

Barrington School Committee
Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Advisory Committee
Minutes
Thursday, March 21 8:15 am
Barrington Middle School Presentation Room

Attendance is on file

(Meeting minutes approved at 5/9/19 meeting)

8:15 Call to Order

8:16 Pledge of Allegiance

8:20 Introductions and Norms

8:23 Review/Approval of Meeting Minutes from 2/7/19 minutes from 2/7/19 approved

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1LGhynuqkIOOsX95nffkeB7iOGtiLKV9atepd-CdPJE/edit>

RULER-Learning about RULER Principles and Tools -Sue presented powerpoint on RULER tools. Discussed Charter, Mood meter, Meta Moment, Blueprint. In depth look at charter. One tool will be rolled out at each meeting moving forward. K-3 Charters were shared. District office will be trained this summer.

Strategic actions - all staff will be trained in the district. RULER is coming to district today. They will be meeting with each school and discussing implementation.

Task force will continue working to look at resources and efficiency

RULER- Update on Parent Communication- parent workshop for each school, information about RULER district wide, K-12 on the website. Next Admin meeting planning meeting for spring and communications moving forward. There will be a Barrington Times article and having Barrington Times coming to a faculty meeting.

SurveyWorks Data Review - two questions about stress are on the Survey works data. Committee put in groups to dig into the data.

what did you see as positive: trusted adult they could go to; 70% felt that they belong at school;

What did you see as concerning: connectedness, 10-20% felt not connected; 20% have answered yes to the I am clinically depressed question. Black, Hispanic and Trans students not feel connected; we are doing better than most of the state; do you feel comfortable talking to an adult 80% said yes-- but on the question below - do you feel connected was low. Is there a definition issue. Discussion around the questions of stress and the data - Bottom line is there is stress in the district and similar to statewide. Stressors are different around the state. Challenge success compares you to like schools; There are other surveys that look at food, securities and addiction rates. Bay team Youth Risk survey is consistent with Survey works. Hard to pull together since the questions are different.

<https://secure.panoramaed.com/ride/understand>

Next Meeting: Challenge Success data will be sent to committee; RISS will be shared Youth Risk Survey results will be shared

Some things we are doing now: Retakes, Start time change - these are system changes that we need to think that big -

Public comment-- since it's going to be at different schools and different nights-- all schools and PTO should be messaging the same. Maura offered to have coordinate the PTO's.

Adjourned at 9:17

The next scheduled Social Emotional Learning Advisory Committee Meeting is on Thursday, 5/9/2019 at 8:15 am at the Barrington School Committee Room.

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