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School Administrative Software

New Features in Version 5.0

Rediker Software is pleased to announce the release of Administrator's Plus version 5.0! We have made numerous program additions, feature enhancements and aesthetic changes to this new version of Administrator's Plus. It also contains the final versions of all of the numerous enhancements made in versions 4.5 and 4.6, including integration with the new **GQWeb** gradebook, **Administrator's Plus Accounting**, and **APWeb Teacher**. Many of these new features have been implemented as a result of feedback from you, our valued customers. We thank you for continuing to help us make Administrator's Plus the best school administrative software on the market!

Highlighted New Features

- **All New Look and Feel:** Would you believe Administrator's Plus has had a facelift? It seems fresher, younger, more hip, and seriously "Windows-worthy". The screens you use the most have been changed to improve efficiency and your user experience. You'll see new screen colors, streamlined menus, rounder buttons, more intuitive-looking icons, and more. You have even more intuitive ways to navigate around Administrator's Plus, such as convenient left-side shortcut bars. (see page 3)
- **Modernized Main Menu Navigation:** The Main Menu left-side shortcut bar has been redesigned for greater utility. It features expandable and collapsible module menus, and icons which have been redesigned to be more visible, and to present imagery intuitively associated with their purpose. (see page 3)
- **More Grade Levels:** Up to 30 grade levels may now be defined. Where before the level identifiers were limited to "PK", "K", and grade numbers, they can now be called anything comprised of up to two alphanumeric characters (for example, "P1", "P2", "99"). (see page 3)
- **Excel Multi-Module Query:** The Excel Wizard has been made even more powerful. It can now build Excel spreadsheets with information across many different modules. When building your query, you may freely select from any fields or conditions that display when you click on any of the various module-specific tabs. (These are: GENERAL, DATA BASE, DAILY ATT, PERIOD ATT, REPORT CARDS, DISCIPLINE, and BILLING) You can even opt to include data from Data Base History. (see page 5)
- **Staff Data Base Page Rights:** User rights have always been applicable to both student and staff pages, even though the nature of the fields (and the sensitivity of the data) could be quite dissimilar between the 2 sets of 13 pages. There is now the capability to set up separate security for staff information. (see page 6)
- **Data Base Transfer Select Fields Option:** The Data Base Transfer is now no longer just a tool to transfer *all* the data from one school year to another. There are times when a school would want only certain fields to transfer (for example, they might not want the homeroom to be replicated in the new scheduling year. Or they may want just a few fields of information they have changed in one year to be updated to another). Now, all fields or any number of fields may be specified to transfer. (see pages 6, 7)

- **New Audit Logs:** Two new audit logs have been added to track all changes made to billing invoices and discipline incidents. They provides a full audit trail, including the user, date and time, type of entry, previous and new values, and the program name. (see pages 7, 8)
- **Super Deluxe Schedule Builder Enhancements:** Many long-awaited features have been added to SDSB, including: a redesigned interactive screen, the ability to print scoreboard screens, send the schedule board to Excel, and schedule a grade level at a time or a range of courses. The Builder can now select the semester/quarter or trimester, and the best teacher from a teacher pool. (see pages 9, 10)
- **GQWeb Integration:** Announcing GradeQuick Web, the first electronic gradebook that has all of the power and features of a true application AND can be accessed from any computer attached to the Internet. (see page 5) [New as of v4.6]
- **Administrator's Plus Accounting (APA) Interface:** There is now a link between Administrator's Plus and our new accounting module (see page 5) [New as of v4.6]
- **AP Web Teacher Integration:** See how APWeb Teacher, our browser-based interface to Administrator's Plus for teachers, works with this version. (see page 6) [New as of v4.6]
- **Advanced Honor Roll Enhancements:** Our Advanced Honor Roll feature can now be used to create and run honor rolls based on criteria never before available in Administrator's Plus! (see pages 7, 8) [New as of v4.6]

Administrator's Plus in General

ADMINISTRATOR'S PLUS NEW LOOK AND FEEL: You'll notice right away that "something" is different about Administrator's Plus. It seems fresher, more modern, and seriously "Windows-esque". Most of the screens have been changed in subtle (and not-so-subtle) ways to foster efficiency and enhance your user experience. There are new screen colors which are easier on your eyes. You'll see streamlined menus, rounder buttons, more intuitive-looking icons, and other sleek screen characteristics. There are no more big function keys taking up space at the bottom of screens. Of course all the existing functionality has been maintained, but now you have even more intuitive ways to navigate around Administrator's Plus. The screens you use the most each have their own shortcut bar along the left side. These are specially-designed for consistently quick intuitive access, no matter where you are or where you need to go.

