

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

AGENDA

Regular Meeting

Central Office

NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION

5327 N. Cougar Rd.

New Carlisle, IN 46552

Monday, August 28, 2023

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 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. No participant may speak more than once, are limited to three (3) minutes and may not pass their minutes to another participant.

II. ADOPT AGENDA

III. BUDGET HEARING

IV. CONSENT ITEMS

- (A) Minutes – July 17, 2023, August 7, 2023
- (B) Claims
- (C) Payroll
- (D) Financial Reports
- (E) Personnel Report

V. REPORTS

- (A) Superintendent's Report

VI. ACTION ITEMS

- (A) Accept Donations:
 - Olive Twp. Elementary School received:
 - School Supplies for students and teachers from the American Legion
 - \$208.48 from Hudson Lake Mennonite Church
 - Rolling Prairie Elementary School received:

- School supplies from GAF of Michigan City
- School supplies from New Carlisle Sons of the American Legion
- Box of Books from Tiara DeGroot
- School supplies from Bill & Regina Welch
- Prairie View Elementary School received:
 - School supplies from New Carlisle Sons of the American Legion
 - 12 school supplies filled backpacks from Gleaners
- (B) Approve the Memorandum of Understanding with Indiana University on Behalf of The Advance College Project (ACP) and NPUSC for Dual Credit
- (C) Approve the Ivy Tech Community College Agreement of Affiliation with New Prairie Erin Middle School for Practicum Experience
- (D) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests
- (E) Approve the Memorandum of Understanding with Bethel University regarding Student Teacher Candidate Placement
- (F) Approve the Renewal Quote for Heartland Payment Systems, LLC for 2023-2024 school year
- (G) Approve the Resolutions for New Prairie High School and New Prairie Middle to receive Purple Star Designation from the IDOE
- (H) Approve the 2023-2024 School Year COVID Protocols
- (I) Approve a Job Description:
 - Director of College and Career Readiness
- (J) Approve the Agreement between Swanson Center and New Prairie United School Corporation
- (K) Approve the Closure of Olive Twp. Elementary School Kindergarten to Transfer Students for the 2023-2024 school year

VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS

VIII. BOARD COMMENTS

IX. ADJOURNMENT