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## **BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

**ITEM NO:** 1.4

**BOARD MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, June 12, 2018

**OPENING ITEM:** Outstanding Achievements

**SUBMITTED BY:** Margie Jones, Administrative Assistant

**PRESENTED BY:** Mary Kamerzell, Superintendent

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I am pleased to highlight the following CFSD student and staff achievements:

### Teacher Excellence Award

Hedwig Dennis, CFHS English teacher, was honored with the May Teacher Excellence Award as part of Teacher Appreciation Week. The Award is sponsored by Tucson Values Teachers and OfficeMax/Office Depot. It includes a \$100 gift card from Office Max/Office Depot, \$250 cash courtesy of Tucson Electric Power and Helios Education Foundation, a mini bell donated by Ben's Bells, and pizza from Humble Pie. Ms. Dennis has 22 years of teaching experience, including the past 17 years at CFHS. She is also a learning support specialist, working with new CFSD teachers.

### Odyssey of the Mind (OM)

Ventana Vista's OM team placed 19th for OM Problem 4 at the World Finals at Iowa State University. Team members are: 3rd Graders Audrey Kirk, Natalie Liu, Ezra Mandel, Tessa Strickland, and 4th Graders Ethan Bialis and Arianna DuPont. Their coaches are DeDe Alexander and Tiffanie Bialis.

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**Recommended Motion: Information Item**