MODERNIZED MAIN MENU NAVIGATION: The Main Menu left-side shortcut bar has been significantly redesigned for greater utility. It too, like the shortcut bars throughout Administrator's Plus, features expandable and collapsible module menus. Just click on the "+" or "-" to expand or close up the set of hierarchical menu items which display. You'll notice that as you do this, larger or smaller icons will display. These icons, like those on the toolbars of all the hot-key screens, have been redesigned to be more prominent, and to present imagery more intuitively associated with their purpose. (If you prefer, you can opt to set the navigation style back to the old way.)

MORE GRADE LEVELS: Up to 30 grade levels may now be defined. Though 14 had been enough for the average PK-12 school, it didn't allow for schools with multiple pre-kindergarten levels, or those which wanted separate DOE levels (for special education sending students for example). Where before the level identifiers were limited to "PK", "K", and grade numbers, they can now be called anything comprised of up to two alphanumeric characters (for example, "P1", "P2", "99").

ENHANCED BEGINNING PROGRAM: The Setup Grade Levels configuration screen allows for many new promote options for the Beginning program to use. You can set any grade level to promote to any other grade level. (The default is to increment by one and delete the highest, as before.) This works well in tandem with the capability for more grade levels. Additionally, you can set any grade level not to promote. This new feature eliminates the need to "hide" or reorder grade levels to control the promotion flow.

NEW HOT-KEY SCREENS: Three student screens that formerly did not work with Synchronize, Hot-Key or Start-up program options have been made to do so. These are: Fast Payments, Enter Course Requests, and View Period Attendance. You'll now see the hot-key buttons in the tool bar of these screens (at the top left).

UNIQUE ID TOOL TIP ON HOT-KEY SCREENS: In all the hot-key programs, if you hover your mouse over the Administrator's Plus student record number (the APID), the tool tip will show the student's corresponding Unique ID Number (the UNID).

BACKGROUND IMAGE CUSTOMIZATION: Much as we love seeing the Administrator's Plus globe with mortarboard background image, it's about time it graduated! Now you can customize what image appears, and even have different images to unmistakably remind you which school year you have open. (Needless to say, this could prevent serious errors, like running the Beginning Program on the wrong year.) To customize the background image, go to Setup⇒General⇒Background Properties. You'll see three sets of images and background colors, pertaining to your Active Interface Year, Scheduling Year, and Past Years. Click on any Background Image, and browse for a distinctive

picture. (We suggest a .JPG image.) If you want to set your picture on a field of color, and black's not your thing, click on Background Color, and select a color. Be creative – select images that relate to your school's past, present and future, or use your school colors. You're welcome to use the special images we have prepared, with text clearly identifying the open year. If you get lonely for the old flat earth, there are single-button resets to the terrestrial default image.

IDLE SCREEN AUTOMATIC LOCKING: You can now actively protect against potential data corruption or student privacy violation resulting from logged-in workstations left unattended. After a certain period of idle time, the system will lock any records a user has open, obscure the screen contents, prompt the user to log in again, and allow continued operation only when they have successfully done so. (Idle time is defined as a continuous period with no mouse or keyboard activity.) To set the automatic lock idle period, go to Setup⇒General⇒Auto Lock Settings. You can set the Administrator's Plus Time Out to "Never" or any value from 1 minute to 5 hours. (The default is "Never", so no automatic locking will occur if you do not specifically set this option.)

REDESIGNED CODE SCREENS: Most of the Codes screens (for editing Attendance Codes, Discipline Codes, Skills Codes, etc.) have been redesigned to speed code entry and maintenance. You'll notice a split-screen look, with a scrollable code list grid above and space for the individual code record below. Between these is a convenient search bar. You can highlight any column in the grid (RECORD#, CODE, DESCRIPTION), to sort by that column. You can search within the highlighted column simply by beginning to enter characters. The first match to what you have typed so far will highlight in the grid. There is no more need to invoke F6:Lookup to pull up codes. You can click on any code line in the grid to bring that particular code down for editing. Everything can be managed from one place! (For you technical types, we have replaced Sheridan grids with Flex grids.)

