

**New Hartford Public Schools  
Special Board of Education Meeting  
March 31, 2020**

**6:00 pm/Virtual Meeting**

**Access Meeting/ <https://zoom.us/j/312806581> /Listen Only**

**\*Note-This is a virtual meeting and the public will only be allowed to listen. If you have any questions or comments you can email the BOE Chair (Tim Goff) ([gofft@newhtfd.org](mailto:gofft@newhtfd.org)) or you can send a letter to the Superintendent of Schools. You will receive a response the next day. You can access the meeting by using the link provided above.**

- A. Chair to Open Meeting**
  
- B. Pledge of Allegiance**
  
- C. Superintendent's Report**
  - 1. Coronavirus Update**
  - 2. School Calendar- 2019-2020**
  
- D. New Business**
  - 1. Approval of Minutes-March 3, 2020**
  
- E. Adjournment**

# NEW HARTFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS APPROVED SCHOOL CALENDAR 2019-2020

## JULY - (0)

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

4--Fourth of July Holiday

## AUGUST - (3)

M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

26 - BAK/NHE Kindergarten Open House

23 ,26, 27--Professional Day

28--First Day of School

20 - Board of Education Meeting

## SEPTEMBER - (20)

M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

2--Labor Day Holiday

4--ANT Open House (Gr. 3 & 4)

5--ANT Open House (Gr. 5 & 6)

11--NHE Open House (Gr. 1 & 2)

12--BAK Open House (Gr. 1 & 2)

17 - Board of Education Meeting

## OCTOBER - (21)

M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

11--Professional Day

14--Columbus Day Holiday

15- Board of Education Meeting

## NOVEMBER - (16)

M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

5--Professional Day

12- Board of Education Meeting

25 & 26--1:00 Dismissal for

Parent/Teacher Conferences

27, 28, 29--Thanksgiving Recess

## DECEMBER - (12)

M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

3- Board of Education Meeting

23--Winter Recess Begins

## JANUARY - (21)

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

1--Last Day of Winter Recess

7 - Board of Education Meeting

20--Martin Luther King Holiday

## FEBRUARY - (19)

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

4 - Board of Education Meeting

17 Presidents' Day

18 - Board of Education Meeting

## MARCH - (22)

M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

3 - Board of Education Meeting

17 - Board of Education Meeting

25 & 26--1:00 Dismissal for

Parent/Teacher Conferences

## APRIL - (16)

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

10--Good Friday

13-17--Spring Recess/Good Friday

21 - Board of Education Meeting

## MAY - (20)

M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

19 - Board of Education Meeting

25--Memorial Day Holiday

## JUNE - (10)

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

12--\*\*180th Day/Last Day

1:00 Dismissal

15 & 16 - Professional Days

16 - Board of Education Meeting

**APPROVED BY THE BOE:** March 5, 2019


All Early Release Days Dismiss at 1:00 PM

Late Openings are on a Two Hour Delay/Three Hours when determined necessary

PTO Meetings - 2nd Monday of the Month at 7:00 PM

 Board of Education Meetings

**SNOW DAY LEGEND:**

 = School Closing

 = Late Opening

 = Early Release

(CLOSINGS WILL BE ADDED TO THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR, IF NEEDED)



Early Release Days

Professional Days for Teachers

- No School

No School Days

### Term 1

August 28 - November 15

Report Card

November 22, 2019

### Term 2

November 18 - March 13

Report Card

March 20, 2020

### Term 3

March 16 - Last day

Report Card

Last Day of School

**New Hartford Board of Education Meeting  
Board of Education Meeting  
March 3, 2020  
7:00 PM /Multi-Purpose Room  
Antolini School**

**Board Members Present:**

Tim Goff, Chairman  
Karl Hermonat, Vice Chairman  
Tom Buzzi  
Penny Miller  
Kelly O'Dell Longhi  
Mary Stempien  
Heather Tomala

**Absent:**

Tony Persechino, Timothy Klepps

**Also Present:**

Brian Murphy- Superintendent of Schools  
Amanda Shaw-Antolini School Principal  
Kelly Carroll- Bakerville & New Hartford School Principal  
Barbara McLean- Director of Student Services  
Diane Barrett- Recording Secretary  
Heather Mathes- Curriculum Coach  
Members of the Public: Kathryn Boughton- Republican American reporter- arrived at 7:11 pm,  
Zachary Bussell

**A. Chair to Open Meeting**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Tim Goff at 7:00 pm.

**B. The Pledge of Allegiance**

The Pledge of Allegiance was cited.

**C. Chair Select Order of Business**

Chairman Goff stated he had no changes.

**C. Superintendent's Report**

**1. Healthy Food Certification**

Superintendent Murphy began the presentation stating the Connecticut State Department of Education requires that each local Board of Education for all Public School Districts participating in the National School Lunch Program take action annually to certify whether all food items sold to students meet the Connecticut National Nutrition Standards.

7:05 pm **MOTION**- Chairman Goff presented a motion to move Section 10-215F of the CGS- New Hartford Board of Education certifies that all food items offered for sale to students in the schools under its jurisdiction and not exempted from the Connecticut Nutrition Standards will comply with the CNS during the period of July 1, 2020 through June 20, 2021. Seconded by Miller.

*Unanimous*

**MOTION**- Chairman Goff moved that the New Hartford Board of Education will allow the sale to students of food items that do not meet the CNS provided that (1) such food is sold in connection with an event occurring after the end of the regular school day or on a weekend (2) such sale is at the location of the event and (3) such food is not sold from a vending machine or a school store. Seconded by Miller.

*Unanimous*

**D. Public Comment**- None

**F. Consent Agenda**

**1. Approval of February 18, 2020 Minutes**- 7:08 pm

**MOTION** by Miller to accept/approve the consent agenda as presented, seconded by Hermonat.

*Unanimous*

**G. Communication to the Board**

Tim Goff and Superintendent Murphy did not have any information to communicate to the BOE at this time.

**H. Reports**

Kelly O'Dell Longhi presented the reports from the Policy Subcommittee:

**1. Review Policy 5118.1 (Homeless Students)**

Longhi reviewed changes that are highlighted on each policy. Homeless Students Policy added public preschool programs.

2. *Review Policy P5112(a) (Admission Placement)*

Longhi reviewed the addition of disability to the discrimination paragraph #1, corrected some errors and reworded some sentences.

3. *Review Policy 6159 (Individual Education Program)*

Longhi reviewed the addition that the school paraprofessional can be added to the IEP TEAM for the child. Longhi further explained the addition that any member of the PPT employed by the BOE that discusses or makes recommendations during a PPT meeting shall not be disciplined for such recommendation.

**I. Adjournment**

**MOTION** by Miller to adjourn the BOE meeting at 7:14 pm, seconded by Stempien.

*Unanimous*

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Barrett  
Recording Secretary

