2026 NCPTA Summer Transposium Class Schedule

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Monday June 15, 2026	**Location**	**Morning Class Times**			**Afternoon Class Times**			
Advisory Board Meeting	Blue Ridge				1:00 PM			
Blue Bird Brake Systems 2hrs	Mt Pisgah				1:00 PM			
Carolina Thomas Adv Electrical & Disc Brakes LEAs A-M 2 hrs	Mt Roan				1:00 PM			
Carolina Thomas Adv Electrical & Disc Brakes LEAs N-Y 2 hrs.	Mt Roan						3:00 PM	
Carolina Thomas In-Depth AC Diag & Repairs Leas N-Y 2hrs	Foxfire					2:15 PM		
Carolina Thomas - Going Electric - Ride an EV	Expo Prk Lot					2:00 PM		
NC Bus Recertification Test Only	Mt Pilot					2:00 PM		
TIMS - Competition Overview	Foxfire				1:00 PM			
White's IC Bus - Aftertreatment, Introduction & The Future Leas A-M	Mt Mitchell				1:00 PM			
White's IC Bus - Aftertreatment, Introduction & The Future Leas N-Y	Mt Mitchell						3:30 PM	
Opening Session and Dinner	**Expo Center**							**6:30 pm**

Tuesday June 16, 2026	**Location**	**Morning Class Times**			**Afternoon Class Times**			
Best Practices Tire & Match Mounting and Achieving a Smooth Ride	Foxfire						3:30 PM	
Blue Bird Propane Powertrain Orientation and Roundtable 2hrs	Mt Pilot	8:30 AM						
Bosch Common Rail 2 hrs.	Mt Pisgah				1:00 PM			
BSIP Bus Parts Inventory, Searching, Stocking and Verification	Blue Ridge						3:30 PM	
BSIP Work Order Printing and Entry (MIs and PMs)	Mt Pisgah		9:45 am					
BusPlanner Training Session	Dogwood			11:00 am				
Cal-Amp Training	Dogwood				1:00 PM			
Carolina Thomas Advanced Wiring 2hrs	Mt Roan	8:30 am						
Carolina Thomas In-Depth AC Diag & Repairs Leas A-M 2hrs	Mt Roan				1:00 PM			
Carolina Thomas - Introduction to Octane C2	Mt Roan						3:00 PM	
Conflict Resolution and Management	Mt Roan			11:00 am				
Denso (1 hr)	Mt Pisgah						3:00 PM	
DPI Updates	Mt Pisgah	8:30 am						
Edulog Next Generation Routing (Athena)	Mt Pilot			11:00 am				
How to Make a Vinyl Seat Repair	Mt Pilot				1:00 PM			
How to Properly Secure Wheelchairs on School Buses-Q'Straint	Mt Mitchell			11:00 am				
Navigating Political Relationships-Working with School Adm.	Blue Ridge	8:30 am						
NC Bus Inspection Certification Course (3hrs)	Bd of Educ	8:30 am						
NC Bus Inspection Certification Test (4hrs)	Bd of Educ				1:00 PM			
NTSB Recommendations on Use of Lap/Shoulder Belts & CSRS	Mt Pilot					2:15 PM		
Lunch at Noon	Exhibit Hall							
Pathwise Product Demo (Formally TransAct)	Dogwood	8:30 am						
Pathwise Training (Formally TransAct)	Dogwood		9:45 am					
Round Table for Manager and Supervisors	Blue Ridge				1:00 PM			
Seon Safe-Fleet	Dogwood					2:15 PM		
SN - Sensory Perception on the School Bus	Blue Ridge					2:15 PM		
Team Building for Staff	Blue Ridge		9:45 am					
Technology Overview for Mechanics: Email, APPS, MS Office	Blue Ridge			11:00 AM				
TIMS - Basic Routing Principles Tips and Tricks	Foxfire			11:00 AM				
TIMS - Batch Filled Data Tricks	Foxfire					2:15 PM		
TIMS - Infinite Campus	Foxfire	8:30 AM						

