

Health and Wellness Committee, Botelle School Meeting Minutes

Botelle Board of Education Room

Apr 9, 2024

9:00am

Attendance: Lauren Valentino, Keondra Dillard, Mary Beth Iacobelli, Ashley Buono, Virginia Coleman-Prisco, Salli Szczeziul

Absent: Janet Byrne

AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Review and approve the last meeting's minutes. M. Iacobelli motioned to approve and L. Valentino seconded. Motion carries.

2. Receive Respiratory Viral Disease (Covid, Flu, RSV) updates.

K. Dillard: DPH and the State Department of Ed published an update on the duration of respiratory diseases. Stay home and away from others for 24 hours after symptoms (fever ends) improve. They recommend that people wear masks and keep their distance for 5 days.

3. Brooker Dental Clinic update.

K. Dillard: 16-18 students are being seen in the program under the grant both in the school and in their location during the school calendar year. The grant funding program will continue under the regional grant.

4. Update and planning for Naloxone.

M. Iacobelli: we have a policy that is comprehensive regarding medical "Administration of Student Medications in the Schools" that covers medicines like epinephrine and glucagon. Naloxone has been added to it. The policy will be presented to the board, but it does not need a full vote since it isn't a new policy. School administration will schedule training in May for personnel who need to be trained. They also need to be CPR certified. Local trainings are happening.

5. New Business

Earth Day on April 22, 2024. Activities are scheduled throughout the day. One activity is led by NWR7 Ag students and staff. Our students will plant seeds and then transplant them to the garden when ready for a Salsa garden.

Meeting adjourned at 9:58pm