

Health Safety Meeting Notes 2020-2021

1. Committee Officers selected
 - Chair- Michelle Billings
 - Secretary- Elisha Cohen
2. Current Health, Safety and Wellness Policy distributed to committee members for review
 - Updated in 2018
 - Pg 3 products sold on campus will have nutrition information readily available
 - Can something be posted near the point of purchase/ food cart given the current state of lunch distribution. In the hallway or on the cart and in the cafeteria, perhaps on dry erase magnet board on the side of the cart?.
 - No recommended changes at this time
3. District-Wide School Safety Plan distributed to committee members for review
 - Last BOE Meeting 10/8- District Wide School Safety Plan was approved
 - adjustments would be a moot point, review in spring?
 - No recommended changes at this time
4. Backpack Program to resume October 23, 2020
 - 12 students enrolled
 - 1 monthly food bank pick up
 - FCS room use (approved room for program) will be difficult due to covid room use.
 - No outside volunteers can help at this time.
 - How long does the process usually take
 - 2 hours for 1 person
 - With volunteers 1 hour
 - This may be a huge undertaking with 1/month delivery- what about pre-approved packing support, such as subs who are already approved to be in the building
 - 3 dismissal times to keep on our radar
5. Long Lake Lions Club applying for the Brandel-Murphy Lions Youth Grant to help financially support LLC's Backpack Program for the 2021-2022 school year
 - Application grant up to \$1400, included multiple grants. Lion's Club to apply for us.
6. Review the NYS DOH PreK-12 COVID-19 Guidelines for Schools
 - Frequent changes
 - Many covid-related symptoms overlap with nurses frequent flyers' common concerns
 - Clarify- If siblings are asymptomatic they don't have to stay home according to guidance
 - BUT due to the makeup and combination of our district we have decided for safety that it is best for siblings to go home. If a family does not see a doctor, ill students are treated as covid-positive.
 - DOH Hamilton Co figuring out where and who for rapid testing
7. Flu prevention awareness: Walgreens held a flu vaccination clinic at school for students and faculty/staff on 10/8/20. Eleven students and 17 faculty/staff received flu vaccines.
 - Success!

8. Fire Drills completed on 9/18/20, 9/23/20 and 10/15/20. Lock Down Drill completed on 10/1/20. Both drills incorporated social-distancing and the wearing of face masks.
 - Success!
9. Emergency Bus Evacuation Drill for PreK thru 12 completed on 9/17/20
 - Success!
10. LLCs welcomes the District's social service dog, Reggie!
 - Very exciting for all, students and staff alike
 - Kristin working with Elisha to help expose Reggie to older students for planned visits with the goal of being able to borrow him on the fly when a student is in crisis
11. Discuss ideas for promoting optimal physical and emotional health and wellness
 - Self-care on morning announcements
 - promoting hobbies other than computer time for mental health
 - Self-care focus for group and to share that- BRAINSTORM
 - Intramural sports- but concern with any contact with balls
 - School options aside for screen related
 - Concerns with finding adults to supervise
 - Circuit training on school property for training, students or adults
 - Noelle & Hannah have come up with athletic choice board- concern is depending on kids to do it on their own and need socialization/camaraderie
 - Outing Club first event on 10/29 to Coney Mtn.

Meeting

- 4 times year minimum is required, this is a good year for following that plan
 - All in agreement
 - Can use alternative months to put away food for backpack program
- Can we do in-person meetings with facemasks? As Mike would be the only person coming in from the outside as is already coming in for BOE mtgs. We are more of a risk to him than he is to us.

Keeping in contact with Shared Decision Making Committee - Hobby promotion

Next Meeting: 2:45 on Wednesday 12/2 in FCS Room