Wellness Council Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, November 28, 2023  
Anne Arundel County Public Schools  
TEAMS Meeting

Attendees:

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<th>Jodi Rise</th>
<th>Christiana Walsh</th>
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<td>Haydee Traver</td>
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<td>Amy Falls</td>
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<td>Carrie Foye</td>
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<td>Kim Winterbottom</td>
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Welcome, Introductions  
Ms. Monique Jackson

Review Agenda  
Ms. Jodi Risse

Updates:

School Wellness Highlights

High School Highlights  
Ms. Rachel Kennelly

Middle School Highlights  
Ms. Kimberly Winterbottom

Elementary Highlights  
Ms. Alexis McKay

Developmental Centers Highlights  
Ms. Jayne Hudson

Early Education Centers Highlights  
Ms. Shirlette Boysaw

Ferndale Early Education Center
West Meade Early Education Center
Carrie Weedon Early Education Center

Council Announcements  
Council Members
Special welcome to our student representative Aleena Malike from Crofton High School.

April Aviles introduced herself to the council for her first meeting as Deputy Director of the Office of Equity & Human Rights.

Wellness Event for the Meade cluster December 9, 2023.

Maryland State School Health Council meeting – AACPS (Anne Arundel County Public Schools) highlighted the wonderful work they are doing with the Wellness Council. Council Members, Jodi Risse and Christiana Walsh were invited to speak and shared the tools being used in AACPS to other Maryland counties. They shared wellness policies and regulations being used within Anne Arundel Public Schools.

**Professional Development**

Ms. Jodi Risse & Ms. Christiana Walsh

Triennial Assessment Report

- Triennial Assessment Report Review – A triennial assessment is a federal regulation that takes place every 3 years. All schools providing breakfast and lunch to students are required to participate. This assessment is used to collect data for wellness goals in the state.
- A recent principals’ meeting offered professional development to provide more opportunities for collaboration and work on their school’s assessment.
- Monique Jackson, Deputy Superintendent with Anne Arundel County Schools is aiming for 100% participation.
- Wellness Goals data will be returned in April of 2024.

**Brain Boost**

Ms. JoAnne Escobosa & Ms. Bernadette Martin

Health Services

**Subcommittee Updates**

Ms. Carrie Foye & Ms. Stacey Mazcko

- Nutrition Environment & Services
  - Shared goals and activities for this school year with the Wellness Council.
    - Increase the transparency and acceptability of foods being served to students with food allergies, preferences and texture modified diets while in the school environment.
    - Promote a Healthy Food Environment.
  - Requested feedback from Wellness Council on goals and objectives.
  - Requested volunteers for Puree Recipe taste testers for February 20th at Ruth Parker Eason

**Feedback/Next Steps**

Council Members

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**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, January 16, 2023
Teams Meeting
2:00-4:00 p.m.