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Board / Committee: NORTON HIGH SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL

Meeting Date: Tuesday, October 16, 2018 Time: 2:15pm

Meeting Location: Norton High School Administrative Conference Room

Members & Staff Present: Lisa Giuliano, Gregory Hood, Jill Berkovitch-Blake, Lauren Bukowski, Vinny Cerce, Cooper Smith.

Members Missing: Mary Taylor

The meeting was called to order at 2:16pm.

Meeting Motions / Actions and Summary of Discussions:

School Report:

Mrs. Giuliano discussed the positive feedback from students on "Corey's Cause" presentation.

Progress reports were issued 10/5, grades close 11/2, Report cards 11/9.

Presentation on Vaping to all grades on October 29th by Dr. Hartman and to the public on October 22nd at NHS.

Staff Costume Contest on Halloween recommended by Student Council.

Junior/Senior Semi-Formal on November 16th at the Mansfield Holiday Inn, hosted by the French & Spanish Honor Societies.

Suggested Handbook Changes

Increased Vaping consequence to possible 10 day suspension with the opportunity to reduce the consequence by attending a vaping educational program.

Motion for change was approved by a unanimous vote.

Will be brought to the School Committee next for approval.

School Climate Concerns

Offering Study Skills class to all students as an elective course next year. All present liked the idea. Concerns arose about being able to offer this to ALL students.

Other

Senior privilege of free travel during lunch: Seniors don't have much in the way of privileges and this was a proposed solution.

Institution of Quarterly Class Meetings to address behavioral concerns, communicate expectations and acknowledge successes.

Student of the Month as a way of celebrating student success

Member Concerns/ Parent Feedback: Discussion and decisions/votes

Increasing vaping consequence to a possible 10 day suspension with the opportunity to reduce consequence was voted on and passed unanimously.

List of Documents and Other Exhibits used at Meeting:

None

Meeting was adjourned at 3:46 PM until the next meeting on November 14th at 2:15pm at the Norton High School Administrative Conference Room.

Minutes approved by the Board or Committee on:

LM Bukowski 12/19/18

Chairman Signature: 