

Wellness Council Meeting Minutes

May 25, 2022

Members:

Colleen Murray (Superintendent)	Marjorie Nusom (School Psychologist)
Jackie Nathman (Climate & Instruction Specialist)	Kate Beeman (Teacher)
Donna Ricciardi (BOE Lunch Program Coordinator)	Marie Bartels (Parent)
Caitlin Bruni (Nurse)	Dr. Jennifer Kapo (Parent)
Peter Ferrara (Chartwells)	Jennifer Searles (Parent)
Andrea Hubbard (Literacy Coach)	

Attending: Colleen Murray, Jackie Nathman, Donna Ricciardi, Caitlin Bruni, Peter Ferrara, Jennifer Searles (arrived at 3:42 p.m.)

Absent: Andrea Hubbard, Marjorie Nusom, Kate Beeman, Marie Bartels, Dr. Jennifer Kapo

Visitors: Kai Byrd

Call to Order

1. Mrs. Ricciardi called the meeting to order at 3:31 p.m. via Zoom.

Approval of Minutes

1. **Motion** by Murray, seconded by Bruni, to approve the April 20, 2022 meeting minutes as presented. *The motion carries 5 yes, 5 absent (Beeman, Hubbard, Nusom, Bartels, Kapo, Searles)*

Agenda

1. Recap of Health Fair/Food Trucks/5K Run
 - a. Mrs. Bruni provided a recap on the Health Fair
 - i. Participation was good.
 - ii. Vendors said they would return if we do it again.
 - iii. Signage needs to be better.
 - iv. Thank you notes will be mailed out.
 - b. Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Ricciardi provided a recap on the Food Trucks
 - i. Need to be sure the food truck has been inspected/approved by QVHD

- ii. Should request a deposit (approximately \$200) from each food truck showing a commitment.
- c. Ms. Nathman provided a recap on the Fun Run
 - i. It went well, messy but fun.
 - ii. The heats separated by grade worked out well.
- d. Mrs. Ricciardi provided a recap on the 5K Run
 - i. More signage is needed for directions to Health Fair, Bathrooms, Start and End of race, etc.
 - ii. 5K/Fun Run registration tables need to be together for better communication
 - iii. Feedback from Dave Merriam and CERT was that parking went well.
 - iv. Keep one spreadsheet up to date with all sponsors and donations.
 - v. Separate committee/chairperson to oversee the 5K route setup and cleanup
 - vi. There is a lot of color powder leftover. Consider selling some to the middle school for their fall color run.
 - vii. Consider making a pamphlet or program of events with locations/campus map
 - viii. Thank you notes have been mailed out.
 - ix. Total race proceeds to date are \$19,429.68.
 - x. Yale New Haven Health is sending a check for \$1,500.
- e. Mrs. Murray added that the District has \$7,227 in a wellness account that will be put toward the track project.

Future agenda items

- Approval of the May 25, 2022 minutes
- 2022-2023 ConnectiCare Wellness Dollars Discussion

Adjournment Meeting adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Next meeting: TBD