School District of Borough of Brentwood
February 9 & 23, 2026

The information listed below is a *summary* of action taken at the February 9, 2026 Agenda Planning Meetings and the February 23, 2026 General Purpose Meeting. The official minutes of these meetings should be consulted if more detail is sought on any item.

February 9, 2026 –Agenda Planning Meeting

- Dr. Jason Olexa presented the changes to the standardized testing schedule for the High School.
- Mrs. Rendulic presented on recommended changes to Special Education Programming for the 2026-2027 school year.
- Mrs. DeLuca presented curricular changes (new course selections and changes to elementary special area courses) and the proposed Comprehensive Plan 2026-2029.

1. The Board accepted a proposal for inspection services for project # 4393 Brentwood Elementary from Allegheny Building Consultants, LLC at a cost of $20,082.50.

2. The Interdisciplinary Moonshot Curriculum Project Proposal with the Attack Theatre for a total amount of $23,400, was accepted. This project is funded through the Ready to Learn Grant for 2026.

3. Amplify ELA G8 UE Writing Journal: Holocaust: Memory & Meaning for one year at a cost of $134.40 was approved.

4. Mr. Matt Episcopo was hired as the middle school assistant girls' volleyball coach.

5. The Board approved Mrs. Jacelyn Pulleo, Mrs. Katie Casella, and Mrs. Jennifer Zunic to attend the Project Zero conference in Cambridge, MA from June 22, 2026-June 26, 2026. Most of the conference and travel will be split between a scholarship and Title II funding. The remainder of the travel costs will be reimbursed as per policy 331 Job related expenses.

6. The Board approved placing the Comprehensive Plan on public inspection and comment for 28 days beginning February 10, 2026.

February 23, 2026 – General Purpose Meeting

- Representatives from Zion Lutheran presented a $4,000 donation to the Brentwood Borough School District.
- Ms. Nancy Rounsley provided an update on the Brentwood Elementary School project.
- Ms. Lily Briggs presented an update on the cafeteria.

1. The minutes from the January 12, 2026 Agenda Planning Meeting and the January 26, 2026 General Purpose Meeting were approved.

2. The Board approved the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Cash Balances for the period ending January 31, 2026; approved bill payments for the period January 28, 2026 through February 23, 2026; approved budget transfers for the month of February 2026; and the Board acknowledged receipt of the bank letter.

3. The Board approved entering into an executive sales and leasing listing agreement with Fourth River Development, LLC for the purpose of selling Elroy Elementary and Moore Elementary.

4. The purchase of a Skutt Kilm from Standard Clay Company in the amount of $4,649.00 for the Brentwood Elementary School project was ratified.

5. The Board approved adding the following courses to the middle high school course selections: Personal Finance, Digital Art II, Introduction to Data Science, AI Foundations, and Music Theory I.

Board NOTES

Dr. Amy M. Burch
Superintendent of Schools

Board of School Directors

Robert Kircher, *President*
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Jennifer George
Antonia Focer-Brown
Roger Newman
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Next Month's Meetings

Agenda Planning Meetings
March 9, 2026 @ 7:00 PM

General Purpose Meeting
March 16, 2026 @ 7:00 PM

6. The Board approved to dispose of obsolete books and materials.

7. A transportation contract for one student to Wesley High School beginning February 20, 2026 at a rate of $140.72/day with Sun Coach Lines was ratified.

8. An Intermittent FMLA leave was ratified for Employee ID 793978 starting on February 13, 2026. Employee ID 793978 will be using sick and personal days during this time, and any remaining days will be unpaid.

9. Additions to the substitute list were approved.

10. An FMLA leave was ratified for Employee ID 369869 starting on February 19, 2026. Employee ID 369869 will be using sick and personal days during this time, and any remaining days will be unpaid.

11. The Board accepted with regret the resignation of Mr. Darren White for the purpose of retirement, effective at the end of the 2025-2026 school year, and authorized the superintendent to post the position.

12. The Board approved 55 summer hours for Mrs. Maureen Anderson and Mrs. Linda Capozzoli for career planning and sophomore parent meetings at a rate consistent with the collective bargaining agreement.

13. The Board approved summer hours at the curriculum rate, to be equally divided between the middle school and high school counselors, Mrs. Whitney Reynolds and Mrs. Linda Capozzoli (total hours not to exceed 200).

14. Mr. Ezekiel Daure was hired as the varsity assistant football coach, pending receipt of all appropriate paperwork.

15. Mrs. Ali Rendulic's attendance at PA Migrant Education Conference at the Penn Stater Conference Center, April 8-10, 2026, was approved. The conference is free and reimbursement as per policy 331 Job related expenses and will be paid for with Title III funds.

16. Ms. Antonia Focer-Brown's attendance at the COSSBA conference being held in Louisville, Kentucky from March 13-March 15, 2026, was approved. Expenses to be paid as per policy 004 Membership.

17. The 2026-2027 school calendar was approved.

18. An affiliation agreement with Pennsylvania Western (Penn West) University was approved.

19. The Board approved increasing ticket prices for the high school musical as follows:

Students and Seniors	$8.00	($1 increase from previous year)
Adults	$12.00	($2 increase from the previous year)

The March Board meeting dates are as follows:

March 9, 2026	Agenda Planning Meeting @ 7:00 pm in the Board Room
March 16, 2026	General Purpose Meeting @ 7:00 pm in the Board Room
March 23, 2026	Committee Meeting @ 7:00 pm in the Board Room