

Northland Community Schools - ISD #118
Regular Meeting Minutes Summary
Wednesday, April 8, 2026
Northland High School Room C113
316 Main St E
Remer, MN 56672

Aaron Ammerman: Present, Linda Knox: Present, Terri Nystrom: Present, Jason Perkins: Present, Marc Ruyak: Present, Tyler Seifert: Present, Bill Wake: Present.

1. Call to Order

Board Chair Ruyak called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Mission Statement "Educate and inspire all learners to reach their full potential."

4. Adoption of Agenda

Motion to adopt the agenda with the following additions: New Business - 11.3 Personnel - 12.3, 12.4, 12.5. This motion, made by Aaron Ammerman and seconded by Tyler Seifert, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

5. Recognitions

6. Audience Recognition

7. Consent items

Motion to approve the Consent items. This motion, made by Linda Knox and seconded by Bill Wake, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

7.1. Approve the minutes from the Regular Meeting held on March 11, 2026

7.2. Approve the Treasurer's Report and bill for March 2026

7.3. Approve an overnight field trip for the Class of 2026 to Great Wolf Lodge/Mall of America — April 22, 2026 (alternative date May 21, 2026)

7.4. Approve an overnight field trip to Baxter for Post-Prom - May 2, 2026

7.5. Approve an overnight field trip to Brainerd for the Supermileage Competition — May 10–11, 2026

7.6. Approve the following overnight field trips for Quiz Bowl
International Falls — April 30, 2026
Cloquet — May 14, 2026

7.7. Whereas the following; therefore, BE IT RESOLVED by the School Board of Northland Community Schools District 118, Remer, and State of Minnesota as follows: The Northland

Community Schools — District 118 School Board does hereby accept the following gifts/donations:

- Team Lavallee Inc. — \$100 for Prom
- First National Bank — \$100 for Prom
- First National Bank—\$100 for Supermileage
- Crow Wing Power — \$100 for Senior Class Trip
- Jerry's Bar — \$100 for Prom
- Salem Lutheran Church — \$100 for Prom
- The Woodsman Cafe — \$100 for Prom
- Eagle Country Snowmobile and ATV Club — \$100 for Prom
- Lake Region Builders — \$75 for Prom
- Lakeside Fireplace and Stove — \$50
- Lake Country Power — \$75 for Prom
- Phyllis and Corey Wake — \$75 for Supermileage
- Northern Star Cooperative - \$100 for Supermileage
- Jim and Sandy Boring — \$20 for Senior Class Trip
- Mill Street Tavern & Grill — \$50 for Prom

8. PragerU Video

9. Reports

9.1. Business Manager Report

9.2. Elementary Principal Report

9.3. High School Principal Report

9.4. Student Activities Report

9.5. Facilities Report

9.6. Indian Education Report

9.7. CE Report

10. Superintendent Report

11. New Business

11.1. Discussion regarding the Work Session scheduled for May 20, 2026

Due to a scheduling conflict with the 2025-2026 Awards Banquet, the May 20, 2026 Work Session has been canceled

11.2. Approve the following revisions to the 2025-2026 calendar for grades K-11

- Add June 4th as a full school day
- Add June 5th as a partial school day

Motion to approve revisions to the 2025-2026 calendar for grades K-11. This motion, made by Linda Knox and seconded by Aaron Ammerman, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

11.3. Approve the following revisions to the 2025-2026 Early Childhood calendar

- April 23, 2026 will be an EC school day
- EC Graduation/last day of school will be June 3, 2026

12. Personnel

12.1. Approve the hire of Alison Glade as High School Science Teacher, beginning the 2026-2027 school year

Motion to approve the hire of Alison Glade as High School Science Teacher, beginning the 2026-2027 school year. This motion, made by Aaron Ammerman and seconded by Linda Knox, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

12.2. Accept Erika Snakenberg's resignation effective March 31, 2026

Motion to accept Erika Snakenberg's resignation as Paraprofessional, effective March 31, 2026. This motion, made by Aaron Ammerman and seconded by Tyler Seifert, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

12.3. Accept Trevor Green's resignation as Custodian, effective April 23, 2026

Motion to accept Trevor Green's resignation as Custodian, effective April 23, 2026. This motion, made by Tyler Seifert and seconded by Jason Perkins, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

12.4. Accept Jeremy Schwarz's resignation as Boys Basketball Head Coach, effective immediately

Motion to accept Jeremy Schwarz's resignation as Boys Basketball Head Coach, effective immediately. This motion, made by Bill Wake and seconded by Aaron Ammerman, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

12.5. Accept Jeremy Schwarz' resignation as Junior High Football Coach, effective immediately

Motion to accept Jeremy Schwarz' resignation as Junior High Football Coach, effective immediately. This motion, made by Tyler Seifert and seconded by Linda Knox, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc

Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea
Yea: 7, Nay: 0

13. Other school business which can legally be brought before the Board

14. Next Meeting Dates:

- Regular Meeting, May 13, 2026, 5:30 p.m.
- Work Session, _____, 5:30 p.m.

June 17, 2026 has been selected as a tentative date for a make-up Work Session

15. Adjournment

Board Chair Ruyak called for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m. This motion, made by Tyler Seifert and seconded by Linda Knox, Passed.

Aaron Ammerman: Yea, Linda Knox: Yea, Terri Nystrom: Yea, Jason Perkins: Yea, Marc

Ruyak: Yea, Tyler Seifert: Yea, Bill Wake: Yea

Yea: 7, Nay: 0

Tina Anderson, Recording Secretary

Linda Knox, Board Clerk