

Rush-Henrietta Central School District

Team Name:	District Wellness Committee
Date of Meeting:	4/21/26
Facilitator/Recorder:	Sharon Harris
Members Present:	Christine Cravatta, Joe Jackson, Heather Kemper, Todd Russo, Barb Christiansen, Sharon Harris, Geraldo Torres, Mike Neary, Lily Pro, Rosalie Sullivan
TOPIC	Agenda Item Notes
Introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome Everyone
School Counseling Advisory Council - Joe Jackson and Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 years in to K-12 plan, time to take a look at lessons again, create 6th grade career lesson Re-evaluate transition activities into the junior high school Smart goal 5 - Career development was focus this year, in Naviance Graduation awareness and academic challenges - Post-secondary planning, stressors, barriers
Health Services - Sharon Harris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have had nurse shifts. Burger nurse released, part-time SHS nurse has moved to full-time at Burger. Norman Howard School will be full time next year - Leary nurse will be moving. Open will be Leary, full-time float, and part-time SHS
Food services - Geraldo Torres	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Summer meals program July 6 - Aug 14 at the SHS serving students 18 yrs and under. Must eat on site. Enter through door 5 (ramp). Work with Keena on field study, Innive MTSS, correlation between breakfast/lunch participation and behavior for students. Created a new widget that links breakfast and lunch of that student into Innive. Impact on cognitive growth.
Facilities - Derek Brown	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Physical Education/Athletics Update - Jeff Onze/Ashley Pierce	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planning summer training hours for the Weight Room and Wellness Center, with a focus on creating an environment that encourages broader student participation. One area we are especially interested in strengthening is female engagement in the space, and we are exploring ways to make the room more welcoming and accessible for all students. In addition, we are considering the introduction of a community hour once or twice per week to allow greater connection with our school community. We are also looking into offering a small number of wellness or fitness classes during the summer in the room directly attached to the weight room, which could provide additional opportunities for students and potentially staff to stay active and engaged. Another topic of focus is the condition of our outdoor fields and facilities. We are extremely fortunate to have such a strong footprint across our athletic spaces, and maintaining those areas remains a priority. One exciting improvement tied to funding from our most recent capital project

	<p>will be the installation of a six-lane, all-weather track at Roth, which will be placed over the existing cinder track. Along with the track upgrade, the infield area will also be improved to create a safer and more reliable playing surface for our students and teams. The Roth work is supposed to begin this summer and run through next spring. These updates will help ensure that our facilities continue to support safe training, competition, and community use for years to come.</p>
School Counseling Advisory Council - Joe Jackson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finalizing URM to SHS next year • Finish 3 years of improvement in mental health, present to board coming up • Mental health work is CoSered through BOCES • Connecting for kids model, Professional development • Adding social worker at 4-6 level
Recruitment & Retention - Christine Cravatta	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biometric screens and employee wellness/challenges. • Corporate Challenge? • Upbeat data - staff recognition
Community Coalition - Barb Christensen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grant application has been submitted
Roundtable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunday was the hall of fame induction for students - 50th - did a time capsule - will open in 10 years. This year they were able to put messages in for those in 10 years.
NEXT MEETING	<p>October 2026 at the Webster Learning Center Conference Room from 3:30-4:30</p>