Chippewa Valley Schools Sex Education Advisory Board Minutes October 3, 2023 6:30pm – 8pm

Present:

Board Members: Stephanie Lange, Dan Bohannon, Allison Bonacci, Rachel Sparks, Elizabeth Wilson, Kristin Wildt, Allison Sadowski, Walt Demaris, Christine Hilton, Karen Ulmer, Kherre Kwolek, Claire Kapral, Rev Clifton McGarity, Cindy Phelan, Casey Phelan, Abigail Crowley, Paulette Bagnall, Susie Duhaime, Christine Noelle, Tyler Defer, Melissa Castellucci, Father Ron Victor

Guests: Don Brosky, Kara Beal (WWPS)

Community Members: Melody Perrin, Frederick Nienstedt, Sheryl Miles, Dan Kress

- 1. Call to order at 6:34pm We started the meeting with a group icebreaker
- 2. Natalie Ptak will give a report on the new curriculum at the next scheduled SEAB meeting
- 3. Update on the new assessments: Review of pre-post-test assignments Reminder that photos of the test material should not be taken. We went through the 11 test questions and responded as a group. Teachers agree that this is a far better test for the students than the 40-question test used in the past. Stephanie made a few minor changes to wording. Walt Demaris logged into the middle school pre-test to give the group an example of what is asked. We went through the questions as a group and went over the answers. ACTION ITEM: Stephanie suggested a few minor word changes. Stephanie and Walt Demaris to do.
- 4. Stephanie presented the changes to the law (Enrolled Senate Bill No. 66) that was recently passed. Michigan Dept of Ed will create a taskforce to decide how this information is disseminated. This information will be made available to students and added on the school website and student handbook. This information will also list resources available to survivors and the actions they can take. Beginning in the 2024-2025 school year, school systems will train all educators and staff who come into contact with students and how to respond to disclosures of sexual violence. This training will take place every 5 years. More information to be provided.
- The board viewed the work plan from 2022-2023 and Stephanie talked about updates. There is not much that needs to be added. The parent survey is scheduled to be taken again in 2024. Once the survey is taken, we will be able to compare 2015, 2019 and 2024 community data.
- 6. ACTION ITEM: Stephanie to find out if a student isn't able to take health in their schedule, do they take it online, in summer school or test out. How many students are in a PC (personal curriculum)?

Meeting adjourned at 7:36pm

NEXT MEETINGS: January 23, 2024 6:30-8PM,

April 23, 2024 6:30-8PM