

## **Return to Learn Committee Meeting-Notes**

**January 7, 2022, 9:00 AM**

### **Members Present-**

Andy Cutter, Board President/Parent  
Tim Foley, Jr./Sr. High Assistant Principal  
Dan Livorsi, Parent Representative, Infectious Disease Physician  
Joy Kelly, Regina Head of School  
Jess Pizana, Tech Director Regina Education Center  
Glenn Plummer, Jr./Sr. High Principal  
Larry Pohren, Jr./Sr. High Representative  
Shane Schemmel, Communications and Marketing Director  
Melinda Shetler, Parent  
Kelly Starr, Elementary Assistant Principal  
Celeste Vincent, Elementary Principal

### **Members Unable to Attend -**

Laurie Boland, Jr./Sr. High Representative  
Mary Charlton, Parent Representative, Epidemiologist  
Sarah Haskell, Parent Representative, Pediatric Critical Care Physician  
Kris Rutt, K-6 Elementary Representative  
Rich Smith, Regina Director of Facilities

### **Meeting Began at 9:02 AM**

**1. Numbers** - Joy Kelly gave an update on Regina numbers and JCPH numbers for the county. Medical experts on the committee contributed that it is believed our community peak is coming in the next four to six weeks.

**2. Open Meeting Request** -We have had one request for these Return to Learn committee meetings to be made public. Joy is going to check with the Board executive committee to see how they want to proceed.

**3. New CDC Recommendation on Quarantine** - Committee agreed to continue to follow the CDC recommendations. Will follow the 5 day quarantine if fully vaccinated. Click [HERE](#) for new guidelines.

**4. Teams/Groups** - We will notify families when there is a positive case on a team or with the musical. We are not asking for vaccination status. We will provide clear direction and information about what vaccinated vs unvaccinated should do.

**5. Review of document from JCPH** - The CDC guidelines recommend that everyone wear a mask in K-12 schools but did issue new guidelines regarding isolation. See link in #3. A message will go to the community later today with an update on the CDC and JCPH guidance.

**6. Mental Health** - Discussion about having materials available for our parents. Will ask the school counselors to gather resources to support parents/families.

**7. Staff Concerns** - None voiced at this time.

**8. Meeting Time** - Discussion if this time is still working for most people. Will continue Fridays at 9 AM.

**Meeting ended at 9:20 a.m.**

**Next Meeting Friday, January 14 at 9 AM**