

**BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES  
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION**

**AGENDA, Regular Meeting**  
Central Office  
NEW PRAIRIE UNITED SCHOOL CORPORATION  
5327 N. Cougar Rd.  
New Carlisle, IN 46552

**Monday, November 24, 2014  
6:00 p.m. (Central Time)**

**VISION**

The New Prairie United School Corporation, in collaboration with its community, provides students with a quality education that develops responsible citizens as life long learners.

**MISSION**

Our mission is to utilize current best practices and the resources of our community to achieve the Vision of the New Prairie United School Corporation.

**NPUSC EDUCATIONAL GOALS**

- **Provide all students with the fundamental processes of learning and the skills necessary to compete in the global marketplace.**
- **Use comprehensive data sources to drive instruction for mastery of academic standards.**
- **Afford all staff the opportunity to gain knowledge through ongoing training that directly supports and enhances the student educational process.**
- **Utilize technology to enhance student learning.**
- **Ensure all students are provided a safe, healthy, nurturing, and disciplined school environment.**
- **Provide all students with the opportunity to participate in the most educationally appropriate extra-curricular activities.**

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NOTE: The Board's meeting site is fully accessible to all persons. Any person requiring further accommodation should contact the Superintendent's Office with the School Corporation's administrative office at 574-654-7273 or 219-778-2814

**I. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE**

Community members requesting permission to address the Board on a specific agenda item are requested to complete a registration form for each item prior to the conclusion of Item III. Individuals will be permitted to speak at that time or during the specific agenda item excluding Consent Items. Any questions on the Consent Items shall be addressed to the Superintendent by contacting his office. Persons will be restricted to one appearance per item and limited to three (3) minutes.

**II. ADOPT AGENDA**

**III. INSTRUCTIONAL PRESENTATION**

- (A) **Spell Bowl Recognition – NPHS/NPMS**
- (B) **New Prairie High School – “Cougars Unite Club” Presentation**

**IV. CONSENT ITEMS**

- (A) **Minutes – October 27, 2014**
- (B) **Financial Reports**
- (C) **Claims**
- (D) **Payroll**
- (E) **Personnel Report**

**V. REPORTS**

- (A) **Superintendent's Report**

**VI. ACTION ITEMS**

**(A) Accept Donations**

- \$210 from Hudson Lake Mennonite Church
- \$150 from United Methodist Women's Group
- Clothing Items from St. John Kanty Rosary Society
- Handmade scarves & hats from Sandra Horton of South Bend, IN
- \$100 from Robert J Smith of Rolling Prairie, IN
- \$20 from Sam Colalillo from Community Church in New Carlisle
- \$40 from Gertrude Barnes of New Carlisle, IN
- \$430 in Prizes for Red Ribbon Week for Prairie View from Rhonda Myers and Tina Bernth

**(B) Approve Overnight Field Trip Requests**

- NPHS Spell Bowl to State Competition

**(C) Approve Bond Disclosure Resolution**

**(D) Approve Conflict of Interest Disclosure**

- Al Williamson
- Dale Groves
- Shelley Dettinger

**(E) Approve Board Policy #1240**

**(F) Approve the Amendment to Change Section 125 Plan**

**(G) Approve the MASE Trust Insurance Agreement**

**VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**VIII. BOARD COMMENTS**

**IX. ADJOURNMENT**