BOARD ACTION ITEMS

**Curriculum**

I. **Field Trips**
The following field trips were reviewed and will be placed on the Board Agenda for approval at the March 21, 2016 Board meeting:

- High School students (approximately 50) to travel to Whitney Museum of Art, New York, New York on Friday, April 15, 2016
- High School Marching Band students (approximately 80-90) to travel to Disneyworld, Orlando, FL, Tuesday, November 7, 2017 – Monday, November 13, 2017

BOARD INFORMATION / DISCUSSION ITEMS

**Curriculum**

I. **PA Statewide Mathematics/Science/STEM Partnership Project**
Grant funds will allow this teacher training to be completed during the summer months at no additional cost to the District.

II. **Partnership with Buck Institute for Education – Project Based Learning Training**
Approximately 12 Ephrata Intermediate/Middle School teachers will attend this training June 20-22 at York County School of Technology.

III. **Service Learning Program Overview**
A PowerPoint presentation outlined the Ephrata High School Service Learning program. Approximately 70 students enroll each semester.

**Public Affairs/Planning**

I. **2016 Shadow Student Days – February 24 and March 15**
The administration described their reasons for implementing Shadow-A-Student Days and shared their experiences.

II. **“Tweet Week” – March 7-14, 2016**
Ephrata High School students were selected to share what it is like to be a student via Twitter.
III. Bullying Survey
   The Board reviewed and discussed results from the 2014-2015 Bullying Survey completed by students, parents, and teachers.

IV. U.S. Air Force Heritage of America Band Concert – April 29, 2016, 7:00 PM
   A description of the event was outlined for the Board. Board attendance was encouraged and tickets were available.