

2026 Important Calendar Dates/ Deadlines for Chapter Boards and Regions*

January 15, 2026	Signature Cards deadline
January 15, 2026	NEWH Board of Directors Meeting (IBOD) – virtual 7:30-11:00am PT / 8:30-12pm MT / 9:30-1:00pm CT / 10:30-2:00pm ET / 3:30-7:00pm GMT / 4:30-8:00pm CET
January 31, 2026	Mandatory board training deadline (for voting board members)
February 26, 2026	Summer NEWH Magazine deadline
February 28, 2026	Chapter Business Plan and Budget due to NEWH, Inc.
March 5, 2026	TopID info sent to chapters/regions. Chapter/Regions are to get the word out to qualifying firms in their area - nominations due June 12
February 26, 2026	Summer NEWH Magazine deadline
March 17, 2026	NEWH, Inc. emails TopID Nominations forms to candidate firms
April 6, 2026	Board Meeting Delegate Reports due to NEWH Inc.
May 4, 2026: 9:30am – 1:00pm PT	NEWH Board of Directors Meeting – Las Vegas, NV
June 12, 2026	TopID Nomination forms from Candidate Firms due <i>(no extensions)</i> Judging to take place June 12-July 31
June 7, 2026	Fall NEWH Magazine deadline
July 3, 2026	Travel reimbursements from IBOD Las Vegas meeting due
August 1, 2026	TopID winners due! Chapters/Regions to submit three final TopID winners with nomination forms to Diane Federwitz at the NEWH, Inc. Office
August 3, 2026	Call for Board Nominations – Chapter members submit nominations for their 2027 chapter board
September 2, 2026	Winter NEWH Magazine deadline
September 11, 2026	Board Nominations – Chapter Nominations Chair to return completed 2027 board slate to NEWH, Inc. – NEWH to send out ballot 9/24
October 5, 2026	TopID awards shipped to Chapter presidents/Regional chairs.
October 15 – December 18, 2026	Chapters and Regions can announce 2027 winners during a TopID event Oct 15-Dec 18. If your chapter chooses not to notify your finalists/present the award at an event during this time, you will have the opportunity to notify them in whatever manner you feel best suits this great honor. Be sure they are notified of the news before Dec 18 th !
October 10, 2026	Board Meeting Delegate Reports due to NEWH, Inc.
November 7, 2026: 12:30pm – 4:00pm ET	NEWH International Board of Directors Meeting – New York, NY
December 21, 2026	Travel reimbursements from IBOD New York meeting due
December 29, 2026	TopID 2027 recipients are posted on the NEWH website.
February 3, 2027	NEWH Board of Directors Meeting (IBOD) – virtual 7:30-11:00am PT / 8:30-12pm MT / 9:30-1:00pm CT / 10:30-2:00pm ET / 3:30-7:00pm GMT / 4:30-8:00pm CET

***Ongoing deadlines – submissions to NEWH Inc.:**

Approved board minutes submitted within 30 days of board meeting

Approved memberships submitted to NEWH Inc. within 30 days of receiving

Results of Activity reports submitted 45 days after event

Event RSVP final collections due 10 days after event (checks/credit cards)