

# Woodbridge School District

**Wellness \* Tools for Schools \* Beautification**

## Committees

**SY 2019-20**



	Wellness	Beautification	Tools for Schools
<b>Aimee Meacham, Teacher</b>		★	
<b>Al Pullo, Director of Business &amp; Operations</b>	★		★
<b>Analisa Sherman, Principal</b>	★		★
<b>Andrew Lavaway, Teacher</b>	★		★
<b>Ashley Wagner, Teacher</b>		★	★
<b>Bob Gilbert, Superintendent</b>	★		
<b>Doreen Merrill, Assistant Principal</b>		★	
<b>Emily Jacober, Teacher</b>		★	
<b>Jane Roddy, Kitchen Supervisor</b>	★		★
<b>Jane Shiner, Teacher Assistant</b>	★		
<b>Jeanne Ciarleglio, Teacher</b>		★	
<b>John Laudano, QVHD Health Inspector</b>	★		★
<b>Linda Acheson, Teacher</b>		★	
<b>Lola Johnson, Secretary</b>	★		★
<b>Lynn Piascyk, BOE Chair</b>	★	★	★
<b>Meghan Cofrancesco, Teacher</b>		★	
<b>Shannon Martinello</b>			
<b>Stacey Katz, Nurse Supervisor</b>	★		★
<b>Vito Esparo, Facilities Manager</b>		★	★

# Responsibilities of the School Wellness Team:

1. To implement the District Nutrition and Physical Activity Standards.
2. To integrate nutrition and physical activity in the overall curriculum.
3. To embed staff professional development opportunities to address nutrition and physical activity issues.
4. To serve as a resource to school sites (e.g. providing lists of healthful incentives and snacks, ideas for birthday celebrations, etc.).
5. To assure that students receive nutrition education and engage in rigorous physical activity.
6. To pursue contracts with outside vendors that encourage healthful eating
7. To encourage healthful choices among all school venues that involve the sale of food.
8. The Wellness policy will be assessed every three years, next due SY2021, making the results of the assessment available to the public.

# Wellness Committee Key Initiatives

- Coloring Creativity\*
- Basketball\*
- Wellness Wednesdays
- Yoga\*
- Annual Flu Clinic Vaccines\*
- Composting Food Waste (recognized by South Central Regional Council of Governments)

\* Pre COVID-19 School Shutdown



**For more information, please visit our website**

**Woodbridge School Lunch Program Menus:**

<https://www.woodbridge.k12.ct.us/page.cfm?p=512>

**Woodbridge School Nursing Health Services :**

<https://www.woodbridge.k12.ct.us/about-beecher/health-health-services>

**Wellness Policy Online:**

[https://www.woodbridge.k12.ct.us/uploaded/Cafeteria/Wellness\\_Policy.pdf](https://www.woodbridge.k12.ct.us/uploaded/Cafeteria/Wellness_Policy.pdf)



# Beautification Committee Key Initiatives

- Main Entrance Inspirational Message
- Update Bulletin Boards (Band & Rotunda hallways)
- Hallway Traffic Signs
- Eliminated Hallway Storage Areas  
(6<sup>th</sup> grade exit area, back of Rotunda)
- Placement of Sundial (in memory of Joan Benevento)

# **Tools for Schools**

**(a sub-group of Wellness Committee)**

**An Indoor Air Quality Program created by the Environmental Protection Agency to help schools assess and improve indoor air quality, and maintain health of students and staff. Oversight provided by the local (QVHD) and state (Ct DPH) health departments.**

