



DCS Principals' Update

Board Report: August 18, 2020

Reopening Plans:

Parent Forums: DCS will be hosting several parent meetings over the next few weeks to help parents understand our reopening plan and to make informed decisions for their children. Parent meetings are scheduled for August 19th and 20th for district parents. Please encourage parents to review the district homepage for more details!

Instructional Committees in K-6 and 7-12 have been meeting regularly to work through effective policies for hybrid learning and students opting to work 100% virtually. Instructional teams will continue to convene to clarify instructional models and student engagement expectations for remote learning.

Reopening Family Commitment Form: DCS Families were invited to submit surveys regarding the reopening of school. Survey questions include comfort levels on the district's proposed safety methods, transportation needs, preference for hybrid models or remote learning, internet access and technology needs, as well as parental communication preferences.

New 1:1 Initiative: To help every student be successful with hybrid learning and to practice positive hygiene habits, the district will issue devices to every student in K-12 in our new 1:1 initiative. We are in collaboration with the IT department in devising a district policy and user agreement for the distribution and use of school-issued devices.

Staff Professional Development: On August 5th, 6th, and 13th CASDA worked with middle school staff on curriculum development, focusing on the progression of skills throughout the grade levels. In addition to CASDA's work, staff also could complete five hours of professional development from Model Schools and BOCES, choosing from offering such as: Social/Emotional Trauma book studies, Regional Collaboration For Curriculum, Literacy Tools in Remote Learning, Google Classroom and the Elementary, Middle, and High School levels.

CSI Update: NYSED accepted our School Comprehensive Improvement Plan, focusing on:

Priority 1: The district will support school leaders' work with a CASDA consultant to offer a schedule of professional development on Next Generation Learning Standards-based curriculum mapping and high-yield teaching practices beginning in the summer and continuing through the school year for teachers in grades K-12. School leaders will use a strategic tool for conducting informal walkthroughs as well as a schedule for classroom visits.

Priority 2: Students in grades 5-8 will focus on reflection and goal setting on academic goals and proficiency. This will include consistent maintenance of goal binders across grade levels and consistent reflection of STAR scores throughout each grade level.

Priority 3: Teachers will create curriculum maps with alignment to Next Generation Learning Standards with a focus on a clear progression of skills.

Priority 4: Guidance counselors will work with students in grades 6-12 through modules in social-emotional learning, interpersonal skills, career knowledge, college knowledge, and transition skills using the software platform Naviance.

Priority 5: The district and IT department will offer parents frequent information on school goals and academics, such as through a district newsletter, Google Classroom, school website, and the SchoolTool Parent Portal.

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BOARD REPORT-August 18th, 2020

DEAN OF STUDENTS

1. I have recently been assisting with the facility, transportation, and instructional reopening committees.

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

1. The delayed start date of fall sports is **still** scheduled for Monday, September 21st due to the COVID-19 crisis situation. The only new information that I received from the NYSPHSAA since the last BOE meeting was a memo that clarifies students that opt for remote only education because of the COVID-19 crisis being eligible for interscholastic athletics (when permitted) if they meet the Bona Fide student regulation. I have included that memo with this report.
2. The NYSPHSAA has also previously set up a tentative condensed athletic season for all sports if the COVID-19 crisis cancels interscholastic athletic activity in 2020. These adjusted seasons will commence in three sessions starting roughly January 4th, 2021.
3. The Off-Campus School Sponsored Athletic Event Sign Out Sheet has been updated to match the previously approved changed wording in the Athletic Code of Conduct. The previous form **didn't include the language of grandparent or sibling being able to sign a student out with** prior approval. I have included a copy with this report.

ATHLETIC FACILITY

1. The softball dugout project continues to be delayed while waiting for the permit to be issued from SED. The most recent information from SED, based on information from our project architect firm, shows it being issued in early October. The Edwin J. Wadas Foundation has provided us with a six-month extension to use the funds from the grant for this project which gives us until December 2020 for completion.



MEMO

TO: NYSPHSAA Section Executive Directors

FR: Dr. Robert J. Zayas, NYSPHSAA Executive Director

RJZ

RE: NYSED Bona Fide Student Regulation & Remote Education

DATE: August 10, 2020

The following interpretation is provided pertaining to students who will receive remote only education during the 2020-2021 school year in response to the COVID-19 crisis.

The New York State Education Department regulations (135.4 Physical Education) state:

(c) Program Plans, E, iii,

“(2) Registration. A pupil shall be eligible for interschool competition or inclusive athletic activities in a sport during a semester, provided that he is a bona fide student, enrolled during the first 15 school days of such semester, is registered in the equivalent of three regular courses, is meeting the physical education requirement, and has been in regular attendance 80 percent of the school time, bona fide absence caused by personal illness excepted.”

In discussions with representatives from the New York State Education Department, the above regulation provides a student with the opportunity to participate in interscholastic athletics if they are receiving credit for three courses and physical education, regardless of the education platform utilized by the school district (i.e. remote only, hybrid, etc.). Students who opt for a remote only education because of the COVID-19 crisis would be eligible for interscholastic athletics (when permitted) if they meet the Bona Fide student regulation above. Please note, as of today, August 10, 2020, interscholastic athletics continue to be prohibited by state officials.

I am hopeful this memo will provide clarity for school districts, parents, and coaches as they prepare for the quickly approaching 2020-2021 school year.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this memo, please contact me as soon as possible.

Thank you.

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Date: August 13, 2020

To: Theodore Kawryga

From: Joseph Stack

Re: Transportation review items

Food delivery program currently is serving 137 participants. We are using both vans and one bus to deliver the food to the homes.

