

UPDATE FROM THE NMRSD SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE MAY 6, 2018

Congratulations to the Nissitissit Middle School cast and crew of *James and the Giant Peach Jr.* for an outstanding performance last week. A special thank you to producers Mr. Robinson, Mrs. Thomas and high school student, Erin W. for their commitment to our students and their successes!

NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The next meeting of the NMRSD School Committee will be held on Monday, May 7, 2018; at Nissitissit Middle School at 6:00 p.m. Agenda items are as follows:

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

1. Appointment of Chairperson Pro Tem ~ Discussion/Vote
2. Election of Officers
 - a. Chairperson (Ballot Vote)
 - b. Vice Chairperson (Ballot Vote)
3. Appointment of Treasurer/Secretary ~ Discussion/Vote
 - a. The Superintendent recommends the Committee reappoint Michael Hartnett as District Treasurer for the 2018-2019 school year.
 - b. The Superintendent recommends the Committee reappoint Joanna Bilotta-Simeone as Secretary to the School Committee for the 2018-2019 school year.
4. Appointment of District Counsel Discussion/Vote
 - a. Special Education Firm
 - b. Labor/Public Education Firm
5. The Superintendent recommends the Committee appoint a representative(s) to the following Committees for the 2018-2019 school year:
 - Capital Planning Subcommittee
 - Finance Subcommittee
 - Negotiation Subcommittee
 - Policy Subcommittee
 - Warrant Subcommittee
 - Accelerated Repair Projects Subcommittee
 - Photovoltaic Subcommittee
 - Regional Agreement Subcommittee

The chair recommends that the school committee vote to dissolve the Photovoltaic Subcommittee.
Discussion/Vote

6. Borrowing in Anticipation of Revenue Discussion/Vote

The Superintendent recommends the Committee authorize the District Treasurer, under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 16(g) as amended by Chapter 143 of the Acts of 1972, and with approval of the Chairperson of the School Committee, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018 and to issue a note or notes therefore payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17. Such action is to be confirmed and recorded immediately by the School Committee and so included in the Committee minutes.

7. The Superintendent recommends the Committee approve the 2018-2019 School Committee Meeting Schedule. Discussion/Vote

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion to convene in executive session pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws chapter 30A, section 21(a) (2) To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with non-union personnel per MGL Chapter 30A, Section 21(a)(2).

The Committee will reconvene in open session.

NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT

The next meeting of the North Middlesex Regional High School Building Committee will be held on Monday, May 14, 2018; at the high school at 5:00 p.m. Agenda items will be included in a future update.

FOSTER CARE CELEBRATION

An event to learn more about foster care is being sponsored by the Massachusetts Department of Children and Families on Wednesday, May 16, 2018, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at St. John's Church, 1 School Street, Townsend, MA.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday, May 11th Spring Band Concert at North Middlesex Regional High School in the Performing Arts Center at 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 17th Senior Athletic Awards Banquet at North Middlesex Regional High School at 6:00 p.m.

Attention Senior Athletes: Your RSVPs are due for the banquet. Please send a response to Mr. Fisk ASAP.