

## WESTERLY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### Health & Wellness Sub-Committee Meeting

Tuesday, September 17, 2019

5:00 PM

Babcock Hall, Highland Grille

23 Highland Ave, Westerly, RI 02891

### Minutes

1. Call to Order

D. Bowdy called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m. In addition to D. Bowdy, the following members were in attendance: J. Perrin, A. Storey, M. Herard, K. Wetherill, A. Iadevaia, C. Buxton, M. Chicas and C. Santilli. J. Reale was recording secretary.

2. Approval of Minutes from 5-21-19 and 6-10-19

The minutes were tabled due to lack of quorum. Minutes were discussed.

M. Herard updated the subcommittee on action stations, hot chocolate machine at the High School and student advisory changes. She also mentioned switching out the deli station with a tortilla station at the High School.

A. Iadevaia stated she did not meet with Town Manager, M. Rooney regarding the Substance Abuse Task Force. Town Councilor, Sharon Ahern is working on creating an ordinance for the task force.

3. Food Service Report

a. Summer Program

M. Herard stated programs at all sites did great this summer. The library did exceptionally well compared to prior years. Craig Field was also added as an additional site this year.

4. Substance Abuse Task Force Report

A. Iadevaia reported Hidden in Plain Sight will be set up at WMS during Parent's Night and at WHS during Open House.

5. Old Business

a. Charter Revision

The Charter will be put on the November agenda to vote to recommend to School Committee for approval.

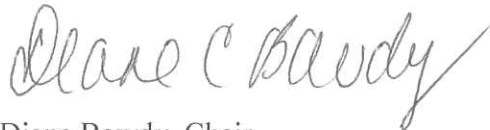
b. Policy 5010 Revision

Policy 5010 will be put on the November agenda to vote to recommend to School Committee for approval.

6. New Business
  - a. Planned Events for 19-20 School Year  
Reviewed events from last year and discussed ways to get better attendance for future events.
7. Future Agenda Items
  - Food Ambassador's Program follow-up
8. Other
  - C. Buxton introduced Healthy Bodies Healthy Minds' website.
  - K. Wetherill reminded subcommittee members of the RI Healthy Schools Coalition annual breakfast on October 10<sup>th</sup>.
9. Adjournment

C. Santilli moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:05 pm, seconded by J. Perrin.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Diane C Bowdy". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Diane Bowdy, Chair  
Health & Wellness Subcommittee