

UPDATE FROM THE NMRSD SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE AUGUST 7, 2017

NMRSD ACCELERATED REPAIR PROJECTS

The district would like to sincerely thank the communities of Ashby, Pepperell, and Townsend for their support of the three accelerated repair projects. The Superintendent met with the Owner's Project Manager and designer on Monday, July 31, 2017, to finalize the schedule for each of the projects. Frequent updates will be provided to the communities by the Accelerated Repair Building Committee.

NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The next NMRSD School Committee Meeting will be held on Monday, August 7, 2017; at Peter Fitzpatrick School at 7:00 p.m. Agenda items include the following:

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- Introduction of North Middlesex Athletic Director
- Nissistissit Middle School STEPS Model
- FLLAC Update/SECC Custodial Staff
- Suicide Prevention Training Update

SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

Policy Subcommittee

The Policy Subcommittee recommends the school committee adopt the following policy for (2nd reading): ACAB Sexual Harassment

NEW BUSINESS (DISCUSSION/VOTE)

- Approval of the updated Ashby Elementary School Handbook for the 2017-2018 School Year.
- Approval of the updated Spaulding Memorial School Handbook for the 2017-2018 School Year.
- Approval of the updated Varnum Brook Elementary School Handbook for the 2017-2018 School Year.
- The chair recommends that the School Committee vote to dissolve the Facility Advisory Subcommittee.
- The chair recommends that the School Committee vote to form a Capital Planning Subcommittee.
- The chair recommends that the school committee vote to appoint members to the Accelerated Repair Project Building Committee.
- The superintendent recommends that the School Committee vote to enter into and be bound by the MSBA Project Funding Agreement for Accelerated Repair Program at the Hawthorne Brook Middle School, Squannacook Early Childhood School, and Varnum Brook Elementary School.
- The chair recommends that the School Committee vote to delegate full authority, on behalf of the School Committee, to Superintendent Landers to sign, execute, and deliver the MSBA Project Funding Agreement for the Accelerated Repair Program at the Hawthorne Brook Middle School, Squannacook Early Childhood School, and Varnum Brook Elementary School.
- The superintendent recommends that the school committee vote to declare all items on the SMS disposal list as surplus.
- The superintendent recommends that the school committee vote to declare all items on the NMS disposal list as surplus.
- The superintendent recommends that the school committee vote to declare all items on the HBMS disposal list as surplus.
- The superintendent recommends that the school committee vote to approve the sale of the \$533,371 1.30 percent General Obligation Bond Anticipation Notes (the "Notes") of the District

dated July 21, 2017, and payable July 20, 2018, to Eastern Bank at par and accrued interest, if any.

NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

The next meeting of the North Middlesex Regional High School Building Committee will be held on Monday, August 14, 2017; at Peter Fitzpatrick School at 5:00 p.m. Agenda items will be included in a future update.

The NMRHS administration offices have been moved to the new high school site as of Friday, July 7, 2017. The administration suite is the only area that can be accessed at this time for new student registrations, transcripts, and working papers. In the event you cannot reach the high school, please call Superintendent Landers directly at 978-597-8713 ex. 1201.

Thank you for your patience during the final stages of phase 1 construction. We are very excited to welcome new and returning students to our new educational facility.

Please reference the map attached to this message for directions to access the high school administration offices during the summer months.

| DATE | EVENT | TIME |
|----------------------|--|---------------------------|
| Thursday, August 24 | Class of 2018: New Building Walk Through | Time: 9:00 am - 9:45 am |
| Thursday, August 24 | Class of 2019: New Building Walk Through | Time: 9:45 am - 10:30 am |
| Thursday, August 24 | Class of 2020: New Building Walk Through | Time: 10:30 am - 11:15 am |
| Thursday, August 24 | Class of 2021: Freshman Orientation | Time: 12:15 pm - 2:00 pm |
| Wednesday, August 30 | First day of classes for students | Grades 1 - 12 |

2017 FALL SPORTS REGISTRATION

2017 Fall Sports Registration is online and live! Click here to access our FamilyID dashboard:

<https://www.familyid.com/organizations/north-middlesex-regional-school-district-athletics>

Most Tryouts & Practices will begin on or after Thursday, August 24th, (will not conflict with the new high school tours) As the Fall try outs, practice and game times/locations are finalized - they will be posted on our league scheduler at www.mwllma.org - this applies to all of our athletic programmings.

Here is a list of our fall programming:

- Cheer
- Cross-Country
- Field Hockey
- Football
- Golf
- Soccer
- Volleyball

Contact AD Cam Fisk (cfisk@nmrsd.org) with any questions regarding the process or to be put in touch with any of our program coaches.

ASPEN FAMILY PORTAL ACCESS

Aspen Family and Student Portal access has been temporarily disabled while we prepare the system for the 2017-2018 school year. Family and student access to Aspen will be re-activated on Monday, August 28th.