

**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, October 24, 2016
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

Let's Talk Session 5:25 – 5:55

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) Olive Elementary School – Math Instruction/After School Program Presentation

IV. CONSENT ITEMS

- (A) Minutes – September 26, 2016**
- (B) Financial Reports**
- (C) Claims**
- (D) Payroll**
- (E) Personnel Report**

V. REPORTS

- (A) Superintendent's Report**

VI. ACTION ITEMS

(A) Accept Donations

- Dr. Morton, Dr. Offerle and Dr. Robbins-Winters from Eye Care Associates donated their services to vision screen all first graders at all three elementary schools
- Eight Catholic Charities from Michigan City donated their services to vision screen all Kindergarten and 3rd graders at all three elementary schools
- Mill Creek Arbor 418 of the Gleaner Life Insurance Society Donated \$865.40 to New Prairie Middle School for the Make-A-Difference Day Crafts
- LaPorte County Drug Free Partnership donated \$750.00 to the Lead & Seed Program at New Prairie Middle School

(B) Approve the Agreement with the Midwest Area School Employees' Insurance Trust for 2016-2017

(C) Approve the Revised NPUSC Elementary Schools K-5 Student and Parent General Handbook for 2016-2017

(D) Approve the Memorandum of Understanding for Counseling Therapy Services at Rolling Prairie Elementary School

(E) Approve the Overnight Field Trip Request for:

- FBLA to the Fall Leadership Conference in Indianapolis October 31, 2016 through November 1, 2016

(F) Approve the Section 125 Provider for the 2016-2017 School Year

(G) Approve the Disposal of Surplus Property

(H) Approve the Award of the Design-Build Contract (subject to final negotiation of Terms and Conditions of the Contract) for the NPUSC 2016 School Safety and Building Improvement Project

VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- (A) 1st Reading - Board Policy - 5330**

VIII. BOARD COMMENTS

IX. ADJOURNMENT