

**BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION**

AGENDA

Regular Meeting

New Prairie Middle School
LGI Room
5325 N. Cougar Rd.
New Carlisle, IN 46552

Monday, December 19, 2022

6:00 p.m. (Central Time)

NPUSC MISSION – Why we do what we do....

Our purpose is to Ensure High Levels of Learning for ALL Students

NPUSC VISION – What do we want to become...

We strive to provide the following for every student and family we serve:

1. A Safe and Collaborative Learning Environment
2. A Learning Environment & School Culture based on Continuous Improvement & Implementation of Best Practices
3. A Guaranteed and Consistent Curriculum in every NPUSC school, Ensuring all Students develop the skills they need for Academic Success
4. A well-rounded program that gives equal respect to College Prep, Career Readiness, and all After School activities to provide student experiences that develop academic, career, and character skills for future success
5. A School District Recognized at the Regional and National level for Student Academic Performance and Career Placement with an emphasis on Character Development throughout
6. A Career and/or College Pathway Plan for ALL NPUSC secondary students that includes Resources, Strategic Advising, & Exploration Opportunities based on Interests and Talents
7. A Model Professional Learning Community School System

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NOTE: The Board's meeting site is fully accessible to all persons. Any person requiring further accommodation should contact the Superintendent's Office with the School Corporation's administrative office at 574-654-7273 or 219-778-2814.

I. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE

The School Board recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express themselves on Corporation matters. Community members requesting permission to address the Board on an agenda item are required to complete a registration form prior to a motion to approve a specific agenda item. Individuals will be permitted to speak during the specific agenda item before a vote takes place. All statements shall be directed to the presiding officer; no person may address or question Board members individually. Any questions on personnel should be directed to the Superintendent by contacting his office. Participants shall be limited to one (1) appearance per item and limited to three (3) minutes.

II. ADOPT AGENDA

III. INSTRUCTIONAL PRESENTATION

- (A) New Prairie Middle School Presentation

IV. CONSENT ITEMS

- (A) Minutes – November 21, 2022
- (B) Financial Reports
- (C) Claims
- (D) Payroll
- (E) Personnel Report

V. REPORTS

- (A) Superintendent's Report

VI. ACTION ITEMS

- (A) Set Board Organizational Meeting – January 9, 2023
- (B) Approve the School Board Meeting Schedule for 2023
- (C) Approve Pay Back of Two Temporary Loans
- (D) Approve Transfer Amount from Rainy Day Fund to Construction Fund
- (E) Approve the Resolution to Transfer Amounts from Education Fund to Operations Fund
- (F) Approve Debt Payments
- (G) Accept the Following Donations:
 - Lowe's of Michigan City donated 92 gallons of bleach to NPUSC

- UMW of United Methodist Church donated sweatpants, underwear and socks to Prairie View Elementary School children in need
- NPUSC received a Grant in the amount of \$2,714.29 from the New Prairie Education Foundation on behalf of Unity Foundation to support families in need in the NPUSC district

(H) Approve the following updated Job Descriptions:

- Technology Operations Assistant
- IT Internship
- Business Services Receptionist
- Grant Coordinator
- Athletics and Facilities Administrative Assistant
- Systems and Applications Administrator

(I) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests

- NPHS Wrestling Team to Lafayette Jefferson HS 12/27/22 – 12/28/22
- NPHS Wrestling Team to Jay County HS 1/6/23 – 1/7/23
- Rolling Prairie Elementary School 4th Graders to attend Dunes Learning Center in Porter, IN 5/1/23 – 5/3/23

(J) Approve the Technology Support Staff Performance

Evaluation

(K) Approve Fund transfers to close out Budget

Year 2022

(L) Approve the Closure of classes to Transfer Students for the remainder of the 2022-2023 school year as follows:

- Kindergarten Closed at all 3 Elementary Schools
- 1st Grade at Olive Twp. & Prairie View Elementary Schools
- 3rd Grade at Prairie View Elementary School
- 4th Grade at Olive Twp. & Prairie View Elementary Schools
- 12th Grade at New Prairie High School

VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS

VIII. BOARD COMMENTS

IX. ADJOURNMENT