

BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: 10/9/2026
TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION
FROM: DAVID REID
RE: WEEKLY MEMO

Reminder: The next Regular Board Meeting will be Monday, October 12th @ 6 PM at CNP Heartland Elementary

General Update

This week at CNP Schools, our focus remained on instruction as we approach the end of the first quarter. We appreciate the continued efforts of our teachers and staff to keep students engaged and focused on learning as we close out the quarter.

Students will attend classes through Wednesday of next week. Thursday will be a professional development day for teachers, with no classes for students. All students and staff will then be out Friday and the following Monday for Fall Break.

We wish the Pride of Choctaw the best of luck as they participate in the Renegade Review at Union High School this Saturday. We appreciate the hard work and dedication of our students and directors and look forward to their representing CNP Schools this weekend.

As a reminder, Monday's Board of Education meeting will be held at CNP Heartland Elementary beginning at 6 p.m.

Construction Updates

Manhattan: Little Theater: Stage curtain installation is complete. Training on the theatrical lighting and sound systems is scheduled for October 9, 2026, at 1:30 p.m. The facility has been cleaned.

High School: Roof ladder installation was scheduled for October 7 and 8. Grooms will be onsite to evaluate tree replacement needs. Manhattan continues to address 13 outstanding warranty items in the building.

Quad Multipurpose: Power washing of the north steps is complete. Sink aerators are scheduled to be installed in the east-side restrooms by Friday.

AC Owen: Heartland Elementary: The appropriate trades have been notified of the roof leaks and are scheduled to be onsite this week. Keys for the restroom doors are being delivered. Dead bushes will be replaced.

Quad: Vo Ag Buildings: Contingency funds will be used to relocate the ONG gas line located in the ditch in front of the north gravel parking lot. The bond plaque has been ordered. Wash bay drainage is being discussed with AMMP and Quad. Soft areas in the gravel surrounding the building and in the north parking lot will need to be rolled once they dry out. Additional gravel will be installed on the entrance road.

Pope: Practice Gym / Museum: Installation of the drop ceilings has begun. Elevations for the sidewalks and parking areas around the building's perimeter are being finalized. Sidewalk forms are scheduled to be installed this week, followed by concrete placement. The fabric ductwork for the heating and air conditioning system is being installed in the gym. Scoreboard installation is underway, and all basketball goal frames have been installed. Restroom tile installation is complete. Boring for electrical service is scheduled to begin next week.

Tentative Board Agenda Items

5.E These are four policies that needed to be cleaned up. They are in your packet. The highlighted areas are where the changes are made.

5.F. These are recommendations from CCOSA for the state wide board of directors for the OK Public School Investment Interlocal Cooperative. I don't personally know everyone on the list, but the ones I do know (Chad Hance and Shawn Himes) are good people.

5.G. WRA will be in attendance and do a short presentation followed by the opportunity for board members to ask any questions they may have.

- 5.H. This is to vote to purchase the land on the north side of 29th St. across from CNP HE. It is 2.9 acres at a price of \$50,000.
- 6.C. This will be the official vote to approve the budget that was presented in the September Board Meeting.
- 6.D. This will be a list of booster clubs who have submitted the appropriate paperwork to seek board sanctioning.
- 8.B. Dr. Gaona will go over the annual drop out and remediation reports. She will take any questions before the vote.
- 8.C. This is to allow Sierra to teach in an area outside of her current certification of drama.
- 8.D. We are seeking Board approval for senior students to graduate with fewer than 29 credits. The majority of these students moved or transferred into the district after their junior year. Because of differences in credits allowed at traditional 6-period schools versus our 8-period block schedule, these students cannot meet the district requirement of 29 credits for graduation. These students would all still meet the OK State minimum requirement for credits to graduate. The specific student names are listed on confidential attachment B.
- 8.E. Mrs. Tye will give an update on CNP Heartland Elementary.