

**NORTH SMITHFIELD SCHOOL COMMITTEE
NORTH SMITHFIELD, RHODE ISLAND
NOTICE OF MEETING**

DATE: October 20, 2026
PLACE: North Smithfield Middle School Cafeteria
1850 Providence Pike, North Smithfield, RI 02896

Virtual Zoom Meeting - Due to Governor McKee's Executive Order, the public will be allowed to attend in person but may also have the option of attending through the following means:

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AGENDA

TIME: 6:30 P.M. – Open Session

- I. Convene In Open Session
 - 1. Roll Call
 - 2. Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comment - Agenda Items Only
Community Comments – Any Subject

II. Consent Agenda: Discussion/Vote/Other Action

- 1. Approval of Regular Session Minutes: 9/15/26 SC Meeting
- 2. Approval of Regular Session Minutes: 10/6/26 SC Special Meeting
- 3. Disbursement Report: September 2026
- 4. Cash Receipts Report: September 2026
- 5. Homeschooling Requests:
 - A. P.S. A.S.
 - B. S.S. P.S. C.S. J.S. H.S.
 - C. E.L.
 - D. M.N.
 - E. S.W.
- 6. Approval of Outdoor Bleacher Repairs by Hussey Advantage

7. Approval of Professional Development programs from Sergeant Center for 26/27
8. Approval of Contract with Common Ground Ed for MLL Professional Development
9. Approval of Study Sync High Quality English Language Arts Curriculum Subscription Extension
10. Approval of Increase to Athletic Event Game Day Worker's Stipends
11. Approval of Microsoft Volume Licensing Renewal
12. Approval to purchase Medical Supplies and Equipment from Amazon for the EMT Program
13. Approval to purchase Classroom Simulation Trainers and EMS Virtual Reality Simulation Software for the EMT CTE Program
14. 1st Reading New/Revised Policies/Protocols:
 - A. V.A. 26 Health and Wellness Policy Update_10.1.26
15. Administrator's Reports
16. Financial Report

III. Reports:

1. Superintendent Raleigh's Report:
 - A. Enrollment Report for 26/27
 - B. RICAS Assessment Report by Clare Arnold

IV. Informational (Discussion only):

1. Personnel Resignations/Retirements/Leaves of Absence/Appointments:
 - A. Amy Sanita, 1.0 Special Education Teacher @ NSHS – Resignation
 - B. Brianna Magiera, 1.0 Special Education Teacher @ NSES – Resignation
2. Special/Extra-Curricular Appointments (all assignments could change based upon district/student need) 2026-2027:
 - A. Catherine Jalbert, Math Counts Advisor @ NSMS
 - B. Jennifer Daigneault, NSES SIT Chair
 - C. Kim Medeiros, NSES SIT Co-chair
 - D. Kerri Roberts, NSES SIT Secretary
 - E. Tracy Lafreniere, NSES SIT Member
 - F. Dena Francescon, NSES SIT Member
 - G. Emma Plummer, NSES SIT Member
 - H. Hollie DiOrio, NSES SIT Member
 - I. Tara Girard, NSES SIT Member
 - J. Maureen Ciotola, NSES SIT Member
 - K. Kim Sulfaro, NSES SIT Member
 - L. Kristin Murphy, NSES SIT Member
 - M. Michaela Cronan, NSES SIT Member
 - N. Amy Kraus, NSES SIT Member
 - O. Jenn Fraioli, NSES SIT Member
 - P. Samantha Ames, NSES SIT Member
 - Q. Bernadette Hawkins, NSES SIT Member
 - R. Sarah Glover, NSES SIT Member
 - S. Sammantha McQuesten, NSES SIT Member
 - T. Jane Foster, NSES SIT Member
 - U. Jen Albrecht, NSES SIT Member
 - V. Cassandra Rochefort, NSES SIT Member (Parent)
 - W. Daniel Geraghty, NSHS SIT Chair

