

RJHS School Council Meeting Minutes

Jan. 13/22

Attendance: Natalie Ball, Jen Wegwitz, Connie Shurtz, Carmen Lowry, Alana Sala, Jared Heggie, and Tyler Rundquist.

1. Principal's Info: Jared Heggie**2022/23 Division Calendar**

- Discussion regarding holidays, PD days and Start/ End dates for proposed calendar. Feedback given to take back to district.

Queens University Survey (Mental health and wellness Survey)

- Do we want to participate in it?
- Would the feedback be useful?
- If we decide to go ahead, would it be more beneficial to send the surveys home to complete as families, or with parental consent, complete them at school?
- We would have more accurate results if they were completed at school as most students would do them. If they were done at home, only a few families would remember to send them back.

Rapid Tests went home

- Parents could choose to decline them
- Participation in using them is optional

Talent Show, January 27

- A few parent judges are required
- Excited to get this activity going again, so far there aren't too many students signed up

Report Cards

- PDF report card will be sent out
- Marks will be archived at this point and will count towards final grade
- Good time to check if there are any missing assignments and get them in

Division Meeting

- January 21 9:30-11:30
- Two council members and principal to attend
- Will be over Zoom due to growing Covid cases

Covid

- Lockdowns going forward will be a regional approach based on individual classes. There is no contact tracing.
- There have not been large numbers of students absent due to illness as of yet.
- Substitute teachers are in short supply

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2. **Council Chair: Carmen Lowry**

ASCA Conference April 21-24

- Carmen Lowry and Jen Wegwitz will attend

\$500 ASCA

- Jared will check into what happened to it and how to access it.

Candy Crush

- February 14
- Parent Volunteers needed to pass out Candy
- 3 morning, 3 afternoon

How to improve Reading and Studying

- Discussion re holding information session about helping students at home with literacy and better study skills



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3. Council Members

Alana Sala

Reported that paperwork for society status sent in the mail Oct. 21/21.

Meetings

Monthly meetings will continue to be held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 8:30PM. This was previously discussed at the September meeting. Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday November 19 at 8:30pm.

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