

Kirtland BOE

Student Learning & Achievement (SLA) 6/20/2022

20 June 2022 / START TIME: 6:03 PM / END TIME 6:46 PM / KHS Cafe

ATTENDEES

Scott Amstutz, Shannon Green(notes), Joshua Hayes, Katy Nagaj, Kristen Schutte, Chad VanArnhem & Jonathan Withrow

AGENDA

1. Meeting Minutes Approval for May Approved: 1.)JH 2.)SG
2. House Bill 99
3. Personalized Learning Cohort
4. Public Comments and Questions
5. Adjourn

House Bill 99: Signed by Mike Dewine, June 13, 2022, HB 99 addresses the option of arming school staff. HB 99 allows an employee of a school district to voluntarily be armed within the employing district's school safety zone. HB 99 permits boards of Ed to authorize individuals to voluntarily be armed in a school safety zone if certain conditions are met. Mike DeWine's letter states "Arming school personnel is a serious decision that is left entirely to your school. It is optional. It is one of many tools that you can choose based on your unique school situation. Other tools, such as a school safety officer, may serve your school better."

At KLSD: we have been proactive mass evacuation drill, bullet resistant glass in offices, new locked entrances to school offices, mental health piece, we provide Alice training for teachers, our SRO Bill Baukman (Safety week at beginning of each school year & safety drills every month), phones and apps have codes where you can insert code and the school goes on automatic lockdown, PTA purchased door stopper barricades.

CVA passed out the new legislation. Discussion. Governor says basically it is up to each district to either opt in or opt out. CVA says most districts are not expressing interest in opting in. There is an option to have a Threat Assessment team. What is our process? There are some things we share with parents and some things we need to keep private for safety reasons. After discussion @ this time no plans to proceed with arming teachers @ KLSD.

Personalized Learning Cohort of NEO

One of the big things we want to get back to is best learning practices. One of the pillars of our SP(Strategic Plan) is personalized learning. ESC of NEO has a rep that will come out and get us back to using these best practices with a plan. We would be part of a network of districts. Amy Harker from the ESC of NEOhio will lead. Our district kind of got away from all of this with Covid, wanting to get back to instruction and personalized learning. This program will be of no cost to us.

CKLA pilot for ELA program at KLSD. Handout.

No public comments or questions, no SLA meeting in July.