- X. Mark Hickox, NSHS SIT Co-Chair
- Y. Julie Durand, NSHS SIT Secretary
- Z. Kimberly Rawson, NSHS SIT Member
- AA. John Feeny, NSHS SIT Member
- BB. William Pepin, NSHS SIT Member
- CC. James Fitzgerald, NSHS SIT Member
- DD. Thomas Yeaw, NSHS SIT Member
- EE. Thomas Capparella, NSHS SIT Member
- FF. Richard Whitehouse, NSHS SIT Member
- GG. Aida Mosquea, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 9)
- HH. Zachery Joly, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 9)
- II. Ameira Ayodele, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 10)
- JJ. Asher Baram Cyr, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 10)
- KK. Claire Deschene, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 10)
- LL. Kevin Guo, NSHS SIT Member (CTE and Student Rep Grade 11)
- MM. Amalisa Sherwood, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 11)
- NN. Emily Smith, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 11)
- OO. Max Hawes, NSHS SIT Member (Student Rep Grade 12)
- PP. Melissa Smith, NSHS SIT Member (Parent)
- QQ. Natasha Botelho, NSHS SIT Member (Parent)
- RR. Mary Pullen, NSHS SIT Member (Parent)
- SS. Christine Audette, NSHS SIT Member (Parent)
- TT. Amanda Wright, NSHS SIT Member (Parent and Community Partner-Wright's Dairy Farm)
- UU. Daryl Jasper, NSHS SIT Member (Parent)
- VV. Jennipher Tripp, NSHS SIT Member (Parent and Community Partner-NSHS Attendance Clerk)
- WW. Christine Lopes, NSMS SIT Chair
- XX. Keri Blais, NSMS SIT Co-Chair
- YY. Amy Wright, NSMS SIT Member
- ZZ. Rachel Salvatore, NSMS SIT Member
- AAA. Autumn Blakely, NSMS SIT Member
- BBB. Madisyn Lafreniere, NSMS SIT Member
- CCC. Cassie Jalbert, NSMS SIT Member
- DDD. Valerie Carnevale, NSMS SIT Member
- EEE. Gabriella Athaide, NSMS SIT Member
- FFF. Kim Lefebvre, NSMS SIT Member
- GGG. Corinne Ferri, NSMS SIT Member
- HHH. Hannah Mandeville, NSMS SIT Secretary
- IIK. Breonna Lenard, NSMS SIT Member
- JJJ. Kailee Patrie, NSMS SIT Member
- KKK. Isabella Daly, NSMS SIT Member
- LLL. Robert McAnulty, NSMS SIT Member
- MMM. Lynn Hannah, NSMS SIT Member
- NNN. Valerie Fleury, NSMS SIT Member (Parent)
- OOO. Student Counsel Student (Monthly Change) NSMS SIT Member (Student)

3. **Coaching Appointments - Winter Season [2026-2027] school year only**:

- A. Anthony Paiva Boys' Basketball Varsity Head Coach
- B. Kevin Pfefferle Boys' Basketball Junior Varsity Head Coach

C. Michael Economos	Boys' Basketball Middle School Head Coach
D. Michael A. Economos	Boys' Basketball Middle School Volunteer Coach
E. Justin Economos	Boys' Basketball Middle School Volunteer Coach
F. Gary Harnois	Girls' Basketball Varsity Head Coach
G. Lefebvre	Girls' Basketball Junior Varsity Head Coach
H. Amy Gravel	Girls' Basketball Middle School Head Coach
I. Kristin Ledger	Girls' Basketball Middle School Volunteer Coach
J. Alicia Heon	Competition Cheerleading Varsity Coach
K. Kaile Truong	Competition Cheerleading Junior Varsity Coach
L. Amanda Samson	Competition Cheerleading Volunteer Coach
M. Isabela Rau	Competition Cheerleading Volunteer Coach
N. Olivia Cimerol	Competition Cheerleading Middle School Head Coach
O. Kendall Parkin	Competition Cheerleading Middle School Volunteer Coach
P. Jennifer Watson	Girls Indoor Track & Field Varsity Coach
Q. Abigail MacBeth	Girls Indoor Track & Field Assistant Coach
R. Vacant	Boys Indoor Track & Field Varsity Coach
S. David Daignault	Boys Indoor Track & Field Assistant Coach

V. New Business

1. FY28 Operating/Capital Budgets: Discussion/Vote/Other Action
 - A. Proposed Budget Timeline and Guidance

VI. Old Business

1. FY27 Operating/Capital Budgets: Discussion/Vote/Other Action

VII. Consideration of and vote on motion to convene in Executive Session

In compliance with RIGL §42-46-5(a)(1), written notification was provided to individual(s) discussed in Executive Session with the option to hold the meeting in open session.

Executive Session (Closed) pursuant to RIGL §42-46-5(a): Immediately following Open Session

1. RIGL 42-46-5(a)(3) Discussion/Vote/Other Action regarding security, including, but not limited to, the deployment of security personnel or devices: Schools'/District Emergency Response Plan for 26-27 school year.
2. Legal Update – Special Education
3. RIGL §42-46-5(a)(2) Collective Bargaining: NSTA Memorandum of Agreement: Discussion/Vote/Other Action

VIII. Reconvene in Open Session:

1. Adjourn Executive Session and re-convene in Open Session
2. Consideration of and vote on motion to seal Executive Session minutes pursuant to RIGL §42-46-5(c); §§42-46-4 and 42-46-5
3. Statement of notification to public of compliance with RIGL §§42-46-4 and 42-46-5 as to votes (if any) indicating individual members voting for matters in Executive Session
4. Action related to Emergency Response Plan for 26-27 school year
5. Action, if any, related to Collective Bargaining NSTA MOA
6. Consideration and vote on any matters discussed in Executive Session in accordance with RIGL §42-46-4, §42-46-5(a) and RIGL §42-46-5(a)(1).

IX. Adjourn

The public is welcome to any meeting of the School Committee. If communication assistance (readers/interpreters/ captioners) is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please contact the North Smithfield School Department at least three (3) business days prior to the meeting. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must call RI Relay, 1-800-745-5555, forty-eight hours in advance of the meeting date(s). For North Smithfield School Committee, Terri Bartomioli, Chair.

Posted: Secretary of State: 10/16/26; NSSD Website: 10/16/26; NSMS: 10/16/26; Town Annex: 10/16/26