

**Grinnell-Newburg Community School District
Regular Board Meeting**

The Board of Education of the Grinnell-Newburg Community School District will convene a board meeting at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 14, 2014, at the City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, Community Building, 927 4th Avenue, Grinnell, IA 50112.

Mission: The Grinnell-Newburg School District, in partnership with the entire community will empower every student to become a lifelong learner who is a responsible, productive, and engaged citizen with the global community.

Vision: Every student is achieving at his or her maximum potential in an engaging, inspiring, and challenging learning environment.

Following, please find a tentative agenda:

[Board Summary](#)

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Fiduciary Bills
3. Approval of Consent Agenda
 - A. Approve/Amenda Agenda
 - B. Minutes: 4/23/14 [Minutes](#), 4/29/14 [Minutes](#), 4/30/14 [Minutes](#)
 - C. Claims and Accounts [Bills Summary](#)
 - D. Personnel:
 1. Offerings: Ellen Grabe: Instructor Fairview preschool; Melanie Harrington: Transfer-Instructor from Middle School special education to Fairview special education; Meghan Hunter: Transfer -Instructor from Middle School special education to Middle School 6th grade math; Jenifer Culham: Transfer-Instructor from Fairview Preschool to Middle school 7th grade Reading/Language Arts; Julie Zurcher: Transfer-Instructor from Middle School behavior interventionist to Middle School special education; Dan Covino: High School literary magazine sponsor; Josh Wardenburg: High School 9th grade football coach; Travis Smith: Assistant varsity football coach
 2. Resignations: Janelle Pirk: Instructor Middle School 7th grade Reading/Language Arts; Brad Bowlin: Instructor Middle School computer technology, Middle School head coach 7th grade football, Assistant coach 7th grade girls basketball, Head coach 8th grade boys track; Matthew Waldschmitt: Instructor High School math, assistant boys tennis; Tyler Youngers: Instructor High School social studies, Assistant coach 7th grade football, Middle School play director; Heather De Goei: Instructor (shared with East Marshall) ELL; Josh Wardenburg: Middle School Head

- coach 8th grade football; Travis Smith: High School Assistant coach 9th grade football; Scott Sharp: Assistant varsity football; Jeff Blank: Paraeducator high school
- E. Open Enrollments In: Sloane McDonough, Kindergarten from BGM; Alonzo Jose Soto, Kindergarten from Montezuma
 - F. Open Enrollments Out: Julian Branson, Preschool to BGM; Trintiny Van Wyk, Preschool to Lynnville-Sully; Cade Lowry, Kindergarten to Montezuma; Kirsten Noga, Kindergarten to Newton; Madisen Walker, 11th grade to Newton
- 4. Communication from the Public
 - 5. Communications and Reports
 - A. Board
 - Committee Reports
 - 6. Old Business
 - A. Superintendent Goals [Goal 1](#) [Goal 2](#) [Goal 3](#)
 - 7. New Business
 - A. National Debate: Out-of-State Travel, Overland Park, KS, June 15-20, 2014
 - B. Thespian Festival: Out-of-State Travel, Lincoln, NE, June 23-29, 2014
 - C. 2014-2015 Breakfast and Lunch prices [Prices](#)
 - D. Technology 3-year Plan: Year 1 Middle School Switch Replacement [Year 1 MS](#)
[Year 2 HS/Davis](#) [Year 3 BP/FV](#)
 - E. Gym Floors - Refinishing [Quotes](#)
 - F. Bike Trail Easement [Easement](#) [Drawing](#)
 - G. Lease Agreement with City of Grinnell for Ahrens soccer facility
 - H. Class of 2014 Graduates [Graduates](#)
 - 8. Board Discussion
 - A. Facilities
 - 9. Board Talking Points
 - 10. Adjournment

Closed Session per Iowa Code 21.5(1)(a) and 21.5(1)(i):

To review or discuss records which are required or authorized to be kept confidential.

To evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose performance is being considered to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation, as that individual has requested a closed session.

Board Calendar

Policy Advisory Meeting

4:00 p.m., May 14th, 2014

Academic Advisory Meeting
Work Session
Regular Board Meeting

4:00 p.m., May 15, 2014
6:00 p.m., May 21st, 2014
6:00 p.m., May 28th, 2014