SHOW MORE CHARACTERS OF LONG NAMES: Long names, such as hyphenated or Spanish ones, often displayed on hot-key screens (or printed on attendance forms, etc.) truncated so as to make it impossible to distinguish students' first names. Only 24 characters of the combined last and first names displayed. This name width limit can now be increased, up to a maximum of 40 characters. Use the new option, STUDENT NAME LENGTH (FOR DISPLAY)?, which has been added to New Files: Specifications.

NEW REPORT WRITER VIEW/EDIT REPORT SCREEN OPTIONS: All of the Report Writer View/Edit Report screens have been enhanced. On the new left shortcut bar, under View, click on One column (as opposed to Three Column, which is still the default). The one-column view contains a Remarks column to the right of the Name column. If you highlight a report name, and click View/Edit (under Options), you'll be able to edit the Report Name, Report Type (new), and Remarks (new). Report Type is a validated field. That is, when you enter a new value, it asks if you want to add it to the list of valid entries. Henceforth you can select that Type from a dropdown list. The Report Remarks can be used to better describe the function of the report. When in Three-column mode, hovering your mouse over a report name shows the Name, Type, and Remarks associated with that report. You can right click and drag a report to another numbered slot. Upon releasing the mouse button, you'll be asked whether to Move or Copy the report to that slot. (Don't worry, you'll be prevented from overwriting any existing reports.)

AUTOMATIC ALPHABETIZING OF GROUPS OF STUDENTS: Any list of selected students (or teachers) can be saved as a group throughout Administrator's Plus, in Report Writers and other programs. Though these group lists have always remained in the order the members were selected, they typically start out in alphabetical order, merely as a function of the process of selecting multiple members from alphabetized lookup boxes. Users of Administrator's Plus have found this to be a convenient, albeit accidental, feature. (It aids in comparing lists against each other, for example.) It has been noted that when students are added to existing groups, they remain at the bottom of the list, not placed within the

alphabetical sequence. Now, whenever a group is saved (as must be done after adding members) it will first be automatically alphabetized.

EXCEL MULTI-MODULE QUERY: The Excel Wizard has been made even more powerful. It can now build Excel spreadsheets with information from many different modules. You could, for example, get a list of students who have been absent more than 5 times AND been cited for 3 or more discipline incidents, and include on each line the student's address and home phone number. This cross-module query, using data from the Data Base, Attendance, and Discipline Modules, would have been nearly impossible to accomplish before. When building your query, you may freely select from any fields or conditions that display when you click on any of the various module-specific tabs. (These are: GENERAL, DATA BASE, DAILY ATT, PERIOD ATT, REPORT CARDS, DISCIPLINE, and BILLING) You can even opt to include data from Data Base History.

NEW SEND ALL TO SOS MODULES OPTION IN NEW FILES: You can now send to all or selected School Office Suite active interfaces with one press of a button. In New Files: Other, select the new option, "C) seNd all to sos modules". All of your active interfaces will display, and you can check off any or all of them. Then, with one click, all the data which needs to be sent will be directed to the appropriate SOS interfaces.

GQWEB INTEGRATION: GradeQuick Web (GQWeb) is now being rolled out! It is the first electronic gradebook that has all of the power and features of a true application AND can be accessed from any computer attached to the Internet. With GQWeb, teachers do not have to put up with the limitations of a browser-base program in order to be able to access gradebooks from anywhere.

This is all possible due to the merger of GradeQuick, the world's most popular electronic gradebook for the past 14 tears, with Edline, the world's leading school web portal. GQWeb maintains all of the features and ease of use that teachers enjoy in GradeQuick, while access is through Edline. There is no need to save, load or back up gradebook files. Teachers simply open up a browser, log in to their Edline account, and all of their gradebooks are there. Close the browser, or log out, and all of their gradebooks are saved.

Advanced technology allows a near-real-time seamless integration between GQWeb and Administrator's Plus. Change a phone number of a student, or add a new student to a class, and these changes will be in teachers' gradebooks the next time they are accessed, even if it is 30 seconds later. Teachers can be entering grades from a beach in Aruba using a wireless Internet connection, and a few minutes later the registrar at their school can receive them and print report cards.

Version 4.6 of Administrator's Plus automatically syncs in the background, over the Internet, with the GQWeb servers. [New as of v4.6]

NEW VERSION OF EDLINE QUICKSYNC: This allows the syncing of homerooms and study halls with Edline so that GQWeb can take attendance in these classes.

