



Reimagining and Reopening of School Committee
Virtual Meeting
Wednesday, May 27, 2020
9:30 am - 11:30 am

Minutes

Present: Ron Drzewicki, Rick Brooks, Adrienne Barna, Matt Stuard, Liz Evans, Christopher Mumby, Lance Delbridge, Ted Berryhill, Mike Prelesnik, Kevin Dufresne, Angie Vandecar, Shana Barnum, Deb Disbro, Kevin Jones, Kevin Doty, Corrinne Karpinski, Chris Salmon, Beth Bousfield, Laura Lange, Brian Martel, Lily Vogel, Jen Sauser, AmySue Hopkins, Beth Bailey, Lynn Goedert, Suzie West, Jan Alleman, Kerrie Uphaus, Erin Eters, Michelle Faist, Rachel Brander, Christy Surato, Deanna Bartlett, Nick Minnaar

Not available: Greg Lattig

Welcome and Introductions

Ron welcomed the committee members and the group introduced themselves. Ron shared details regarding the content available to the committee in the shared drive.

Mission and Vision

Ron shared that the mission of the group is to develop plans for the education of students this fall. The first day of school is scheduled for August 26, 2020.

Review of guidance documents and materials (jigsaw)

The committee broke into four groups to review and discuss guidance documents and materials.

District reopening options

The committee discussed options for K-12 learning. If allowable under guidelines, students may return in August and resume face-to-face learning. The district will prepare for an all online instruction option. The third option discussed was a hybrid approach. The committee will determine if the options will align or differ according to the grade level.

Formation of subcommittees

Ron shared the process of the subcommittee structure. Jen Sauser recommended adding a secondary special education teacher and specials teacher. Christopher recommended pulling in additional teachers for subcommittee work to address all areas.

The committee members should email Becky their top two choices for work on subcommittees.

The first subcommittee meeting should take place prior to the next full committee meeting on June 5, 2020.

Timeline

The committee discussed a timeline for their work.

Communications

Ron shared the draft of a press release about the formation and work of the committee.

Next Steps

Discuss and develop options for the delivery of instruction in the fall.

Next meeting Friday, June 5th from 1-3 pm