**Celebrating 7 years of commitment to the continuous improvement of indoor air quality at Beecher Road School.**



# **Tools for Schools Committee Key Initiatives**

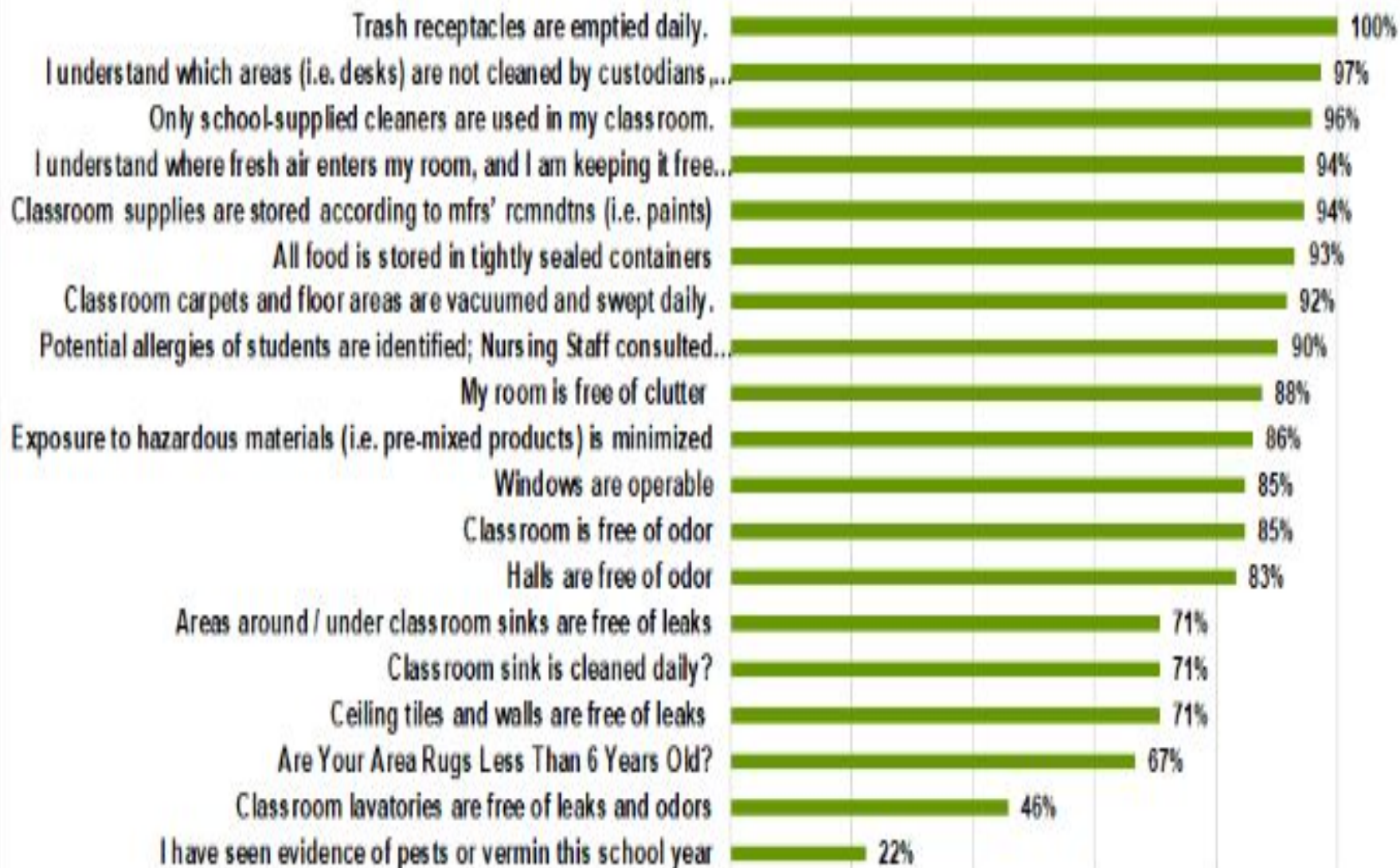
- ❖ **Reinforce guidance on planning for upholstered and other classroom furniture replacement.**
- ❖ **Teacher / Custodian responsibilities included in welcome back packet.**
- ❖ **Continued relationship building between custodial team and building staff (Staff Survey Response 87%).**
- ❖ **Vito Esparo, Facilities Manager, planned and executed undertaking of several building and grounds project during school shutdown.**
- ❖ **These projects used existing staff, resulting on no additional labor cost.**
- ❖ **Projects also tie-in to Wellness, Beautification, and Tools for Schools committees**





## TFS Survey SY2019-20

### % of YES responses



# Noteworthy

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**“Again, this year the team has made significant contribution to the indoor environment of the Beecher Road School. The Team continues to function at least as well as any other team in the other schools of our district. The genuine interest in the continuous improvement of the school is apparent and remains consistent.”**