Also new with version 4.6 is the **option to post "canned" comments to Edline**. There is a new option to send either the comment number or comment description. [New as of v4.6]

ADMINISTRATOR'S PLUS ACCOUNTING (APA) INTERFACE: Version 4.6 contains a link between Administrator's Plus and our new accounting module. APA offers full accounting functionality, and dual-currency capability for international schools. You can work and report in dollars or the local currency. Its billing module may be purchased separately for schools that need enhanced billing, including billing tuition to multiple parties or sponsors. [New as of v4.6]

APWEB TEACHER INTEGRATION: APWeb Teacher is our browser-based interface to Administrator's Plus for teachers. [New as of v4.6]

- **APWeb Teacher: ACCESS AP DATA USING ANY BROWSER:** From any browser, teachers can see the AP information about their students that you want them to see.
- **APWeb Teacher: DISCIPLINE FROM THE CLASSROOM:** Using any browser, teachers can enter discipline right from their classrooms. The AP Discipline user can see these entries and decide whether to accept them into AP or not.
- **APWeb Teacher: BROWSER-BASED COURSE APPROVAL SYSTEM:** Discard all of those course approval forms with the first web-based course request approval system. Using APWeb Teacher on any browser, teachers can see what classes their students have requested for next year in any department(s). For example, the current chemistry teacher can choose to see which courses her students have requested next year in science and math. They can then APPROVE or NOT APPROVE and enter an optional comment. Using AP version 4.6, guidance counselors can see what teachers have entered for their assigned students. They can easily use filters to see only those students NOT APPROVED or APPROVED.
- **APWeb Teacher: ENTER GRADES:** While APWeb teacher is not a gradebook with tests, quizzes and homework, teachers can use it to directly enter grades, skill grades and narratives directly into AP.
- **APWeb Teacher: ENTER ATTENDANCE:** If you do not have GradeQuick, APWeb Teacher can be used to take classroom attendance.

PORTFOLIO MODULE: The Portfolio module provides you with an electronic folder for each student, which may contain documents of any type, including artwork, music, and scanned images. Any document produced in Administrator's Plus for a student can optionally be automatically added to the student's portfolio as a PDF file. If an administrator needs to see the last report card or any transcript, it is easier to view it in the PORTFOLIO instead of regenerating it. Transcripts, report cards and reports may even be viewed for all students at the same time. A user can now easily attach a document from the student's portfolio to an e-mail. [New as of v4.6]

Data Base

STAFF DATA BASE PAGE RIGHTS: User rights have always been applicable to both student and staff pages, even though the nature of the fields (and the sensitivity of the data) could be quite dissimilar between the 2 sets of 13 pages. At last there is the capability to set up separate security for staff information. Go to New⇒User⇒Manage Users, then click on View/Edit Rights. On this redesigned Manage Home Users screen, you'll see separate student and staff columns in which to specify rights for each data base page for whatever school you have highlighted. (Acceptable values are "N" for no rights, "R" for read-only rights, or "A" for all rights.) On this page you can also copy rights from another user or school, and this will also bring over the staff page rights.

DATA BASE TRANSFER SELECT FIELDS OPTION: The Data Base Transfer is now no longer just a tool to transfer *all* the data from one school year to another. There are times when a school would want only

certain fields to transfer (for example, they might not want the homeroom to be replicated in the new scheduling year. Or they may want just a few fields of information they have changed in one year to be updated to another). This was only possible to do by a tricky and tedious process involving exporting from the current year and importing into the scheduling year. Now, all fields or any number of fields may be specified to transfer. There is a new option, FIELDS TO BE TRANSFERRED, in Data Base Transfer. You can still SELECT ALL, but if you click on SELECT FIELDS, you can then move any fields you want, using left and right arrows, between a list of Available fields (on the left) and Selected fields (on the right).

FAMILY CHOICE ON DATA BASE REPORT WRITER: In the Data Base Report Writer, you can now print more than one student on a family mailing label. [New as of v4.6]

Attendance

ATTENDANCE CODE DESCRIPTION TOOL TIP: In Enter Daily⇒Manual Entry, or Enter Period⇒Manual Entry, or Correct⇒Calendar View, hover your mouse over an attendance code in the Code column, and it will display the description of the attendance code.

ATTENDANCE BULLETIN OPTION TO PRINT ALPHABETICALLY: There is now an option to print the Daily Attendance Bulletin for all students sorted by any field in the demographic data base, or alphabetically (by last name, first name). Previously it only printed by grade level. This option has been added to specification D (PRINT DAILY BULLETIN BY?) in the second page of the specifications found in #8 of the Enter Daily Menu. Select PRINT ALL STUDENT ALPHA from the data base field dropdown list to print the Attendance Bulletin alphabetically.

