

Health, Safety & Wellness Committee - Items of note.

October 19, 2016, High School Library, 7:30 am to 7:52 am

Attendance: Tina Pine, Mike Corey, Duane Finch, Emily Blanchard

Committee members looked at new concerns for this year along with ideas that were brought up during the previous school year.

- Mike mentioned the involvement he's had over the past half-year with Hamilton County and the development of a county-wide Crisis Response Team. He had information about this school's own "School Safety Team" and who is on this team, naming the folks there. That school building team is different from the Hamilton County crisis group; there will likely be a southern and a northern team. Mike said that the County is looking for team member suggestions: Duane Finch, Tina Pine, Emily Blanchard, Tony Clark, Vickie Snide, Mike Corey, Angie Gaudet, Jeanne Kozloski, Carl Turner were all mentioned as potential names.
- Mike was asked if he would contact Aimee Harkness about her thoughts/suggestions for crisis team members, as she has a background in advocacy. Mike will follow up on this.
- Suggestions were made to find a way to include NCS and TLCS in this effort, since some Long Lake students either attend one of these other schools or students from those schools attend LLCs.
- Duane mentioned the need for developing a SOP/guideline for figuring out who from the school would go if the call came for the County Crisis Response team to respond somewhere in the county during a school day.
- Tina brought up the need to develop a bulletin board that shows pictures of healthy activities school staff are involved with in order to help model busy, active lives. She suggested 2-5 photos that could be gathered from various staff in which healthy activities are depicted. The bulletin board outside the elementary library was suggested. Emily volunteered to set up this board.
- Duane pointed out a potential safety issue: when food deliveries (e.g.) are made at school, the doors are propped open and anyone can wander in and out of the building. A better system that stresses safety/security is needed.
- Tina suggested that anyone who is not a regular staff person and who has keys should sign in with the sheet in Lisa and Vickie's room. This would help to ensure that everyone in the building is accounted for in case of an emergency. Kristie will

be asked about who had keys to the building and how these folks can be better monitored.

The next meeting date was not discussed, but here's a suggested date/time: **Wednesday, November 16, at 7:30 am in the High School library. Please let me know if this suggested date will work with you.**

With obvious sincerity,

Mike Corey