

# UPPER LAKE HIGH SCHOOL HOME OF THE MIGHTY COUGARS

## SITE COUNCIL MINUTES

August, 25, 2020

### Attendance:

Annie Petrie (Principal), Paul Holt (Teacher), Suzanne Feeley (Parent), Anna Sabalone (Teacher), Dani Pena (Staff), Angel Huntley (Parent)

### Not Present:

Radie Krueger (Staff)

### Welcome and Introductions:

Amber Hoffman, Sabrina Hoffman and Tiffany Hunter

### Review and Approve Minutes:

Suzanne motioned to approve minutes. Paul Seconds. All approved.

### Public Input:

Suzanne asked for the budget for next year.

### Election Ballots:

Melanie- No

Angel- Undecided

Suzanne- Yes has one year in her 2 year term

Dani- No

### State of the school:

-Annie explained that 2 minimum days are not enough for staff to address the needs of our school and students.

-Angel, Melanie, and Suzanne all agree that more than 2 minimum days a month are needed and should start as soon as possible.

### Back to School Night:

-Annie went over time and flow of the night.

-Angel suggested the teachers record themselves at BTSN so families that could not make it can watch it at a more convenient time for them.

### LECAP Review:

- Annie introduced the Learning Continuity and Attendance Plan (LeCAP)

- Paul, Anna, and Annie read through the Distance Learning AND Mental Health and Social and Emotional Well-Being.

-Tiffany Hunter Suggested access to tutors for Distance Learners as well as a counselor or teacher to reach to let them know their students are falling behind.

-Angel suggested the tutors should get started sooner rather than later. Kids need help and parents need help.

-Paul suggested the Cougar Study club could be used to support kids.

Social and Emotional Learning (SEL):

Annie asked if there are any ideas for Homeroom. What do parents feel the kids need during that time.

-Tiffany Hunter feels that the homeroom time slot is for the parents to make sure the kids are prepared for the day.

-Paul said checking in with DL is harder because you don't get that face to face connection and kids who are more shy and don't feel comfortable talking to the teacher do not. It's hard to know if they are ok or if they actually do need help whereas in a classroom setting you can pick up on that.

-Annie would like to have a more robust plan for SEL

Lost Zoom at 4:25

Reconnected at 4:30

Special Meeting: September 8, 2020 at 3:30 to approve LeCAP before it goes to the Board.

Angel motioned to approve. Suzanne seconded. All approved

Next Meeting: September 29, 2020 at 3:30

Suzanne motioned to approve. Paul seconded. All approved.

Meeting adjourned at 4:39

Suzanne motioned to adjourn. Amber Hoffman seconded. All approved.