

I'm using my time today to issue a few district-wide reminders:

In case you haven't already heard, this spring we have five candidates for the Board of Education. One is incumbent Tara Belfi, who is currently the BOE president; the other four, who would be joining as new members are (in alphabetical order) Nicholas Cerrone, Kate DelliCarpini, Lisa Smith, and William Wollman. The election will be held along with the budget vote on Tuesday, May 16th, from 6:30 AM to 9 PM. Before then, the CPC will be hosting the candidates on Monday, May 1st at 7 PM in the PAC for their introductory statements and responses to community questions. Last year's Meet the Candidates night was extremely lively and informative, and we expect this year's event to be equally compelling. You can submit a question for the candidates at the CPC email address until Thursday, April 27th at noon.

We are still soliciting applications for both next year's CPC Executive Board, and we are also collecting applications for each school's SIT slate. Please inform your PTG head if you're interested in applying for a position on these important teams. The deadline for both applications has been extended to Thursday, May 18th at 11 AM. You can find the forms on the CPC website.

Today we are fortunate to hear from Brent Chiarello, our district's chair of the music department, to speak about the music curriculum in the various school buildings as well as extracurricular opportunities for students with more focused interests in music.

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