



NORTH CALDWELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Board of Education Connections

SAVE THE DATE - April 4 - School Expansion Presentation

Please join us on Tuesday, April 4 at 7:30pm in the Grandview Cafeteria for a Community Open Forum regarding the expansion of our schools.

Over the last year, the Board of Education has discussed the long-term capital requirements of our schools in light of aging buildings and expected demographic changes within North Caldwell. The Board, in cooperation with our architectural firm, has compiled and reviewed a list of the District's short-term and long-term facility needs and developed a number of school expansion options for consideration.

At this Open Forum, the Board will share:

- The rationale and timing for considering a construction referendum
- Overview of current and future facility needs within the District
- Architectural presentation of renovation/new construction options at Grandview School
- Architectural presentation of renovation/new construction options at Gould School
- Estimated costs for all construction options and the estimated tax impact of each option for families in the District

The purpose of this Open Forum is to share the potential expansion options and gain input and feedback from our community before the Board makes any capital or long-term planning decisions. Please plan to join us to be informed and to share your perspectives with the Board.

Gould School 2017 PARCC Testing Schedule

The PARCC testing schedule has been finalized and will be administered according to the schedule below. On your child's scheduled testing days, all testing will begin promptly at 9:00am. Please assist us with student attendance during these testing dates.

As a reminder, headphones are required for certain sections of the test. Students are strongly encouraged to bring in their own set. As a backup, each testing location will be supplied with additional headphones which will be sanitized after each testing session.

<u>Monday, 4/24</u>	<u>Tuesday, 4/25</u>	<u>Wednesday, 4/26</u>	<u>Thursday, 4/27</u>	<u>Friday, 4/28</u>
4th Grade ELA (AM/PM)	4th Grade ELA (AM only)	5th Grade ELA (AM/PM)	5th Grade ELA (AM only)	Makeups
<u>Monday, 5/1</u>	<u>Tuesday, 5/2</u>	<u>Wednesday, 5/3</u>	<u>Thursday, 5/4</u>	<u>Friday, 5/5</u>
6th Grade ELA (AM/PM)	6th Grade ELA (AM/PM)	4th Grade Math (AM/PM)	4th Grade Math (AM/PM)	Makeups
<u>Monday, 5/8</u>	<u>Tuesday, 5/9</u>	<u>Wednesday, 5/10</u>	<u>Thursday, 5/11</u>	<u>Friday, 5/12</u>
5th Grade Math (AM/PM)	5th Grade Math (AM/PM)	6th Grade Math (AM/PM)	6th Grade Math (AM/PM)	Makeups

Grandview Book Fair Schedule: March 27th - March 31st

The annual Grandview Book Fair will be held Monday, March 27th - Friday, March 31st from 8:30am - 3:30pm. All are welcome to attend during their child's scheduled class time (detailed below)! In addition, we will be open during conference times. If an adult is unable to accompany his/her child, you may send them with cash or a check payable to Grandview Media Fund.

Time	Monday, March 27	Tuesday, March 28	Wednesday, March 29	Thursday, March 30	Friday, March 31
8:50-9:30	Pre-K (3's)	K-Toth	2-Veneziano	K-Monticciolo	
9:34-10:14	K-Raimondi	2-Kessler		1-Gromada	3-Troiano
10:18-10:58	2-Newman	2-Keenan		2-Carella	1-Christiano
11:02-11:42	1-Edwards	1-Pierro	1-Armstrong	3-Crisafi	LAST CALL
11:46-12:26		K-Agnellino	3-Norton	3-Fede	Pack Up
12:30-1:25					
1:30-2:10	K-Doyen	1:00-3:30pm Students are welcome to visit the Book Fair with parents during conferences		1:00-3:30pm Students are welcome to visit the Book Fair with parents during conferences	
2:14-2:54	Pre-K (4's)	3-Castiglia			

Classroom Highlights

- Grandview's **kindergartners** got a very special visit this March from a real African penguin - right in their own kindergarten atrium! The Penguin Pointer Education Program from Jenkinson's Aquarium provided the students with a meaningful experience with the non-flying bird. The presentation reinforced a unit of study on penguins the kindergartners had in January. The program concluded with Vern the penguin waddling amongst the students and teachers, making for a fun experience for everyone!



2017-2018 School Calendar

The Board of Education has approved the school calendar for the 2017-2018 school year, which you can view by clicking [here](#). Please note that school will begin for students on Thursday, September 7, 2017.

This calendar was developed in consultation with the sending districts, West Essex Regional High School, and staff. It includes four emergency days and is subject to

change at the discretion of the Board of Education.

District Calendar of Events

NCBOE maintains a detailed calendar of events on the district webpage that includes all school activities. Check out what is happening in our district by clicking [here](#).

North Caldwell Board of Education Meeting

April 25, 2017
Grandview School Cafeteria

The next North Caldwell Board of Education meeting will be held Tuesday, April 25, 2017, at 7:30pm in the Grandview School cafeteria. The agenda for the meeting was posted on Friday, April 21. For a complete list of currently scheduled Board meetings, click [here](#).

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