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Town Meeting Notes
Thursday, May 7, 2009

Dr. Mowl welcomed those present. He informed the group that the initial topics of discussion will focus on two letters that were mailed to RSD students' families, one regarding the lockout that occurred on May 6 and the other regarding swine flu.

There was much discussion regarding communication among staff, the Rochester Police Department, and families. Some suggestions were made including adding strobe lights to the MessageNet Boards and in the restrooms. The administration is always looking at ways to improve the system of awareness. If you have any other suggestions, please send them to Harold Mowl, Anthony Di Giovanni, or Mike Kaiser.

Bill Keenan promoted the first ever RSD River Ramble 5K walk/run. He encouraged everyone to participate. More information can be found on the RSD website.

Dr. Mowl announced that the campus will undergo some renovations this summer, including the core computing system, telephone and video phone network system upgrades and updates to the kitchen and dining rooms. Mr. Di Giovanni provided some background information regarding the current network and what the upgrade will allow us to do, including the installation of a VoIP telephone system.

Discussion followed regarding enrollment and what activities can be done to help educate the public about RSD. Many suggestions were shared and will be taken under advisement. Directors shared that the activities that they have been doing, take time to see the results. The school is currently beginning to see the benefits of staff's efforts from the past few years.

D. Mowl thanked everyone who came to the meeting.