**John Laudano,  
Health Official,  
Quinnipiac Valley Health District**

***2019-2020 Annual Inspection Report of the Beecher Road School.***

***January 6, 2020***

**A COVID-19 pandemic related school shutdown may have prevented our individual committees from completing all of our planned goals.**

**However, even during a pandemic, under the leadership of Vito Esparo, the Custodial and Maintenance team moved forward in many areas.**

# **BEECHER ROAD SCHOOL**

## **A Look Inside During the COVID-19 School Shutdown**

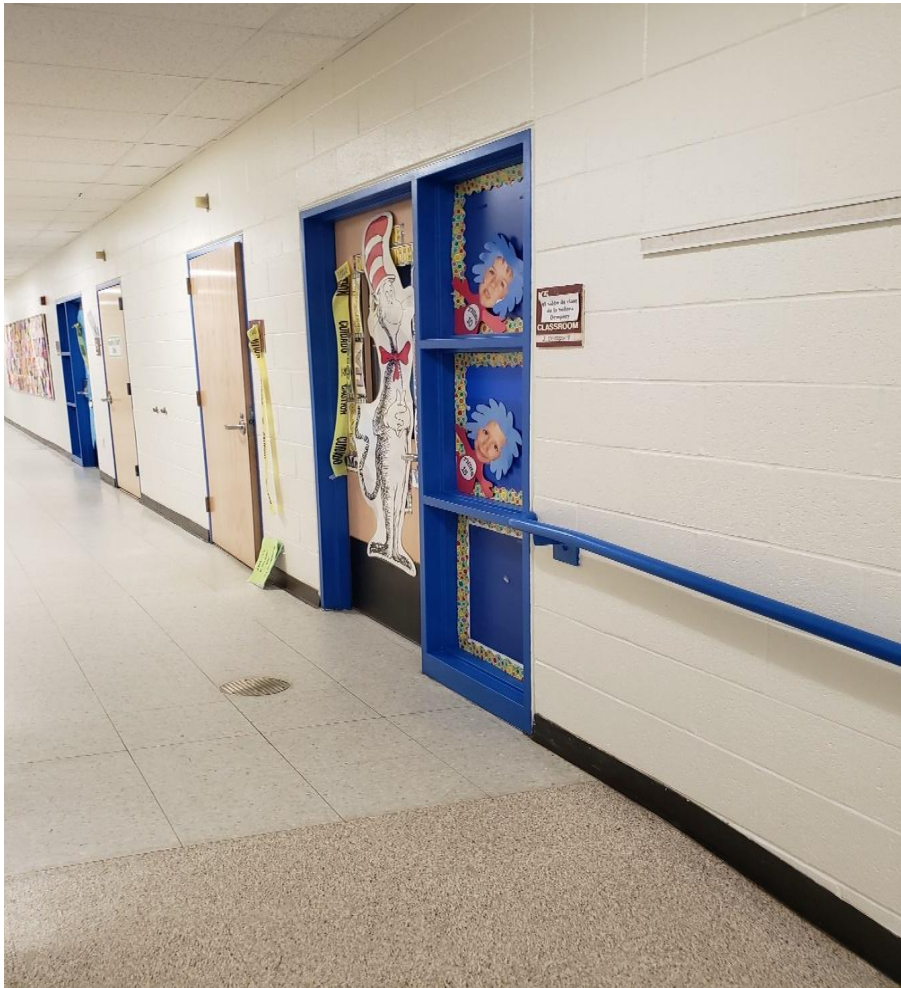
**Presentation to:**

**BRS Facilities Subcommittee**

**June 5, 2020**

# CLASSROOMS

- **Painting A, B, C, and K Wing Hallways**
- **Unplug and audit all classroom refrigerators**
- **Clean classroom recycling bins and areas (walls) around classroom garbage cans**





# NORTH GYMNASIUM

**Steam cleaned and scrubbed wall mats.**



# BATHROOMS

- **Deep cleaning all bathrooms**
- **Paint touch ups**
- **Replace bathroom sink**  
(outside S-2, circa 1970)





