

MINUTES

School Health Advisory Council

Date | time 10/7/2020 12:00 PM | *Meeting called to order by* Suzanne Hamilton

In Attendance:

Parents/Families: Jonathan Grant, Keli Jackson-Freeman

Students: Abigail Zimmerman, Esmerelda Castillo, Nadia Barragan, Claire Smith, Callah Carlson, Ar'Rhiannon Griffith

Community Members: Dr. Iliana Neumann, Dr. Emilie Cunningham, Emily Green, Ashley Williams

Waco ISD Employees: Dina Hoffman, Amy Brown, Cindy Cates, Susanne Hamilton, Pam Fischer, Kyle Debeer, Dr. Susan Kincannon, Josh Wucher, Lisa Saxenian, Dr. Raquel Warren, Yolanda Williams, David Williams, Joe Emmons, Caitlin Kelley, Dr. Kathy Wigtil

Health and Wellness Information:

Introductions made by attendees.

Ms. Hamilton introduces SHAC information and reviews powerpoint. Attendees will receive a google form to agree to serve on the SHAC this school year.

Health Services- Mr. Debeer reviews the contact tracing process, an overview of COVID-19 in the district and gives information on current cases in Waco ISD. Mr. Grant asks for clarification on contact tracing process.

Child Nutrition - Mr. Emmons gave an update on the dinner program, meal service to go and the current process of meal service in cafeterias and in the classroom.

Physical Education- Ms. Fischer reviews COVID-19 changes and protocol specific to physical education. Introduces the Partner PE Program.

Health Education- Ms. Kelley introduces the health education topics that SHAC will review this year; sex education curriculum for 9th grade. She will also work on adaptations of health education for Special Education students, online versions of the curriculum and planning a parent night.

Counseling- Ms. Cates, Ms. Brown and Ms. Hoffman discussed Bullying Awareness Month, Drug/Alcohol Awareness month, No Place for Hate Program that is taking place on all WISD campuses. Dr. Wigtil gave an update on the homeless outreach department specific to COVID-19 implications for her families.

School Safety: Chief Williams gave an update on officers patrolling school zones. He also showed illegal substances that had been confiscated before ending up on a Waco ISD campus. Discussed WISD officers receiving training for NARCAN, nurses will be trained next. WISD PD will host a trunk or treat for the community.

Ms. Hamilton introduced topics that the SHAC will be focusing on this year. We will review the opioid addiction and abuse education, health education as a graduation requirement and the change in 9th grade sex education curriculum.

Parent/Student & Public comment

Castillo: Asked that we continue to remind students and staff of the importance of social distancing.

Next Meeting

December 2 at 12:00 on Zoom - Link to be sent Meeting was adjourned by Ms. Hamilton

Approved Minutes on: _____

Signature of Co-Chair: _____