



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: Dec-10

Agenda #

Staff/Administrator: Jeff Weiss

Superintendent: Dan Huber-Kantola

Type of Item: Informational Action

Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?

North Valley High School's Virtual Enterprise class needs to travel to Oakland/San Francisco for the International Virtual Enterprise Fair March 5-7, 2011.

Provide history/background information on your proposal.

Sharon Croucher, Business Teacher, began a Virtual Enterprise class three years ago. This is a national program coordinated with other schools and businesses. Students set up and run a company in which they buy/sell with other virtual businesses located throughout the world. The culminating activity for the class is to attend a trade fair. The trip is paid through Carl Perkins funds and revenue from the class-run student store. We are requesting permission for Mrs. Croucher, 2-3 chaperones, and 20-28 students.

List the advantages of your proposal:

This opportunity gives students a distinct experience in business they will not otherwise have. This also meets the requirements of a registered Virtual Enterprise program.

List possible disadvantages of your proposal:

Sharon Croucher, Business Teacher, will miss a clerical day for second trimester grades and will post them before she leaves on the trip.

List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?

Not attending; cancelling the Virtual Enterprise program.

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes No