

Education

Lindop moves ahead with boiler project

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The Lindop School Board took steps Sept. 18 to improve the school's heating system with the purchase of a supplemental boiler.

The board voted to accept a bid of \$146,000 to install a second boiler at the school.

The approval was made, however, with the stipulation that the school's architectural firm evaluate the two companies which came in with the same bid, to make a determination which would be the best to do the project.

During a discussion at the meeting, some School Board members wanted to know about the prior work performances of the companies.

School Board President Gay Chase wanted to make sure the contractor will work around the school schedule so the work is

not done when classes are in session.

"If they can do it over Christmas, we'll want to do it over the break," Chase said.

The school needs a supplemental boiler to improve the inadequate existing system.

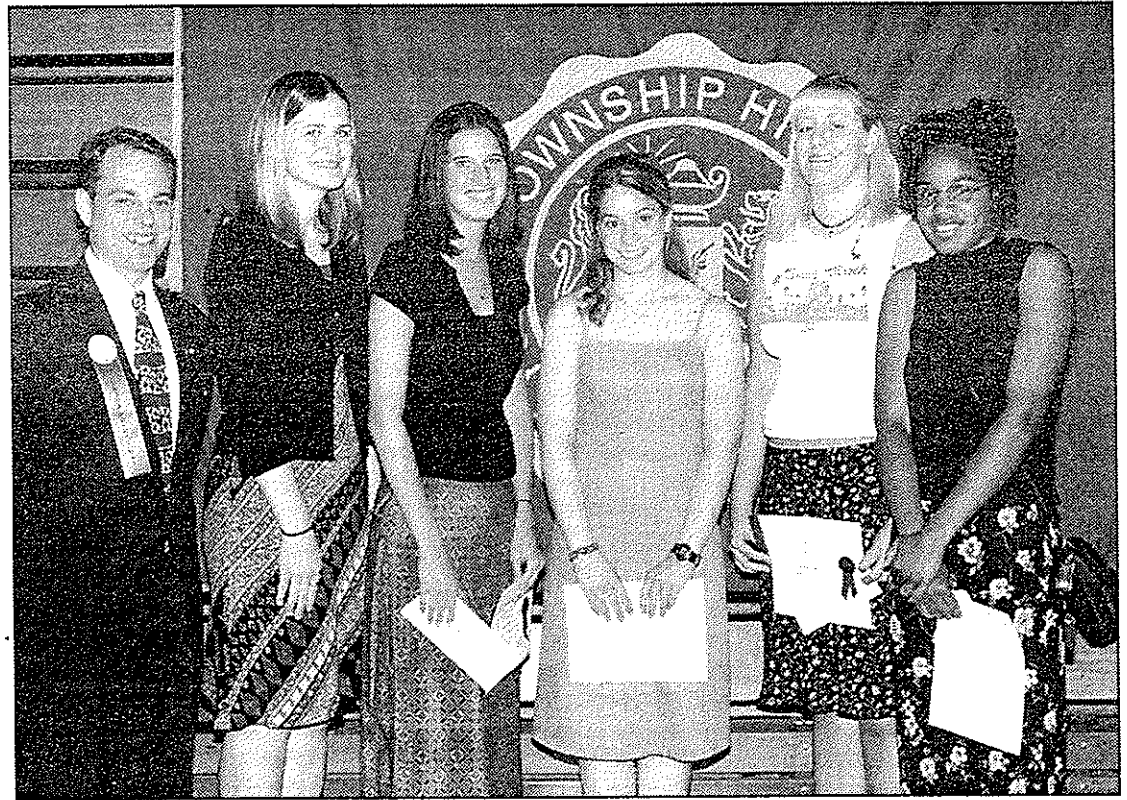
"On a weekly basis I would call (a contractor) for a heating problem," said Building Administrator Marvin Aikerson.

The problem is with the school's furnace but, Superintendent Richard Best said, schools are moving away from using furnaces and using boiler systems instead.

If the furnace was replaced, the new one would have to be placed on the roof, he added.

The district, which serves Broadview, has a \$50,000 maintenance grant from the state that will go toward the project, Best said.

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Money for school

Receiving \$750 scholarships from Grant Dixon (from left) are Lyons Township High School students Amy Ziegler, Dana Marine, Deanna Sortino, Jennifer Parker and Andrea Atwater. Dixon is the chairman of the Rotary Club of Western Springs. In addition, Sortino also received a \$1,200 scholarship from the club in memory of Robert D. Dixon.

Grants, property taxes increase Dist. 92 budget revenues

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The district anticipates positive balances in its six funds at the end of the school year. An increase of 2

10 percent gain from last year, should translate to