

Newburyport Public Schools
Newburyport, MA
School Committee Business Meeting
Library of Nock Middle School, 70 Low Street, Newburyport **

AGENDA
Monday, March 15, 2021

6:30 PM

General Public Zoom

The Mission of the Newburyport Public Schools, the port where tradition and innovation converge, is to ensure each student achieves intellectual and personal excellence and is equipped for life experiences through a system distinguished by students, staff, and community who: - practice kindness and perseverance - celebrate each unique individual - value creativity; experiential, rigorous educational opportunities; scholarly pursuits; and life-long learning - provide the nurturing environments for emotional, social, and physical growth - understand and embrace their role as global citizens.

Business Meeting Agenda: The listing of matters is those reasonably anticipated by the Chair which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law. ****NOTE:** Only committee members will meet in person for this meeting. The general public will continue to participate remotely. Meeting will be televised locally live on Comcast Channel 9 or via <https://ncmhub.org/share/channel-9/>.

1. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance
2. Public Comment – *remote via Zoom*
3. *Consent Agenda (warrants and minutes of 3/1/2021, amend 2/1/2021) – *Possible Vote*
4. NHS Student Representative Report
5. FY22 Budget Update
6. Special Education / In-Person Learning Update
7. *2020-2021 School Calendar Modification - *Possible Vote*
8. *Clarification of Fundraising Policies vote on February 1st - *Possible vote*
 - a. Fundraising Policy (KHA)
 - b. Public Gifts to the Schools Policy (KCD)
 - c. Crowd Funding Policy (GBEBD)
9. Superintendent’s Report – *Superintendent Sean Gallagher*
10. New Business

Adjournment

The School Committee reserves the right to call **executive session, as provided under Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(2), of the General Laws to discuss strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations collective bargaining and/or potential litigation.