# ROTUNDA

- **Stripping and Waxing Floor**
- **Paint Entire Area**
- **Wash/Scrub Wall Sound Panels**



# CAFETERIA

- **Painting Entire Area (incl. scratched radiator covers)**
- **Replacing/Refurbishing deteriorating cafeteria ledges.**
- **Stripping and Waxing Floor**
- **Replace stained cafe ceiling tiles**







# SOUTH ASSEMBLY

- **Stripping and Waxing Floor**
- **Stripping and Refinishing Stage**
- **Paint Stage Walls**







# LIBRARY

- **Shampoo Library / Media Center Carpeting**





# OFFICES

- **Replace rug beneath Lola's desk**
- **Strip/Wax the North Teachers Room**
- **Strip/Wax the South Teachers Room**
- **Wax North Office**
- **Strip/Wax south gym office**
- **Replace Unit Ventilators - District (Capital)**



# HALLWAYS & CORRIDORS

- **Wash S-Wing walls, Main Hall Ramp walls, South School Walls**
- **Re-paint Main Hallway Unit Ventilators.**
- **Re-paint Baseboards, multiple areas**
- **Re-Paint South Entrance Unit Ventilators.**
- **Paint Window Frames outside Commons Room**
- **Wash all water hog entrance carpets**
- **Touchup black south entrance doors**
- **Replace stained hallway ceiling tiles.**







# BUILDING EXTERIOR & GROUNDS

- **Repainting Handicapped Parking Pillars**
- **Completed drainage work behind the S-Wing (Capital)**
- **Cleaning exterior building windows and building envelope**
- **Replace Pool Exit Doors (Capital)**
- **Repair Various Exit Thresholds (ie North & Rotunda)**
- **Repainted Playground Swing Sets**









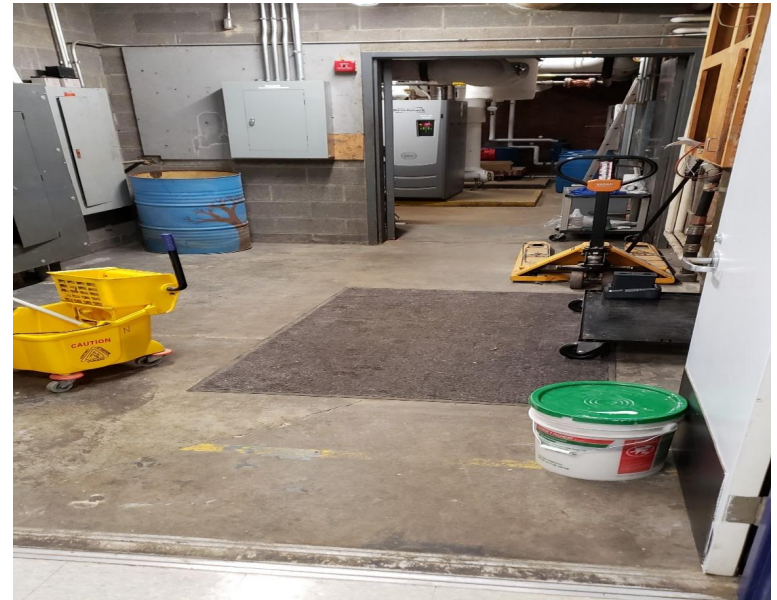






# BASEMENT & CUSTODIAL CLOSETS

- **Clean-out and organize; all custodial closets and custodial storage areas.**



# ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

- **HVAC Filter Changes**
- **Boilers Inspections**
- **Dectron Lubrication**
- **Fire Suppression Systems Testing**

# **BEECHER CUSTODIAL & MAINTENANCE TEAM**

**Vito Esparo, Facilities Manager**

## **Custodians:**

**John (Jack) Sisson**

**Scott Bishop**

**Daniela Soradi**

**Ronnie Casaverde**

**Kory Cook**

**Nick Brano**

## **Maintenance:**

**Sammie Denny**



**Wellness, Beautification,  
Tools for Schools, &  
Building & Grounds**

**Works In Progress;  
Progress At Work**

**Questions?**