FOR SCHOOL HEALTH COUNCIL March 30, 2017



3:15 p.m. Central Administration Board Room

Members of SHC: :

Brian Bliss- Superintendent
Sue Myers-School Nurse
Jacob Snyder Student Representative
Matt Kirkhoff-Director of Food Service and Transportation
Dawn Kreider-Wellness and Fitness Instructor
Nikki Bender -School Nurse
Rebecca Gajecki –Principal QE
David Beard-Asst Principal Smith
Christina McLaughlin-Principal Providence

Rob Dangler-Assistant Superintendent Jill Almoney-FACS Middle Schools Andrea Cook -School Nurse

Paul Plechner-School Board Member Sue Lackman-LGH Wellness Sandy Haines-Principal Bart John Dolan-Asst Principal Swift Kay Bandy-Principal Clermont

Member Present: Dr. Brian Bliss, Sue Myers, Andrea Cook, Jill Almoney, Megan Minchoff, Kay Bandy

Old Business:

- 1. Student Act Out Loud, Prom Promise: 5/19/17 Act Out Loud Rally. Andrea Cook has several vendors lined up to attend that day for the 9-12 kids. One week before there is an all school assembly with Impact team. The Senior class will have the afternoon of 5/19/17 with a mock trauma crash by LGH Trauma team. There will be daily fact events and prizes on the 3 days prior to the rally. Andrea and her high school interns have gathered prizes for this event and for the 10 weeks to Graduation. Each week a safety fact/statistic is presented with drawings for prizes for the senior students. Prom Promise is held in conjuction with all these events.
- 2. **Wellness Policy Review and Updates: Dr. Bliss :** Dr. Bliss has attended a webinar and is working on the evaluation component of the wellness policy which may mean a self-evaluation tool. The State plan is for an audit every 3 years. Sue will send her electronic files of all school health council events to Dr. Bliss for auditing purposes.
- 3. **Purposeful Recess:** Nikki Bender was not able to be present due to nurse covereage issues. Attached are her reports on recess and the information she obtained at the Lighten up Event.
- 4. **Trauma Informed Schools:** Dr. Bliss stated that Penn State will present a program to staff at the August trainings and it will be a kick off to many more presentations and programs.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. **LGH Wellness updates:** Sue Lackman not present but shared a "School Garden" flyer. A good discussion proceeded about exploring "hydroponic" gardening to be used for the school season since our growing season is during the off school season.
- 2. Report of Food Services: Megan Minchoff reported that special meals are lined up for PSSA's breakfast.

- 3. What good is happening in the schools? Elementary schools are doing Jump Rope for Heart, and some are doing the Race for Education or Be Wise Exercise. The Family Engagement Events are very popular offering fun physical activities for the entire families.
- 4. Jacob Snyder **our student representative** will be graduating and has nominated his sister for his position. We hope she will be able to attend the May meeting.

Next Meeting Schedule 5/18/17

3:15 at the Central Administration Board Room