Discipline

DISCIPLINE AUDIT LOG: A new audit log has been added to track all changes made to discipline incidents. It provides a full audit trail, including the user, date and time, type of entry, previous and new values, and the program name. To access this log, click View⇒Logs⇒Discipline Audit.

SHOW TOTAL OR OUTSTANDING PENALTY: A button has been added to the Discipline Incidents screen to toggle between displaying a student's total penalties and outstanding penalties.

INCIDENT CLOSING LOGIC TIGHTENED UP: Incidents will now register as having no outstanding penalty only if the outstanding penalties are exactly zero. It had been possible, particularly using Fast Serve, to apply served code totals in excess of incidents' penalty code totals. Such "over-served" incidents will uniformly no longer be considered as fully served when calculating a student's total outstanding penalties, avoiding the potential for reporting discrepancies that had existed.

Report Cards

ADVANCED HONOR ROLL ENHANCEMENTS: The Advanced Honor Roll feature can be used to create and run honor rolls based on criteria never before available in Administrator's Plus! Build Queries (such as "students with comments between 50 and 100") and combine them to suit nearly any possible honor roll criteria. **NOTE:** This feature must be activated with a key code provided by Rediker Software Technical Support. [New as of v4.6]

Version 4.6 brings many Honor Roll enhancements:

[New as of v4.6]

- Ability to delete students off of an Honor Roll.
- Ability to query skills grades. (This works similar to the grade queries.)
- When a new Honor Roll is defined, the default will now be ALL for “Student satisfying ----- of the selected queries”.

EDIT REPORT CARD COMMENTS: You can now have more than 2 comment columns, and columns 12 and 13 can now be used to hold grades. [New as of v4.6]

LONGER NUMBER GRADE DESCRIPTIONS ON CUSTOMIZED REPORT CARDS: You can now use long descriptions in the number grade print table, up to 15 characters. [New as of v4.6]

Billing

BILLING AUDIT LOG: A new audit log has been added to track all changes made to Invoices. It provides a full audit trail, including the user, date and time, type of entry, previous and new values, and the program name. To access this log, click View⇒Logs⇒Billing⇒Audit Trail.

PRINTING REPORTS BY FAMILY IN THE BILLING REPORT WRITER: The FAMILY:X:Y feature has been extended to work in the Billing Report Writer (as in the Data Base Report Writer). Simply choose the *Family* option from the Billing Report Writer print menu to group students on reports by family code. Use the new ~FAMILY:X:Y~ filtering code inside the body of your family report to group sibling names and database field information together. The program will automatically print the family code at the top of reports with a search header and the ~SC~ (search category) or ~SFC~ (search field and category) codes. Alternatively, you can create a customized search header using the ~LN~ (Last Name) code so that the family name prints above the information for each found family. Moreover, you can use any database field defined as a “Family Field” inside a search header to print information shared by all siblings above the name of each sibling. **NOTE: ~FAMILY:X:Y~ prints information for all families with at least X siblings. The Y variable is replaced by A, Y or O to print data for All siblings, only the Youngest sibling, or only the Oldest sibling respectively.**

ALL INVOICES AND PAYMENTS WITH CHECK NUMBERS ON ONE SCREEN: In the Fast Payments screen, it is now possible to see on one screen all the invoices and payments, with the check numbers, for an entire family.

PAYMENT ENTRY OPTION TO CREATE CREDITS WITH CHARGE DATES: When a user goes into an individual student’s record (Billing⇒Invoices) and creates invoices with credits, the ability now exists to date the credits according to the billing charges on the invoices.

NEW BILLING UTILITY PROGRAM TO CHANGE INVOICE OPEN/CLOSE STATUS: Prepaid invoices can now be closed without manually closing each one. [New as of v4.6]

Portfolios

PORTFOLIO MODULE: The Portfolio module provides you with an electronic folder for each student, which may contain documents of any type, including artwork, music, and scanned images. Any document produced in Administrator’s Plus for a student can optionally be automatically added to the student’s portfolio as a PDF file. If an administrator needs to see the last report card or any transcript, it is easier to view it in the PORTFOLIO instead of regenerating it. Transcripts, report cards and

reports may even be viewed for all students at the same time. A user can now easily attach a document from the student's portfolio to an e-mail. [New as of v4.6]

SCANNING MULTIPLE PAGE DOCUMENTS TO A SINGLE PDF FILE: The process of scanning voluminous documents into student portfolios has been streamlined. Scanning more than one page into a single PDF file has only been possible using a scanner's own software capability (if it exists), or using some kind of intermediary page manager software. The ability to easily scan numerous document pages into one PDF has been added to the Administrator's Plus Portfolios Module itself.

