

**NYACK PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Board of Education**

**Workshop Meeting
Tuesday, March 2, 2010, Nyack High School**

The Board of Education meetings will be audio recorded and Podcast on the
District website: www.nyackschools.com

AGENDA

6:00 – 6:02 Public Convening of Board of Education
6:02 – 7:30 Adjourn to Executive Session

7:32 – 7:45

1. Reconvene to Public Session
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approve Agenda
4. President's Report
5. Superintendent's Report
6. Student Representative's Report
7. Board of Education Reports/New Business
8. Response to Prior Citizens' Proposals, Questions, and Concerns
9. Citizens' Proposals, Questions, and Concerns

7:45 – 7:50

RECOGNITION

Tom Perry – Developing Firth Forth Organic Garden
Ben Grange & Adam Straus - Finalists in the National Merit Scholarship Program
Ben Grange – Candidate for the U.S. Presidential Scholars Program

7:50 – 8:45

WORKSHOP

10. Instructional Initiatives & Technology Presentation
11. English & Social Studies Updates
12. Community Input on Budget
13. Citizens' Proposals, Questions, and Concerns on Workshop Items

8:45 – 9:00

ACTION

14. Citizens' Proposals, Questions, and Concerns on Action Items

General

15. a. Re-establishment of Library Polling locations
b. Verified Library Vote Results
16. Nyack School Calendar 2010-2011

Instruction

17. Biennial Review of Shared Decision Making

Business

18. Second Reading & Adoption – Purchasing Policy 6700

Personnel

Staff Appointment

19. Nelson Diaz – Teaching Assistant, Middle School, effective 03-03-10
20. Howard Arciniegas – Athletic Trainer, District, effective 03-15-10

9:00

Adjourn

POLICY FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AT BOARD MEETINGS

The Nyack Board of Education recognizes its responsibility to hear and respond to public comments and therefore encourages public participation at Board meetings (Policy#1230). Each meeting agenda includes opportunities for the public to address the Board. In order to manage Board meeting time effectively, **a person wishing to speak is requested to sign in and indicate the topic on which they would like to address the Board.** Up to thirty minutes is allotted for public comments in the opening portion of the meeting. Therefore, a person's remarks may be limited depending on how many request to speak. A person may not be recognized to speak again until all others seeking the floor have had a turn.
