

COVID-19 Response Team Meeting Minutes

October 1, 2021

Members Present:

Tim Paquette, Kelly Avery, Lester Brent, Jacqui McGettigan, Sue Rubbe

Absent with notice: Fire Chief Steve Heath, Trish Temperino, Deputy Fire Chief Bob Bousquet, Police Chief Will Ulwick

1. Review of September 24, 2021 minutes

Minutes will be amended to indicate Police Chief Will Ulwick was not in attendance.

2. Staff Meeting Reminder

At the upcoming staff meeting, Mrs. Avery will remind staff that they need to self-monitor and stay home if they have new and/or unexplained symptoms. Discussion followed regarding procedures if a staff member comes to work with cold like symptoms. Mrs. Avery will seek advice from our Human Resources Department.

3. Use of Facilities by Outside Organizations Follow Up

The request from a Tai Chi group to use the gym in November will be brought to the school board for final approval on Tuesday, October 5th. Mrs. McGettigan will work with Mr. Paquette to create a list of protocols to be followed while in the gym. If approved by the School Board, Mrs. McGettigan will follow up with the group coordinator and will provide him with this new information.

4. Sibling Quarantine

When a student tests positive, any sibling or household contact who is an AES student, needs to quarantine while the positive student is isolating and then for an additional 10 days past their last contact with the positive individual. If household contacts are able to truly separate from one another, the additional 10 days may not be required. Mrs. Rubbe has extensive conversations and provides lots of education to parents when a student tests positive. She specifically asks for how they plan to isolate other household contacts. Although we provide the information and we can exclude quarantining and isolating students from attending school, we are not able to enforce the quarantine or isolation within the community.

5. Next meeting

The next COVID-19 Response Team meeting will be held on Friday, October 8, 2021 at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Jacqui McGettigan
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