District

DISTRICT FAMILY FEATURE: The family feature is now available in District Control, enabling family fields to be updated for siblings anywhere in the district. District-wide family codes can be generated through District Control.

Scheduling

COURSE NAME COLUMN ADDED TO VIEW/EDIT SECTIONS: The course name is now shown on the View/Edit Sections screen. Go to Scheduling⇒Enter Courses⇒View/edit sections, and you'll see this new column to the left. (The same is true in Report Cards⇒Enter Courses⇒View/edit sections.)

NEW OPTIONS IN VIEW/CHANGE/ADD/DROP: It is now possible to copy a roster of students from one class into a study, or from a study into a class. Go into Scheduling⇒ViewChange. On the newly redesigned shortcut bar on the left, select either Line Schedule or Grid Schedule. Under Batch Processes, click on Roster Copy. The MASS COPY STUDENTS screen allows you to specify either a Section or a Study as your Source and Destination for the copy. Select any sections or studies from the corresponding lookup screens. Hit Accept[F10] to perform the copy.

If the option "A) WARN WHEN OVER OPTIMUM SIZE?" in SPECIFICATIONS: VIEW CHANGE ADD DROP, is set to Yes, a warning will now appear whenever adding a student puts a section over its optimum size. The warning had been active only when adding a student to a section in VCAD. Now, the warning will also be triggered when switching a student from one section of a course to another.

REPORT OF STUDENTS WHO REQUESTED BUT DID NOT GET SCHEDULED INTO A COURSE: It is now possible to print a sign-up list for those students that have a section, don't have a section, or both combined. This allows you to print a list of all students that didn't get scheduled into a course by the course, not by the student. [New as of v4.6]

Super Deluxe Schedule Builder Enhancements

BUILDER SELECTS THE SEMESTER/QUARTER OR TRIMESTER: The Schedule Builder can now choose the best semester/quarter or trimester. This provides more flexibility when choosing meeting times for courses. Even with this option selected, you still have the ability to manually lock a section into a specific semester, quarter or trimester.

BUILDER SELECTS THE BEST TEACHER FROM A TEACHER POOL: If you have not assigned teachers prior to clicking on Build All, teachers will be assigned for you. It will pull the teachers from a preferred teacher list.

ABILITY TO SELECT AND DESELECT COURSES TO BE SCHEDULED: If the box next to the course name is unchecked, that course will be ignored by the Builder. This enables you to remove individual courses from the building process without going into Set Number of Section and zeroing out the section. You can also deselect all courses and then select specific courses and build them first. This is useful if you have courses that go across departments and have specific restrictions (*i.e. courses that all need the computer lab, but span multiple departments*).

ABILITY TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF A COURSE TO BE SCHEDULED: You can now move a course up or down in the scheduling list, which will allow the course to get placed earlier or later in the process. Remember that the Builder builds from the top of the list down, and there may be occasions when you need to move a course (*i.e. a doubleton, tripleton, and/or a course with a lot of exclusions*) up in the list so that course gets scheduled.

SCHEDULE A GRADE LEVEL AT A TIME: This allows you to limit your course view to one specific grade level, so you can schedule that grade level first. This is useful because it lets you schedule all of your seniors' courses so you are sure that they all have what they need to graduate.

SCHEDULE A RANGE OF COURSES (I.E. BY A DEPARTMENT): This lets you limit your course view to a specific range of course numbers. Since certain departments or courses can drive your schedule, this enables you to address them first.

PRINT ANY OF THE SCOREBOARD SCREENS: When drilling down into student and course information on the scoreboard, you can now print a hard copy to bring with you when you speak with guidance counselors, department heads or administrators.

ABILITY TO SET UP THE SCOREBOARD FROM THE CONSOLE SCREEN AND SEND IT TO EXCEL: You can now send out your scheduling results to Excel, in the familiar scheduling board format.

ADDITIONAL ADVANCED SPECIFICATIONS TO SELECT CRITERIA TO MAKE BEST COMBINATION: Fine tune the scheduling engine. You can prioritize the SDSB's logic when breaking a tie between meeting times.

REDESIGNED INTERACTIVE SCREEN: You now have interactive drag-and-drop menus for custom building time, teacher and room combinations. Filter your teacher information by Preferred, Department, or All teachers.