MANZANITA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOVEMBER 18, 2026 REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA
6:00 P.M., MANZANITA SCHOOL, ROOM 2

Mission

Manzanita Elementary School, an innovative K-8 single-school district in an agricultural setting, graduates confident, responsible, entrepreneurial learners with strong academic and personal life skills, who are empowered to direct their own futures; we accomplish this through engaging, dynamic instruction delivered within a safe and caring environment using relevant technologies and a rigorous curriculum in a student-centered partnership with family, community, and a passionate, extraordinary staff.

I. CALL TO ORDER:

A. Open Session

1. Roll Call, Flag Salute

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA, AGENDA ORDER, AND MINUTES:

A. Approval of the Agenda and permission for the Board President to change the sequence of the Agenda as he deems appropriate.

ACTION

B. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting held on October 13, 2026.

ACTION

III. COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

IV. HEARING SESSION / PUBLIC FORUM:

Anyone wishing to address the Board on items on or off the agenda may do so at this time. No action may be taken on items that are not listed as Action Items. Comments are limited to 3 minutes and 20 minutes each subject matter.

V. COMMUNICATIONS:

A. Principal/Superintendent Report

VI. INFORMATION:

A. Conduct the Second Reading – CSBA/GAMUT Board Policy Updates, May 2026 Release.

DISCUSSION

B. Conduct the Second Reading – CSBA/GAMUT Board Policy Updates, August 2026 Release.

DISCUSSION

C. Conduct the First Reading – CSBA/GAMUT Board Policy Updates, November 2026 Release.

INFORMATION

VII. OLD BUSINESS:

No Old Business.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Consider December 16, 2026 as our Annual Organizational Meeting Pursuant to Education Code § 35143.

ACTION

B. Consider approval of CSBA/GAMUT Board Policy Updates, May 2026 Release.

ACTION

C. Consider approval of CSBA/GAMUT Board Policy Updates, August 2026 Release.

ACTION

D. Consider paying $225.00 per student to help reduce the student portion of 5th grade students attending Shady Creek Outdoor School April 6-9, 2027. Total cost per student is $375.00. (Student portion after the Board contribution will be $150.00).

ACTION

E. Board Vacancy Interviews and Provisional Appointment.

ACTION

IX. CONSENT AGENDA:

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are routine and will be acted upon by one motion and vote. If an item needs further clarification and/or discussion, it may be removed from the Consent portion of the agenda and then be acted upon as a separate item.

A. Consider the approval of the October 2026 Vendor Warrants.

ACTION

X. PERSONNEL ACTION:

A. Consider the approval of the following extra duty assignments for the 2026-2027 school year, as per the certificated contract:

6^{th} – 8^{th} Grade Girls Soccer Coach: River Kinsley

ACTION

B. Consider the approval of the following walk-on assignments for the 2026-2027 school year:

6^{th} Grade Girls Basketball Coaches: Charley Deniz and Wendy Povey
6^{th} Grade Boys Basketball Coach: Josh Howell
7^{th} Grade Boys Basketball Coaches: Marc Stokes and Steve Alvarado
8^{th} Grade Boys Basketball Coach: JT Kullar

ACTION

C. Consider the approval of Michelle Cable as the Christmas Program Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year with a stipend of 1.12% of column 3-Step 1.

ACTION

XI. CLOSED SESSION

(If the Board recesses to Closed Session, the purpose of the session will be announced; any action taken in Closed Session will be announced in Open Session prior to the adjournment of the Public Meeting).

A. Public Employment Appointment of Personnel as listed under “Personnel Action” below; Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957

B. Classified, Certificated, Classified Confidential, and Management Personnel Discipline, Dismissal and/or Release; Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957
C. Public Employee Performance Evaluation of Classified, Certificated, Classified Confidential, Management and Superintendent; Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957
D. Litigation; Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9
E. Instructions to Board Negotiators, Superintendent and Board Member; Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6(a)
F. Security Matters Pursuant to Government Code 54957

XII. RECONVENE TO TAKE PUBLIC ACTION ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS:

XIII. ADJOURNMENT: