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**To:** Board of Education  
**From:** **Thomas M. Bongiovi**  
Superintendent of Schools  
**Date:** November 12, 2014  
**Re:** **Swim Team Competitor**

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Nick Winograd is presently a senior at Port Jervis High School. Nick is a talented swimmer and approached Mr. Semerano regarding the district allowing Nick to compete on the Minisink Valley Swim Team as an individual competitor as Port does not have a swim team. Nick would compete as a Port Jervis swimmer, but would not score as a Port Jervis team. His events would only be exhibition in order to qualify him for the section meet. Nick needs 6 races to qualify. Nick would shadow the Minisink Valley swim team schedule and Port Jervis would be responsible for all related costs. Ms. Case and I are open to the idea as we have done this in the past. The anticipated cost to the district would be as follows:

1-Stipend:

- \$500.00 to the Minisink coach
- \$500.00 to the Minisink Swim Club

2-Section 9 dues:

- \$250.00

3-Tournament Cost:

- \$20.00

4-Extra heats at visiting schools:

- \$210.00 (\$6.00/heat x 7 events x 5 away meets)-Some schools only have 6 lanes, therefore it will cost money to allow him to swim in an extra heat

Total Cost=\$1,480