Tuesday June 16, 2026 Continued	**Location**	**Morning Class Times**			**Afternoon Class Times**			
TIMS - Maris Refresher Tips and Tricks	Foxfire				1:00 PM			
TIMS - Transfer Stops and Midday Runs	Foxfire		9:45 AM					
Transportation Director's Report	Mt Pisgah			11:00 AM				
White's IC Bus - Cummins Lube Oil/Coolant Flow & Diag (2hr)	Mt Mitchell	8:30 am						
White's IC Bus Next Gen EC/Lift Diagnostics	Mt Mitchell				1:00 pm			
White's IC Bus - The Next Gen Update and Overview	Mt Mitchell					2:15 PM		
Wrecker Training	EXPO Lot		9:45 am					
Wednesday, June 17, 2026	**Location**	**Morning Class Times**			**Afternoon Class Times**			
BSIP Making Corrections -Cancel & Properly Correct Errors	Mt Pisgah		9:45 am					
BSIP Odometer Readings View/Entry/Removal	Mt Pisgah	8:30 am						
Carolina Thomas Electrical Vehicles 2hrs	Mt Roan	8:30 am						
Carolina Thomas Parts Accelerator	Mt Roan			11:00 am				
Edulog Smart Bus - Tablets, Time & Attendance Ridership	Mt Pilot	8:30 am						
Leadership for Managers and Supervisors	Mt Pilot		9:45 am					
NC Best Inspector Contest - Written Exam	Mt Pilot						3:00 PM	
Professionalism in Responding to Angry Customers	Mt Pilot			11:00 AM				
School Transportation Law and Policy Review	Blue Ridge	8:30 am						
SN - Ensuring Educational Stability for Children in Foster Care	Blue Ridge		9:45 am					
SN - Requirements for Students Experiencing Homelessness	Blue Ridge			11:00 am				
TIMS - Annual Service Indicators Dashboard Tool	Foxfire		9:45 am					
TIMS - Boundary Refresher	Foxfire			11:00 am				
TIMS - Server Management	Foxfire	8:30 am						
Trade Show	Expo Center				1:00 PM			
Transportation Funding and the Budget Rating Simulator	Mt Pisgah			11:00 am				
White's IC Bus Aftertreatment Diagnostics	Mt Michell			11:00 am				
White's IC Bus TransAir/AC Preventative Maintenance (2hrs)	Mt Michell	8:30 am						
Lunch at Noon								

Thursday, June 18, 2026	**Location**	**Morning Class Times**			**1PM**	**Afternoon Classes**		
Ask The Field Guys	Mt Roan						3:30 PM	
Blue Bird New Electrical Architecture (NEA) Diagnostics & TS	Mt Pilot	8:30 AM						
Blue Bird Rifled AC Class 2 hrs.	Mt Pilot				1:00 PM			
BSIP Data Entry Tips - Best Practices	Mt Pisgah			11:00 AM				
BSIP Fuel Receipt and Issuing Via ZFuel2 and Zfuel	Mt Pisgah	8:30 am						
BSIP Work Orders TD-18 and Non-Stock Parts	Mt Pisgah						3:30 PM	
Carolina Thomas Braun Lift Service&Proper Maint Leas A-M	Mt Roan		9:45 AM					
Carolina Thomas Braun Lift Service&Proper Maint Leas N-Y	Mt Roan				1:00 PM			
Closing Session and Awards Dinner	Expo Center							6:30 PM
Director's Panel Discussion	Mt Mitchell	8:30 AM						
Edulog Smart Bus - Parent Portal, Web Query, School Tools	Mt Pilot			11:00 am				
Federal Research & Assistance: Illegal Passing Stopped Buses	Mt Roan	8:30 am						
NC Best Bus Inspector Contest - Hands On Comp	Expo Lot	6:30 AM						
Lunch at Noon	Expo Center							
Roundtable for Cost Clerks	Mt Pisgah					2:15 PM		
Roundtable for Technicians	Mt Mitchell						3:30 PM	
School Bus Evacuation	Mt Pilot						3:30 PM	
SN - Transportation as a Related Service	Blue Ridge		9:45 am					
SN - Ride Ready!	Blue Ridge	8:30 am						
SN - PSU Panel: Collaborating for Students with Special Needs	Blue Ridge				1:00 PM			
SN - Accommodations for Disabled Students with Service Animals	Blue Ridge			11:00 am				
SN - A Deep Dive into Transporting Students w/Disabilities	Blue Ridge					2:15 PM		
TD-1 Annual Report	Blue Ridge						3:30 PM	
TD-10 Bus Inventory Class (no. of Buses Operated Annually)	Mt Pisgah				1:00 PM			
TD-19 Monthly Report for Directors	Mt Pisgah		9:45 am					
TSA - Homeland Security	Mt Mitchell		9:45 am					
TSA - Homeland Security	Mt Mitchell			11:00 AM				
TIMS - Competition (Hands On 4hrs)	Foxfire	8:30 AM						
TIMS - Infinite Campus	Foxfire						3:30 PM	
TIMS - The TIMS ESQL	Foxfire					2:15 PM		
Tort Claims - Judicial Rulings Effecting LEAs	Mt Mitchell				1:00 PM			
Tort Claims - Paperwork and Procedures	Mt Mitchell					2:15 PM		