



NEWPORT CITY SCHOOL BOARD

Agenda

November 17, 2025

Work Shop

1. Public Comments
2. Reports to the Board
 - 2.A. School Reports
 - 2.B. District Reports
 - 2.C. Director's Report
 - 2.D. Board Chair's Report
3. Recognitions
 - 3.A. NGS Cross Country Teams and Coach
 - 3.B. Tenure Recommendations

Board Meeting

1. Meeting Called to Order
 - Moment of Silence
 - Pledge to the Flag

2. Consent Agenda

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

- 2.A. Approve Minutes from Previous Meeting

- Regular Meeting – October 20, 2025

- 2.B. Field Trips

- Pre-3 - 8th Extended Resources to Gaylord Opryland on Dec. 12, 2025 in Nashville, TN. No cost to students.
- 8th Grade to Wonder Works and CiCi's Pizza on Jan. 8, 2026 in Pigeon Forge and Sevierville, TN. Cost \$30.00 per student.
- Builders Clubs, Allison Schimming, Pamela Vernon, & Kiwanis Members walk to Newport Convalescent Center to drop off small Christmas Trees made by them on Nov. 19, 2025 after school at 3:30pm. No cost
- 1st Grade to Pigeon Forge Snow on Dec. 8, 2025 in Pigeon Forge, TN. Cost \$25.00 per student.
- 1st Grade to Niswonger Performing Arts Center on Jan. 21, 2026 in Greeneville, TN. Cost \$19.00 per student.

- Kindergarten to Pigeon Forge Cinema Movie Theater on Dec. 5, 2025 in Pigeon Forge, TN. Cost \$26.00 per student.
- 2nd Grade to Ripley's Aquarium on Dec. 10, 2025 in Gatlinburg, TN. Cost \$14.00 per student.

2.C. Fundraisers

- Jr. Beta Club - Hat Day on Jan. 9, 2026. \$1.00 per student.
- Jr. Beta Club - Chili Supper & Service Project on Feb. 26, 2026. \$0 by donations. A portion will go to a non-profit such as the Hope House.

2.D. Travel

- Patricia Barger, Carla Chambers, Jerrica Lane, Amy Messer, Misty Myers, Leslie Sane, Mary Thomas, Dr. Whitney Butler, and Dr. Jodie Bakely to the 2025 East TN Federal Programs Conference on Dec. 10 - 12, 2025 in Gatlinburg, TN.
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to Behavior Collab on Nov. 10, 2025 in Rogersville, TN.
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to NE Sped Supervisor Collab on Nov. 11, 2025 in Greeneville, TN.
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to Instructional Supervisors Collab on Nov. 14, 2025 in Jonesborough, TN, Jan. 26, 2026 in Rogersville, TN, and April 17, 2026 in Greeneville, TN
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to CER on Nov. 12, 2025 and Jan. 28, 2026 in Greeneville, TN.
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to TAASE Legal Dec. 1 - 3, 2025 in Pigeon Forge, TN.
- Dr. Jodie Bakely and Kimmie Valentine to TASBO on Nov. 18 - 21, 2025 in Murfreesboro, TN.
- Chelsea Hudson to Regional Health Services Meeting on Feb. 11, 2026 in Gray, TN.
- Chelsea Hudson to CPR instructor class on Nov. 13, 2025 in White pine, TN and to Regional Health Services Meeting on Feb. 11, 2026 in Gray, TN.
- Christina Leas to Regular NETCO Meeting & Direct Bid Planning on March 19, 2026 in Johnson City, TN.
- Christina Leas to Direct Bid Opening & Evaluation on April 8, 2026 in Johnson City, TN.
- Christina Leas to Regular NETCO meeting on April 9, May 14, and June 11, 2026 in Johnson City, TN.
- Kimmie Valentine to SWORD/TEDS Workshop on Nov. 3, 2025 in Knoxville, TN.
- Mischelle Black, Chelsea Hudson, Colleen Pastic, Amy Messer, and Dustin Morrow to Coordinated School Health Conference on March 4 - 6, 2026 in Nashville, TN.
- Phillip Lewis, Melanie Coffey, Colleen Pastic, Bonnie Ball, Cindy Witt, Ashlei Ball, Brooke Boggs, Dr. Whitney Butler, Dustin Morrow, and Dr. Justin Norton to STEM Leadership Visit to Sulphur Springs Elementary on DATE TBD in Jonesborough, TN.

2.E. Miscellaneous

- Cheerleaders to ride on a float in the Newport Christmas Parade on Dec. 5, 2025. Sponsor: Victoria Henry

3. Board Approval

3.A. Financial

3.A.1. Contract with George W Reagan Company, Inc. for gymnasium renovation

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

3.A.2. Bids for materials/labor for campus painting projects grades K-2 (GP funds):

- CertaPro Painters - \$22,901.00
- Five Star Painting - \$36,506.37

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3.A.3. Bids for materials/labor for campus painting projects grades 3-8 (GP funds):

- CertaPro Painters - \$21,527.00
- Five Star Painting - \$52,991.36

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

3.A.4. Contract with Designing Leaders for administrator professional development

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

3.A.5. One-time Christmas pay stipend for ALL staff

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

3.A.6. Contract addendum with Soliant Health, LLC for special education teacher

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

3.B. First Reading of the Following Policies

3.C. Second Reading of the Following Policies

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

- Policy 2.806 - Bids and Quotations

3.D. Other Items for Approval

3.D.1. Grant Tenure to the following certified staff members

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.

- Joyce Garner
- Victoria Henry
- Allison Hester

4. Adjournment

M: _____, S: _____ / P F T.