Open Session
Roll Call
Committee of the Whole

- Report from Curriculum Committee
- Report from Finance Committee
- Report from Policy Committee
- Report from Discipline Committee
- Report from Facilities Committee
• Approval of District 205 Bills: dated December 12, 2019 through January 8, 2020

• Personnel: Approval of Resignations, Leave of Absence, New Hires and Terminations dated January 8, 2020
We now open the Public Participation section of our agenda. At this time, members of the community are invited to address the Board. We ask that you state your name and town, limit your total time to two minutes, and talk only about items on the current Board Agenda.

In addition, if your comments are of a critical nature about specific people, the Board requests that you present your comments during the personnel portion of the “executive session.”

Your name will not be called if you do no sign in and list a topic or the topic is not on the current Board agenda or if public participation has begun.
Freedom Of Information Act

- Dr. Doss
Communications

- Mr. Arrington
DISTRICT 205 IN PARTNERSHIP WITH SOUTH SUBURBAN COLLEGE & THORNTON TOWNSHIP Presents 7th ANNUAL MLK CELEBRATION JANUARY 20, 2020
Thornton Township High School District 205
Dr. Nathaniel Cunningham Jr. - Superintendent
John Arrington - Director of College & Careers, Program Director
Loretta Wells - Event Chairperson, Thornton Township

AWAKENING TO GREATNESS

Keynote Speaker
Dr. Chandra Gill Ceo,
Blackademiaically Speaking

JANUARY 20, 2020
DOORS OPEN AT 9:00 AM
PROGRAM BEGINS AT 10:00 AM
Free Full Buffet Lunch
Served After Program

SOUTH SUBURBAN COLLEGE
Kindig Performing Arts Center
15800 South State Street
South Holland IL

Performances By
District 205 Band
District 205 Choir
District 205 Speech Team
District 205 Color Guard
District 205 Steppers
Ms. Lilcritia Coleman and Peer Leaders hosted the Annual Winter Wonderland on December 18th. They provided hats, scarves, gloves and toys for the community of TTHS. It was very successful! A special thanks to “Santa”
Coach Tai Streets and the undefeated Varsity Wildcat basketball team became the Big Dipper Champions defeating the Rich East Rockets in the 47th Annual Big Dipper Tournament, December 28, 2019 with a score of 67-44.

- 16 teams participated in the tournament.
- Marco Minor was named MVP, scoring a team high of 22 including four 3-pointers.
The Thornwood Marching Thunderbirds traveled to Memphis, Tennessee to compete in the 61st Annual AutoZone Liberty Bowl Field show and Parade Competition on Saturday, December 28, 2019.

The Marching Thunderbirds garnered 2nd place in the field show and parade competition and also took 1st place in Best Drum Majors and General Effect for Parade.

This was the first time any band had attended a national televised bowl game from Thornwood High School.
On December 16-17th, the band staves from University at Arkansas Pine-Bluff and Langston University came to audition senior band students for potential scholarship opportunities.

All seniors that auditioned for these collegiate institutions received a substantial four-year music scholarship and some received academic scholarships as well.
Our Varsity Girls Basketball team had an opportunity to participate in a tournament in Orlando, Florida last month. During the KSA Classic, they faced tough competition from schools from other states.

Our Lady T-Birds returned to Thunderbird Nation with a KSA Classic Event record of 2-1 defeating Northport High School (New York) and Thomas Edison High School (Virginia). The one loss was to Argyle High School (Texas).
This past weekend the team comprised of 3 males & 8 females, traveled to Belvidere High School to compete in the BUCS Winter Classic. Our Scholar-Athletes brought home a first-place trophy!
Congratulations to all of our Fall 2019 Graduates:

November - 42
January - 38

Outlook Academy
Parent Academy

- TTHSD205 Parent Academies are starting later this month, please contact us or visit the Outlook Academy website for more information and the application. Parent Academies are open to all parents in our community.
- Visit: www.district205.net >>>Areas of Instruction >>>Outlook Academy.
- Starting this month: Financial Literacy, Microsoft Certification, Horticulture, CPR Certification, Culinary Arts & Sanitation Certification, Construction Workshops and Parent Book Club.
A. Student Presentation(s): Thornwood High School National Youth Challenge Students – Mr. Fickes
NFTE National Business Plan Competition
New Business

B. Recommended Motion to Table the Approval of Thornton Township High School’s ICCA Cheerleading Championship Overnight Fieldtrip, Springfield, IL, January 10-11, 2020 – Dr. Ratliff (Approval Needed)
Superintendent’s Report
Closed session pursuant to Section 2(c) of the Open Meetings Act to consider:

– The appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees;
– Student discipline;
– Collective negotiating matters, and
– Pending, probable or imminent litigation.
Reconvene Open Session
Action Items Following Executive Session
NEXT MEETING
February 12, 2020
6:30pm
Thornton Township High School