

## **UPDATE FROM THE NMRSD SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE OCTOBER 22, 2017**

Reminder: October 26th is an Early Release Day for Students/Professional Development Day for Staff

### **NMRHS Ribbon Cutting Ceremony**

Thank you to Mr. Taylor and his administration for hosting the beautiful ribbon cutting ceremony at the high school on Friday, October 20th. Special thanks to Mr. Brendan McNabb, Mrs. Michelle Blake, NMRHS Choir, student speakers Alexander Nick, Zachary Rea, and Abigail Nick, student artists Moira Leclerc, Hyrum Thompson, and Abigail Johnson, Ms. Vicki Domings and the high school custodial staff for your efforts to make this a memorable event.

The district sincerely appreciates everyone taking time out of their busy schedules to celebrate this historical event for our school community.

### **NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

The next meeting of the NMRSD School Committee is scheduled for Monday, October 23, 2017; at North Middlesex Regional High School at 7:00 p.m. Agenda items include the following:

#### **PRESENTATION**

1. NMRSD MCAS ~ Student Assessment Update ~ Assistant Superintendent Nancy Milligan

#### **REPORTS/INFORMATION ITEMS**

1. Student Representative Report ~ Hadley Beauregard, Paige Zacharakis, and Jacy Kretas
2. Superintendent's Report
  - a. NMRHS Open House for 8th-Grade Students ~ November 2, 2017
  - b. Accelerated Repair Project ~ Update
  - c. North Middlesex Education Foundation ~ Meeting Dates
  - d. Extended Learning Workgroup ~ Snow Days
3. Building Committee Report – Update
4. Public Communications – 10 minutes will be allotted

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

1. MASC Resolutions/Delegation Discussion/Vote
  - Vote on MASC Resolutions
2. Superintendent's Evaluation and Compilation Report Discussion/Vote
3. Superintendent's Letter Discussion
4. The superintendent is recommending an FY18-1 Budget transfer for FY18 for a total of \$50,000.00.

### **NORTH MIDDLESEX REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT**

The next meeting of the North Middlesex Regional High School Building Committee is scheduled for Monday, October 23, 2017; at the high school at 5:00 p.m. Agenda items include the following:

#### **OPM Report**

- a. Construction Progress Photo Update
- b. Review Construction Project Schedule
- c. Review Project Budget
- d. Review and Discuss Contractor's Construction Change Orders
- e. Hazardous Materials Update
- f. Athletic Fields Update
- g. Snack Shack Update ~ SMMA Additional Services Request #5

- h. Solar Array Update ~ SMMA Additional Services Request #6
- i. Update on FFE Installation ~ SMMA
- j. Update on Technology Installation ~ SMMA

### **NMRHS SYMPHONY CONCERT**

October 25th – Join us for our first concert in the NEW NM Performing Arts Center!  
Wind Symphony Concert begins @ 7:00pm  
Admission is Free - Donations Appreciated!

### **NM CHORAL DEPARTMENT PRESENTS *GODSPELL THE REVIVAL***

The revival of *Godspell* is coming to the new NMRHS Performing Arts Center!

The North Middlesex Regional High School Choral Department presents *Godspell* on Friday, October 27th at 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, October 28th at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 at the door. Reservations can be made free of charge at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nmrhs-godspell-the-revival-tickets-38819469077>.

An open dress rehearsal will be held Thursday, October 26th at 7:00 p.m. This event is free for senior citizens and by donation for everybody else. Reservations can be made free of charge at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/godspell-the-revival-open-dress-rehearsal-registration>. All seats are general admission.

We hope to see you all at our inaugural performances in the new Performing Arts Center.

### **NORTH MIDDLESEX EDUCATION FOUNDATION**

The North Middlesex Regional School District administration is interested in establishing an education foundation for our schools. The foundation would raise funds to award mini-grants to teachers and staff to provide enrichment opportunities for our students.

The NM Education Foundation would explore the possibility of establishing a recognition program for former students who have achieved major accomplishments and educators and friends who have made outstanding contributions to education in the North Middlesex Regional School District. If you are interested in being a part of this exciting initiative, please contact the superintendent at [jlanders@nmrsd.org](mailto:jlanders@nmrsd.org).

**The first meeting will be held on Monday, October 30th at 6:00 p.m. at the high school in room 120.**

### **COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER INFORMATION**

Please come to support the Bosch Family of Pepperell as their daughter Emmy continues her medical journey at Boston Children's Hospital. (Search #Emmystrong Fundraiser Event on Facebook)

Friday, October 27th 5-9:00 p.m. at the Pepperell VFW

Funds will be raised through \$5 per person door charge (kids under 3 are free), silent auction, raffles, and other items for sale as well as a buzz off for \$5 per person with a free Emmystrong t-shirt! Free snacks will be served as well as food for purchase. Special guest performance by Paige Davis, Pepperell Native and New England Music Awards Country Act of the Year.

### **PEPPERELL RECREATION AFTER SCHOOL SKI PROGRAM**

Sponsored by the Pepperell Recreation Department

Ski 6 consecutive Fridays from January 5th to February 9th at Wachusett Mountain

Open to students in grades 5 – 12

Buses depart from Nissitissit Middle School and NMRHS after school dismissal

All buses return to Nissitissit Middle School at 9:00 pm.

Register now at [www.wachusett.com/schoolgroups](http://www.wachusett.com/schoolgroups)

Group Code: PPRL Register online by December 1st for lower prices

Additional information about the Ski Program is available at <https://pepperellski.wordpress.com/>.

If you have any questions, please attend the Information Night on Monday, October 30th at 7:00 pm at the Pepperell Community Center (downstairs) or email [pepperellski@gmail.com](mailto:pepperellski@gmail.com).