

**Newburyport Public Schools
Newburyport, MA**

**School Committee
Tuesday, February 28, 2017**

Business Meeting 6:30 PM; Room 118, Newburyport High School, 241 High St., Newburyport, MA

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 are 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.

1. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance

2. Public Comment

3. *Consent Agenda (warrants & minutes of 2/6/17); Vote

4. NHS Student Representative

5. *Newburyport Youth Lacrosse Request for Field Use

- Sunday's 4/9-6/11: Nock - 10:00am-7:00pm Fuller - both fields 10:00am-5:00pm

6. Edward G. Molin School Improvement Plan Update Presentation

7. Budget FY18: New Requests

8. Draft Long Range Technology Plan: Presented by Supt. & Asst. Supt.

9. Superintendent's Report:

- Update on School Start Times Stakeholder Group
- Inclusion Work with Michael Eatman
- Strategic Plan Update (brochure & posters)
- Special Ed Subcommittee Update (informational only)

10. Assistant Superintendent's Report:

- March 16, Staff Development Day Update
- CPR (Coordinated Program Review) Information
- Strem Chemical STEM Lab Dedication (report on 2/15/17)

11. Subcommittee Reports (if needed): Joint Ed; Finance; Policy; Curriculum, Instruction, & Expectations; Superintendent's Evaluation

12. **Executive Session for purposes of potential litigation.

13. Adjournment

*Possible Vote

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.