

To: Members of the Voluntown REOPEN Committee in the Time of Covid-19

Amy L. Suffoletto -----	Principal
Lloyd A. Johnson -----	Director of Student Services
Linda Hanson -----	School Nurse
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Terry Chenette -----	Transportation Coordinator
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Andrea Kelly -----	Teacher and VEA President
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Kate Beauparlant -----	Board of Education Chair and Parent
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Kathy Groth -----	Counselor/Social Worker
Tracey Hanson -----	First Selectwoman and Parent
Patrick McCormack -----	UNCAS Health Director, MPH
Amanda Page -----	Parent
Toula Wyland -----	Pre-School Teacher

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From: Adam S. Burrows – Superintendent of Schools

Re: Online Reopen Committee Meeting (#32) Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. to Implement a Plan of Action to REOPEN School for the 20-21 school year in a time of Covid-19 - Join with Google Meet Meeting ID meet.google.com/xkd-bxjr-cvi or Join by phone (US)+1 505-510-4299 (PIN: 783 235 050#).

===== Agenda =====

1. Call to Order
2. Review of REOPEN Meeting held on 4-7-21
3. UNCAS - Patrick McCormack - Weekly Reports for 4-8-21, 4-15-21, and 4-22-21 (*Attached*)
4. End of Year Activities: DPH Letter 4-9-21 (*Attached*)
5. Finish Strong: DPH Letter 4-9-21 (*Attached*)
6. Ellington Public Schools – No Remote in 21-22 News Release 4-22-21 (*Attached*)
7. CSDE Teach Rock Newsletter 4-22-21 (*Attached*)
8. CSDE Social Emotional Assessment Notice on 4-25-21 (*Attached*)
9. VES Sports: Basketball was a success and now Track
10. Building Improvements
11. Transportation Update (*Continuous adjustments for high schools*)
12. Food Services: Announcement of USDA Grab and Go Breakfast and Lunch for 21-22
13. ESSER II Grant for \$136,204 and \$8,660 has been approved (*Update by Superintendent of Schools*)
14. American Rescue Plan
15. Technology Proposals (*Wi Fi, Smart Board Upgrades, and others*)
16. Board of Education 20-21 Budget Proposal with a 0% Increase
17. Informal survey updates
18. *Other*
19. Agenda for the next online REOPEN meeting on Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

Purpose of the REOPEN Committee

The Commissioner required each school system to create a Reopen Committee to publish a comprehensive REOPEN plan with proper safety precautions in the time of COVID-19. The CTSDE published “Adapt, Advance, Achieve: Connecticut’s Plan to Learn and Grow Together”, an “LEA REOPEN Template”, and a “District Survey” to use as a planning tools with July 24, 2020 as the due date for a state review.

Our Voluntown decision-making process uses a leadership model of established committees to guide the research, review, implementation, and evaluation of the wide range of programs to create effective and successful programs. Our committee includes parents, faculty and staff, as well as community and regional representatives.

(ASB and RLR on 4-25-21)