley Paff as Clerk. Committee assignments were also decided. Outgoing Trustee Ross McKenna was thanked and honored for his eight years of service to the Kentfield School District. The Board also expressed its appreciation for retiring employees Becky Gayman, School Nurse, and Kathy Kress, Business Services/Accounts Payable.

Music teachers Becky Poon and Mike Martinez presented the Educational Showcase. Becky shared a video of a lesson with third graders who were learning to read music, and Mike introduced three Kent students - Nicole Fuches, Ray Hettleman and Siena Callan - who shared what playing an instrument does for them and means to them.

The Board voted to approve a contract with Measure D Bond projects architects, Quatrocchi Kwok Architects. The first meeting of the Board and QKA will be a Special Board Meeting/Study Session next Tuesday, December 15, from 4:15-5:45 p.m. in the District Office. This Study Session is open to the public but is not designed as an input-gathering session. The focus will be on the Board and QKA understanding each other's impressions of our Facilities Master Plan.