



NEWPORT CITY SCHOOL BOARD
Agenda

March 2, 2026

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

Board Meeting

Meeting Called to Order

- Moment of Silence
- Pledge to the Flag

Consent Agenda

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

1.A. Approve Minutes from Previous Meeting

- Regular Meeting – January 12, 2025
- Called Meeting - January 22, 2026

1.B. Field Trips

- Kindergarten to Xperia on Mar. 12, 2026 in Sevierville, TN. Cost \$19.00 per student.
- Kindergarten to Knoxville Zoo on April 10, 2026 in Knoxville, TN. Cost \$8.00 per student.
- Pre-School SPED to Knoxville Zoo on April 24, 2026 in Knoxville, TN Cost \$28.50 per student.
- Sixth Grade to Top Golf on May 12, 2026 in Knoxville, TN. Cost \$30.00 per student.
- Eighth Grade to Victory Lane's & Monterrey Mexican Restaurant on May 18, 2026 in Newport, TN. Cost \$23.00 per student.
- Eighth Grade to Main Event on May 20, 2026 in Knoxville, TN. Cost \$30.00 per student.
- Sixth - Eighth Grades Band to CCHS on March 26, 2026 in Newport, TN. No cost.

1.C. Fundraisers

- Voluntary Pre-K to sell RADA online starting after approval and will continue until the following year. The funds will go to raise supplemental funds for VPK.
- Cooking Club Hat Day on March 13, 2026. Cost \$1.00 per student. Sponsors: Amy Evans & Buffy Moore

- Historical Society Pajama Day on March 20, 2026. Cost \$1.00 per student. Sponsor: Dr. Whitney Butler.
- Grade Level Coin Wars starts on March 3, 2026 - March 31, 2026. Any donation for Isaiah 117. Sponsor: Dr. Whitney Butler.
- Beta Club Talent Show on May 19, 2026. Cost \$1.00 per student. Sponsors: Melanie Coffey, Joyce Graner and Amy Messer.
- Beta Club Talent Show on May 18, 2026 at Night. Cost \$1.00 per student & \$2.00 per adult. Sponsors: Melanie Coffey, Joyce Graner and Amy Messer.
- Builders Club to sell Pancake Breakfast tickets for Kiwanis to earn student service hours on March 25, 2026 & April 8, 2026. Ticket cost \$5.00. Sponsors: Allison Schimming & Pamela Vernon.

1.D. Travel

- Kimmie Valentine to SWORD/TEDS Workshop on Feb. 3, 2026 in Lenoir City, TN
- Christina Leas to Regional meeting on Feb. 10, 2026 in Kingsport, TN
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to NE TN SPED Supervisors on Jan. 13, 2026 in Kingsport, TN
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to SVSV meeting on Jan. 16, 2026 in Church Hill, TN
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to NE TN SPED Supervisors on Feb. 10, 2026 location TBD
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to East TN SPED Conf. on Feb. 23-24, 2026 in Gatlinburg, TN
- Dr. Jodie Bakely to Behavior Consortium on Feb. 27, 2026 in Rogersville, TN
- Allison Schimming to Annual Fiscal Workshop on May 5 - 6, 2026 in Sevierville, TN
- Lisa Ivey and Luke Valentine to Spring 2026 Social Studies Convening on March 24, 2026 in Rogersville, TN
- Dr. Whitney Butler to Women's Leadership Conference on March 3, 2026 in Lenoir City, TN

1.E. Miscellaneous

- Health Screenings on campus by Newport Pediatrics & Blue Care on May 6, 2026.
- Healthy Habits Carnival on May 8, 2026. Mischelle Black & Dustin Morrow are working with Newport Pediatrics & Blue Care on this Event. No cost to students.
- Middle School Students to participate in Tusculum University's Talent Search program. No cost to students. Colleen Pastic will be the point of contact at NGS.
- Michelle Lane with Clinch-Powell Resource Conservation & Development Council, Inc. to host an information session on March 16, 2026 in NGS auditorium about disaster funding for Cocke County residents. NGS Family Resource Center will be point of contact.

Board Approval

1.F. Financial

1.F.1. Gym Renovations - George W. Reagan Company Change Orders 001-005 (from existing renovation budget)

- PCO 001 - Asbestos Allowance: \$22,450.00 (credit)
- PCO 002 - EC Height Adjusters: \$11,491.92
- PCO 003 - Plastic Laminate Backing: \$10,388.00
- PCO 004 - Trophy Case Changes: \$8,817.00 (credit)
- PCO 005 - Office Finishes & AV Lines: \$7,303.26

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1.F.2. Gym Renovations - George W. Reagan Company Change Orders 006 (additional cost)

- PCO 006 - Lobby Lighting, Scoreboard Conduit, and Lobby Ceiling Tiles: \$9,185.40
OR
- PCO 006 (with add alternate) - Same as above plus replace all ceiling tiles: \$15424.40

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1.F.3. Bid for materials/labor for security system updates: A.S.A.P. - \$3,180.00

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1.F.4. Title IX McKinney-Vento Subgrant Hurricane Emergency Relief FY26 Amendment 1

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1.F.5. Bid for materials/labor for cooling tower emergency repairs: Webbco - \$9,200.00

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1.G. First Reading of the Following Policies

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1.H. Second Reading of the Following Policies

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

1.H.1. Policy 2.804 - Expenses and Reimbursements

1.H.2. Policy 6.4081 - Safe Relocation of Students

1.I. Other Items for Approval

Adjournment

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