



Health and Safety Minutes
Wednesday December 7, 2022

Albertville Primary

Meagan Phillips – Music

Big Woods

Corey Hanson – Physical Education

Community Education Center

Lisa Becker – Kids Play Coordinator

District Office

Jason Bichler – B&G

Josh Reyo – District Maintenance

Glen Ritter – Food Service

Michelle Hayes – Human Resources

St. Michael Elementary

Brian Bebeau - Custodial

Health

Andrea Mischke – District Nurse

High School

Joe Peatrowsky – HS CHO

Lisa Maas - SPED

Fieldstone Elementary

Jeanette Aanerud - Principal

Middle School East

Gerald Bade - Custodial

Middle School West

Rick Auwles – Custodial

Other

Daniel Holcomb – IEA

Approve October 2022 Meeting Minutes:

Minutes were approved by the committee.

Review Injury Reports

Since the beginning of the policy renewal on September 8, we have had eight medical losses (4 contusions, 3 punctures, and 1 strain). Seven incident only reports have been submitted since the last safety committee meeting (5 contusions, 1 puncture, and 1 strain).

Old Business

Winter Walking Safety Video – Video was completed and has been sent out to spread awareness of proper footwear and walking on snow/icy surfaces. The video will be sent out again this week.

Formaldehyde Meeting with HS Science – Jason Bichler and IEA met with the biology department to go over the results from last year (above the action level). We all decided on increasing the ventilation during the dissection lab days (notify Jason a week in advance). IEA to resample for Formaldehyde until two consecutive samples are below the action level. The department also switched to Carolina Biology Supply Company preservatives. The company has conducted simulated dissection labs with very low exposure results.

ADA Parking Improvements (Between BW & MSE) – This has been completed with no issues reported.

Fieldstone Traffic Concern/Improvements – A crosswalk was installed in the back of the building. A lot more foot traffic from the new developments. Worked with the city for a new blinking light off the main road. Traffic has gotten a lot better than this fall.

New Business

Inspections – Fume Hoods/Science Lab/Emergency Eyewash & Showers (12/5) – Completed on Monday at HS/MSW/MSE for science classrooms and all buildings for eyewash/showers (kitchen/dish rooms, boiler rooms, custodial). Fume Hoods tested within recommended range (80-150 fpm).

Indoor Air Quality Walkthroughs (1/30 – 2/2) – Every year, IEA conducts an IAQ assessment of all rooms and offices in the district to measure different IAQ parameters (Temperature, Humidity, CO, CO2) and observe any moisture issues. These measurements and observations help the district identify any ventilation issues and concerns.

Building Ventilation Assessments – Occur in the spring when the snow has thawed and it's safe to work and walk on the roof. Inspect accessible mechanical units and compartments (filters, fan, dampers). This checklist is used to compare with the automated system controls to verify the control system is operating correctly.

AHERA Inspections – Inspections occurred today. Required every 6 months for STME, AP, CE. Required by EPA for public school districts that have asbestos in the buildings. The inspector verifies that the asbestos is in good condition and not a hazard.

Automotive Lift Training – Required training for Grounds. Developing training to complete in January or February.

Door Usage and Recess During Snow Events – Snow removal around recess area will not occur if students are outside for student safety reasons. Try to have people to use the main door areas during snow events. Very difficult to maintain all doors during heavy snowfall days.

Open Discussion

None

If you have health and safety questions or suggestions – feel free to contact your buildings safety committee representative!

Next Meeting: 2/1/2023

Location: Middle School West Staff Development Room

Time: 3:30 p.m.