

NORTH ADAMS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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Regular School Board Meeting

6:00 p.m. – May 12, 2026

Calendar

May 13, 2026/Executive Board Meeting 4:00 p.m.

June 9, 2026/Regular Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.

AGENDA

A. Call to Order

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. North Star Awards
 - a. 2026 National Math Stars Nominee - Cain Johnson and Huxton Marsh
3. Be Braves Awards
 - a. Heather Hartman - Indiana School Nutrition Association 2025-2026 Super Star of the Year recipient
 - b. Penny Henkenius - Indiana School Nutrition Association 2025-2026 Office Assistant of the Year recipient

B. Public Comment on Agenda Items

C. Consensus Items

1. Minutes of

- a. April 14, 2026/Regular Board Meeting

2. Financial Report

3. Personnel

a. Assignments

1. Gerald Geels to be assigned the position of 2nd Shift Custodian at Belmont Middle School effective April 20, 2026.
2. Barry Fairchild to be assigned the position of 2nd Shift Custodian at Belmont High School effective May 18, 2026.

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b. Resignations

1. Elizabeth Lengerich to resign the position of Belmont Elementary School 3rd Grade Teacher effective June 30, 2026.
2. Nicholas Powell to resign the position of Belmont High School English Teacher effective May 22, 2026.
3. Walter Steven Lee to resign the position of Belmont High School Girls Soccer Head Coach effective April 17, 2026.
4. Shane Christener to resign the position of Belmont High School 2nd Shift Custodian effective April 16, 2026.
5. Daniel Hunter to resign the position of Belmont Middle School Assistant Football Coach effective November 11, 2025.
6. Abbey Bowers to resign the position of Belmont Middle School 6th Grade Girls Basketball Head Coach effective December 12, 2025.
7. Kevin Conrad to resign the position of Belmont Middle School 8th Grade Football Head Coach effective April 26, 2026.

c. Leaves

1. Kaylin Voors requesting medical leave beginning July 25, 2026, as per Master Contract, Article VI, page 21 (F). She will also use Child Rearing Leave, as per Master Contract, Article VI, page 22 (H).

d. Retirements

1. Melanie Wolpert to retire from the position of 6th Grade ELA Teacher at Belmont Middle School effective August 9, 2026. (33 years)
2. Michael Keller to retire from the position of 7th Grade Mathematics Teacher at Belmont Middle School effective June 1, 2026. (35 years)

e. Change of Position

1. Richard Skaggs to move from Belmont High School Girls Soccer Assistant Coach to Belmont High School Girls Soccer Head Coach effective May 13, 2026.

f. Terminations

g. LEA Business

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h. Overnight and/or Out-of-State Field Trips

1. Belmont High School Rifle Club/National Championship/ Camp Perry-Port Clinton, OH/July 9-11, 2026.

D. Program Update – Erin Stewart - North Adams Food Service Update

E. Old Business

1. Policy Updates (2nd Read)
 - a. Recension of po 5895 Student Employment
 - b. Revision of
 - i. Environment and Safety
 - A. Po 8390 Animals on School Corporation Property
 - B. Po 8405 Environmental Health and Safety Issues – Indoor Air Quality, Animals in the Classroom, and Idling Vehicles on School Property
 - C. Po 8451 Parasitic Infestation (head lice, bed bugs)
 - D. Po 8462 Child Abuse and Neglect
 - ii. Po 7540.02 Digital Content and Accessibility
 - iii. Po 8455 Coach Training, References, and IHSAA Reporting
 - iv. Po 8800 Patriotic and Religious Observances
 - v. Financial Practices
 - A. Po 6220 Budget Preparation
 - B. Po 7455 Accounting System for Capital Assets
 - C. Po 6230 Budget Hearing
 - vi. Po 8220 School Day
 - vii. Po 8600 Transportation
 - viii. Po 8121 Personal Background Check for Contracted Services

F. New Business

1. Approval of Summer School Staff based on Student Enrollment
 - a. BES – Danielle Ulman, Ann Burkhalter
 - b. BHS – Michelle Blackburn/Shelby Billington (split position), Margaret Chase Bauer, Shannon Dines/Sandy Busick (split position), Samantha Nower
2. Approval of Summer Feeding Program
3. Classified Handbook (1st Read)
4. Transportation Handbook (1st Read)

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5. Belmont Elementary School Student Handbook (1st Read)
6. Belmont Middle School Student Handbook (1st Read)
7. Belmont High School Student Handbook (1st Read)
8. Approval of Revised Area 18 Agreement
9. Approval of Donations
 - a. BHS Girls Tennis/\$1,000/David & Christine Coats
 - b. BHS Boys Volleyball/\$1,000/David & Christine Coats
10. Superintendent Report
11. Other Matters to come before the Board

G. Board Member and/or Public Comment

H. Adjournment

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