

Newport Grammar School Board
Agenda
April 15, 2024

Public Comments

Melanie Coffey and Wendy Ball - Podcast Crew and News Crew for 2024-2025

Health Update – Mischelle Black and Kathy Ragan

Cafeteria Manager’s Report - Christina Leas

Principal’s Report – Dustin Morrow

Assistant Principal’s Report - Ron Coffey

Federal Programs Supervisor’s Report – Amy Messer

Curriculum and Assessments Supervisor’s Report – Whitney Butler

Director’s Report – Dr. Justin Norton

Board Chair’s Report – Jan Brooks

Moment of Silence

Board Meeting

Meeting Called to Order

Pledge to the Flag

Consent Agenda

- Approve March 18, 2024 Board Minutes and sign

Approve the Following Travel:

- Whitney Butler to the EIS training on Tuesday, April 2nd, at the Jefferson County Schools Professional Development Center in Jefferson City, TN
- Christina Leas to State Regional Meeting on Wednesday, April 24th, at the Kingsport City Schools in Kingsport, TN.
- Dr. Justin Norton to Leadership Cocke County: April 12-13, May 9, June 13, July 11, August 8, September 12, October 10, November 14, and December 12, 2024
- Dr. Justin Norton to TOSS Legislative Update on May 14, 2024 in Knoxville, TN.

Field Trip Request:

- Dustin Morrow & Sgt. Cassady - Warrior Patrol to a destination in Newport (TBD) in May (TBD). Sgt. Cassady will use the city van to transport students to and from. No cost to students. Scheduling this trip is difficult due to all of the other trips planned. I may do two separate days because my morning crew is 7th graders and my afternoon is 5th and 6th.
- Robyn Lane – 3rd grade students and teachers date TBD to The Creamery downtown it will be a walking field trip. Cost is \$3.50 per student.
- Robyn Lane – 3rd grade honors on May 10, 2024 to Main Event in Knoxville, TN. The cost is \$20 per student. Attendees are teachers and the students that have made the honor roll for the year.
- 3rd Grade teachers and students to Sky Pirates & CiCi's Pizza on May 16th in Sevierville, TN. Cost is \$27 per student. This is an incentive field trip.
- Sara Faust – 2nd grade teachers, Tessa, and students to Wonder Works on May 15th in Pigeon Forge, TN. The cost is \$20 per student. This is a good behavior field trip.
- Morgan Webb – 3rd -8th grade CDC students, teacher, & assistants to We Rock the Spectrum Gym on May 22nd in Bristol, TN.
- Courtney Graham – 5th Grade Honors trip to Dollywood on May 10th in Pigeon Forge, TN. Cost is \$55 per student. This trip is for the students who made honor roll all year. Williamson/Graham are the sponsors for this trip.
- Bonnie Ball – 7th grade teachers and students to Dollywood on May 14th in Pigeon Forge, TN. Cost is \$55 per student. This is an incentive field trip.
- Katie Robertson – 1st grade teachers, 1 SPED representative, and students to White Pine Splash Pad on May 15th in White Pine, TN. Cost is \$8 per student. This is an incentive field trip.
- Candi Baxter – Kindergarten teachers and students to Zoo Knoxville on May 21st in Knoxville, TN. Cost is \$8 per student. To learn animal habitats.
- Rhonda Williams/Clint Provencal – to CCHS Track on May 14th in Newport, TN. Intro 5th-8th to Track and Field Events. No cost.
- Ron Coffey – Grades 3rd- 5th to Xperia on May 6th in Sevierville, TN. This is a reward trip.
- Ron Coffey – Grades 6th- 8th to Xperia on May 13th (TBD) in Sevierville, TN. This is a reward trip.
- Ron Coffey – K-2nd to Xperia on May 23rd in Sevierville, TN. This is a reward trip.

Approval

- Accept mowing contract termination request from Chad Burchette / Burchette Earthworks. The contract extension was through June 2024.
- Approval to post an advertisement for bids for a new mowing contract.
- Approve the FY24 General Purpose (GP) Budget Amendment for the 2023-2024 school year.
- First Reading of Policy 6.4052 Opioid Antagonist

