

## Coffee with the Principal

October 3, 2018

### Present:

Laurie LeBouthillier- Principal

Terry Trapasso- 12<sup>th</sup> grade student: Jocelyn Mingoello

Nadine Anderson-12<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students: Troy and Zachery Anderson

Christine Iorfino- 11<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> grade students: Anthony Iorfino and Alyssa Iorfino

Jason Sevas- 10<sup>th</sup> grade student: Jase Sevas

Donna Sevas- 10<sup>th</sup> grade student: Jase Sevas

Libera Maldonado- 12<sup>th</sup> grade student: Edwin Maldonado

Eva Santacapita- 10<sup>th</sup> grade student: Marc Santacapita

Judith Wint- 9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Sanaa Wint

Janice Pereira-9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Renee Dobitas

Gina Getchell-9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Mark Getchell

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Ioanna Madigasky: 9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Jacob Madigaski

Allen Marche-9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Imani Marche

Rose Carey- 9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Makayla Carey

Winifred Perley-9<sup>th</sup> grade student: Luke Perley

Maureen Maine -12<sup>th</sup> grade student: Nate Maine

Carole Cafaro-12<sup>th</sup> grade student: Matthew Cafaro

Toni Alves -9<sup>th</sup> grade student: AlexeiAlves

Stanley Armistead -12<sup>th</sup> grade student: Danielle Armistead

### Minutes:

1. Mrs. LeBouthillier welcomed parents and thanked them for taking time out of their schedules to join her for "Coffee with the Principal". She provided a brief overview as to the purpose of the meeting and that they are scheduled monthly.
2. Meeting time and day were changed to accommodate parents that could not attend on Tuesday 8am. An upcoming meeting will be held in the late afternoon as well to welcome parents that are unable to attend during the school day.
3. The following topics were discussed:
  - Student Handbook- electronic acknowledgement
  - Cell Phone Use- Suggestions
  - PSAT testing on October 10<sup>th</sup> for 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade; calculators
  - Vacancies and teaching positions filled
  - Busing- Sending Towns
  - Communication: Website, "Condor Flyer", Principal Flyer, Coffee with the Principal Minutes, School Messenger, Power School Parent Portal
  - Parent Climate Survey expectations to increase parent participation
  - Veterans Day Breakfast on 11/6; donations welcomed
  - Holiday luncheon for Senior Citizens and those in need- donations welcomed
  - ALEKS/REN
  - Culinary offerings- Chef Valle
- 3.) PFO updates:
  - Bingo Night on Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>
  - Parents were asked to attend at least 1 PFO meeting this year

4. Questions/concerns/comments brought up by parents:

- Do students have to take ALEKS Knowledge Checks during school or afterschool?
- Lunch line for 9<sup>th</sup> graders is too long; restricting time to eat. Students are receiving their lunch just a few minutes prior to the end of the time given.
- Soccer practice too long (until 6pm); practicing in rain.
- Why aren't snacks sold during Volleyball games?

5. Celebrations shared by parents:

- EOB received an award for parent engagement.

