Catasauqua Area School District
Safety Committee

June 10, 2026 9:15 AM

MINUTES

Present: Churetta, Fendrick, Moll, Redline, Shoemaker, Smeaton, Tercha, Wallace, Zellner
Absent: Mooney
Guest: Keffer

Call to Order Moll called the meeting to order at 9:15 AM.

Approval of Minutes from May, 2026 Meeting Motion by Zellner, seconded by Shoemaker.

Review of Incidence:

Old Incidence:

Incident: Aide at Sheckler hit on head with object thrown by student.
Recommendation: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Resolution: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.

Incident: Aide at Sheckler hit with toy bin by student.
Recommendation: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Resolution: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.

Incident: Van driver hit on shoulder by student.
Recommendation: Student was changed to another vehicle with a new driver.
Resolution: Student was changed to another vehicle with a new driver.
Recommendation Reply Back: Student was changed to another vehicle with a new driver.

Incident: Driver's ankle buckled when stepping out of van.
Recommendation: Be more careful when entering/exiting a vehicle.
Resolution: Will be more careful when entering/exiting a vehicle.
Recommendation Reply Back: Driver will be more careful when entering/ exiting a vehicle.

Incident: Aide at Sheckler bit on forearm by student during escalated behavior.
Recommendation: Be more aware of students during escalated behaviors.
Resolution: Will be more aware of students during escalated behaviors.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will be more aware of students during escalated behaviors.

Incident: Assistant Principal at Sheckler scratched and hit on face and student pulling on ears.
Recommendation: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Resolution: Use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will use CPI training and be aware of students during escalated behavior.

New Incidence:

Incident: Aide at CMS rolled ankle while outside during recess with students.
Recommendation: Be more aware when walking outside.
Resolution: Will be more aware when walking outside with students.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will be more aware when walking outside.

Incident: Teacher at Sheckler shut door on fingers.
Recommendation: Be more aware when doors are closing.
Resolution: Will be more aware when doors are closing.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will be more aware.

Incident: Aide at Sheckler was bit on lower back by a student while in cafeteria.
Recommendation: Keep eyes on students at all times.
Resolution: Keep eyes on students.
Recommendation Reply Back: Will keep eyes on students.

Incident: Van driver was sitting in driver seat when her van was bumped by another bus - no injury.
Recommendation: No recommendation.

Resolution: No resolution.
Recommendation Reply Back: No reply back.

2nd Quarter Walk Through - Outside Areas
Transportation - Moll/Mooney
CHS - Shoemaker/Wallace/Zellner - COMPLETED
CMS - Redline/Fendrick - COMPLETED
Sheckler - Smeaton/Tercha/Churetta - COMPLETED

3rd Quarter Walk Through - Storage Areas
Transportation - Smeaton/Churetta
CHS - Moll/Mooney
CMS - Wallace/Zellner
Sheckler - Redline/Fendrick

Vesper Services Annual Training -
COMPLETED - Churetta, Moll, Mooney, Redline, Shoemaker, Smeaton, Tercha, Wallace, Zellner
INCOMPLETE - Fendrick

Review of OSHA Reporting Requirements This will be discussed next meeting.

Approval of Meeting Dates for 26/27 School Year

Other
Committee thanked Shoemaker and Tercha for their years of service on the Safety Committee and congratulated them on their retirement.

New members were elected to the committee to begin immediately: motion by Zellner to recommend Shelley Keffer to the committee, seconded by Wallace. Motion by Wallace to recommend James Kessler to the committee; seconded by Shoemaker.

ADJOURNMENT Motion by Tercha to adjourn meeting at 9:52 AM; seconded by Shoemaker.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, July 16, 2026 at 9:15 AM in the District Administration Office.