

# AGENDA

## BOARD OF EDUCATION • LEVITTOWN, NEW YORK

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SPECIAL MEETING

LEVITTOWN MEMORIAL EDUCATION CENTER

Wednesday, March 26, 2014

6:30 P.M. (Meeting convenes with anticipated adjournment to Executive Session)

7:30 P.M. (Meeting reconvenes in Public Session)

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I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

II. PUBLIC BE HEARD

III. ACTION ITEMS: OLD BUSINESS

1. School Calendar 2014-15

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "WHEREAS, the attached 2014-15 school calendar has been reviewed by all appropriate parties,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education, does, hereby, adopt the attached calendar as the official dates for the operation of schools during the 2014-15 school year."

IV. ACTION ITEMS: NEW BUSINESS

1. ALSA Contract 2012-2016

Inclusive

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Board hereby ratifies and approves the 2012-2016 tentative settlement with ALSA, and authorizes the Board President to execute the new collective bargaining agreement once it is prepared and approved by the Board's attorneys."

2. Adoption of 2014-15 Budget for May 20, 2014 Annual Vote

Inclusive

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, adopt a school district budget authorizing a total expenditure of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and an associated tax levy of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the 2014-2015 school year, said budget to be presented to the voters of the District on May 20, 2014; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that at least fourteen days before the 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2014, copies of the aforesaid mentioned budget shall be prepared and made available, upon request, at the office of the Superintendent, and at offices of the Principals in all the schools of the District."

3. Authorization Foreign Field Trip

Enclosure

Recommended Motion: "RESOLVED, that the Levittown Board of Education does, hereby, authorize students at Division Avenue and MacArthur High Schools to participate in a foreign field trip to Spain from February 11, 2015 to February 20, 2015."

V. MOTION TO ADJOURN

# LEVITTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## 2014-2015 Calendar

### SEPTEMBER (18+1)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

1-Labor Day

2-Teacher Orientation/Conference

3-First Day of School

25-26 Rosh Hashanah

### DECEMBER (16)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

24-31 - Christmas Recess

### OCTOBER (22)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

13 - Columbus Day

### NOVEMBER (16 +1)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

4 - Supt. Conf. Day

11 - Veterans Day

27-28 - Thanksgiving

### JANUARY (19)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

1-2 Christmas Recess

19 - Martin Luther King Day

### FEBRUARY (15)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

16-20- Winter Recess

### MARCH (22)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

### APRIL (15)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

2-10 Passover/Easter

### MAY (20)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

22-25-Memorial Day

### JUNE (19)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

25 - Last Day of School

#### NOTES:

- This calendar has 182 student attendance days and two teacher conference days.
- \*If one (1) or no (Ø) snow days are used, there will be no school on May 21, 2015.
- If three (3) or more snow days are used, additional school days will be scheduled as necessary.

Approved: DATE

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## Appendix A

## LEVITTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

Foreign Field Trip Proposal

(Proposal MUST be submitted 4 months prior to travel dates)

Date: 2/25/14

School:

- ☒ Division Avenue High School  
☒ MacArthur High School

&gt; combined trip

Principal: Kathleen Valentino and Joan LorelliAdministrator/Teacher(s): Nicole Dawson

Dates of Proposed Travel: <sup>Leaving</sup> Wed. prior to Residents 2/11/15 <sup>Returning Friday or</sup> Saturday 2/20 or 2/21 <sup>depending</sup> flights  
Week

Proposed Country/Countries to be visited: Spain - various cities including  
Barcelona, Madrid, and Seville

Rationale: Trip open to World Lang. students (Span., French, Italian) in 11th or 12th grade in  
Students will experience a once in a lifetime adventure that enhances and helps them  
to utilize what they learn in class. World language students will have the opportunity to  
use the language they have practiced in the classroom and/or have a chance to learn a  
new language. Additionally, students will have the chance to live the spirit and  
culture of Europe. Trip will be extended to AP European Studies students currently  
enrolled in 2015.

Approximate Number of Students: 20-50 anticipated \* Students must be enrolled  
in the participating class to

Approximate Number of Chaperones: 1 chaperone for every 6 students that register <sup>partic</sup>  
in the year

Approximate cost per person (including travel, accommodations and meals): \$ 3200 <sup>subject to change</sup>

Mode of Travel: Plane/Bus/TrainProposed Travel Agency: ACIS

*I support this travel proposal which is to be considered for approval by the Levittown Public Schools Board of Education. I understand that an administrator will be available to accompany this group if final approval for travel is granted.*

Principal Signature: [Signature] K. Valentino Date: 2/26/14Asst. Superintendent for Instruction Approved: [Signature] Date: 3/10/14

Superintendent:

☒ Approved☐ Denied

Board of Education:

☐ Approved☐ DeniedDate: [Signature]

Date: \_\_\_\_\_