We are working with the building Principals concerning new policies and guidance with how to safely transport students when schools reopen.

DOT Inspection was held for buses 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109 on July 19th. There was one issue that was corrected, all the buses passed. Next DOT Inspection for buses 103, 110, 113, 114, 116, C3, C5 will be done by September 1st.

Please approve Bob Boyer as a substitute School Bus Driver, pending meeting 19A requirements.


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MEMO

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Jessica Radley, Business Manager 

DATE: 8/11/2020

RE: July Facilities Report

Please see the attached work order report from the facilities and grounds department.

I will be available at the August 18, 2020 BOE meeting, if you have further questions.

Thank you.

No.	Date	Updated	Request Type	Request Detail	Latest Notes	Client	Status	Priority	Alert Level	Tech	Location
248	7/10/20 7:48 am	7/14/20 6:32 am	Facilities	Help hanging a picture: HI Guys - I received a piece of art that I would like hung in the ...		Jessica Radley	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	District Office
276	7/30/20 6:44 am	7/30/20 6:47 am	Facilities	floor and carpet machine repairs, 2 carpet and one floor scubber		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Storage
275	7/30/20 6:43 am	7/30/20 6:47 am	Facilities	replaced closure on main office door		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
274	7/30/20 6:43 am	7/30/20 6:48 am	Facilities	mowed and worked on grounds equipment		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
273	7/28/20 6:08 am	7/28/20 9:56 am	Facilities	reset breaker for housekeepers		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Elementary School
272	7/28/20 6:07 am	7/28/20 9:58 am	Facilities	set up for voting		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Cafeteria
271	7/28/20 6:06 am	7/28/20 9:58 am	Facilities	mowed and did groundskeeper work		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
247	7/9/20 12:47 pm	7/9/20 12:49 pm	Facilities	turn on 8th grade room a/c		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
267	7/21/20 1:40 pm	7/21/20 1:43 pm	Facilities	repair air line to t-stat in kindergarten room		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Elementary School
266	7/21/20 1:39 pm	7/21/20 1:43 pm	Facilities	mowed		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
246	7/9/20 12:45 pm	7/9/20 12:50 pm	Facilities	paint gym door trim		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
263	7/17/20 1:19 pm	7/28/20 9:59 am	Facilities	Fertilize Fields: Fertilize Fields		Jessica Radley	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
244	7/9/20 11:31 am	7/28/20 11:53 am	Facilities	Water Fields: with the heat please use the water cannon to water the fields so they do no ...		Jessica Radley	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
243	7/9/20 11:28 am	7/9/20 11:31 am	Facilities	repair desk in library		David Redmond	Closed	Low		D. Redmond	High School
259	7/16/20 8:16 am	7/21/20 1:44 pm	Facilities	Oil the doors: Can you guys put some oil on the district office doors and the business off...		Jessica Radley	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	District Office
242	7/8/20 7:20 am	7/8/20 7:22 am	Facilities	work on a/c	D. Redmond:	David Redmond	Closed	High		D. Redmond	Outside
258	7/15/20 1:51 pm	7/15/20 1:52 pm	Facilities	repair delivery door. hit by delivery cart		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Cafeteria
205	3/20/20 4:06 pm	7/8/20 11:34 am	Facilities	Shade: Please install the shade in the HS cafeteria.		Ruth Leavitt	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Cafeteria

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257	7/15/20 12:47 pm	7/15/20 12:49 pm	Facilities	paint doors		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
256	7/15/20 12:46 pm	7/15/20 12:50 pm	Facilities	repair floor machine		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
255	7/15/20 12:46 pm	7/15/20 12:49 pm	Facilities	repair a/c 140		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
254	7/14/20 1:43 pm	7/14/20 1:45 pm	Facilities	mowed 6 hrs tues and 5 hrs monday		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
253	7/14/20 1:42 pm	7/14/20 1:45 pm	Facilities	repair bench in hall		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
252	7/14/20 7:21 am	7/14/20 7:22 am	Facilities	install and clean a/c unit in cross's room 211		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	Elementary School
251	7/13/20 1:21 pm	7/13/20 1:23 pm	Facilities	6 month asbestos inspection		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
250	7/13/20 1:18 pm	7/13/20 1:20 pm	Facilities	reset a/c units in front hall high school		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
249	7/13/20 1:17 pm	7/13/20 1:21 pm	Facilities	repair / replace a/c pump in conway's room		David Redmond	Closed	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
268	7/22/20 1:54 pm	7/22/20 1:55 pm	Facilities	a/c pump acting up in murphy's room		David Redmond	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	High School
277	7/31/20 9:34 am	7/31/20 9:35 am	Facilities	Sliding door blue storage shed: The right sliding door on the blue storage shed near the b...		Jessica Radley	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
264	7/17/20 1:21 pm	7/17/20 1:22 pm	Facilities	Clean out & create B&G Office Space: Please make this space an office by cleaning ...		Jessica Radley	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	Storage
278	7/31/20 9:36 am	7/31/20 9:37 am	Facilities	Storage door on the home baseball dugout: The door to the storage area of the home basebal...		Jessica Radley	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	Outside
262	7/16/20 1:48 pm	7/16/20 1:49 pm	Facilities	Tractor tires: Install new tires on the tractor		Jessica Radley	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	Storage
261	7/16/20 1:46 pm	7/16/20 1:47 pm	Facilities	New Woodchips for playgrounds: Install new woodchips at all the playgrounds.		Jessica Radley	Open	Medium		D. Redmond	Elementary School