


Agenda	Est. time	Item
Positive celebration of students and staff	5 min	<p>Excited about having the Polar Plunge and Chili Cook Off this year! Makes it feel like a more normal year.</p> <p>Kya Vargas (8th grade) won the Young Artist Award at RIT. We are very proud of her! Thank you to Kathy Shaffer-Heeks for your support with Kya.</p> <p>Congratulations to all new NJHS inductees. Everyone enjoyed having the video to watch.</p> <p>Way to go Bryan Swanson, Rob Allen, Liz Corelli, Ian Milam, John English and Amy Visca for putting together and running Ski Club. Our kids truly enjoy the experience, but it's a lot of work and effort for each of you. Thank you for all you do. 😊</p> <p>Thank you Amy DiGuardi and Karen Lamirande for organizing National Brownie Day. Everyone enjoyed it, and we should celebrate more "national" days.</p> <p>Student attendance seems to be finally improving and hopefully we remain on this good path!</p>
<p>BPT plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid-year check • Areas of focus for spring <p>ESSA plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mid-year check • Area of focus for spring 	30 min	 <p>Cosgrove BPT Plan ...</p>  <p>2021-22 SCEP Cos...</p>

		<p>2021-22 SCEP Cos... Cosgrove BPT Plan:</p> <p>Discussed should we go back to having the Courier? Many seem to prefer the weekly Friday update. Receive the information more quickly.</p> <p>Jim is looking into having a ½ way through the year, grade level, building expectations reminder. Need to find a different way to do this opposed to many students in the auditorium.</p> <p>Clubs and activities participation is up from last year. Having no after school busses is still an issue and may not change this year.</p> <p>Festival of Nations and Religious Panel both had to be canceled this year, due to Covid.</p> <p>Discussed inconsistency with teachers writing passes, and the rules of food and drink in the classroom.</p> <p>How can we improve getting club information out to parents/families?</p>
<p>Tutoring program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of proposed program 	<p>10 min</p>	<p>Jamie Lissow will be sending an email out to teachers soon, who would like to commit to tutoring our Cosgrove Students, in a new program.</p> <p>Start date will be February 28</p> <p>5 week sessions</p> <p>Will be set up through Microsoft Bookings</p> <p>Free to families</p> <p>12 hours will be built in to help you plan/prepare for tutoring sessions</p>

		<p>Looking to encourage students who failed the first two quarters to participate</p> <p>Tutoring should be skill based specific and not homework based and teachers will have flexibility of days and hours that work best for them.</p> <p>It will all be via Zoom and you can have sessions while at home, very flexible for teachers.</p> <p>Pay will be per contract, tutoring rate.</p> <p>Pam Robinson will be sending a more detailed email to staff soon.</p>
<p>Cell phone policy review</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next steps? 	10 min	<p>Survey will be sent next week to staff for feedback on whether or not they support our current cell phone policy (Traffic Light System).</p>
<p>February Events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spirit Week/ GHO • Faculty celebration ideas 	10 min	<p>GHO will not be happening due to Covid.</p> <p>Possibly wait until Spring to do another outdoor pep rally.</p> <p>Start celebrating more "national" days. For example, Feb 4th is National Soup Day (mmm) and Friday before Feb Break is Muffin Day, yum!</p>
Minute review	5 min	

Note taker: Jenny