

West Rusk CCISD
Annual Report of School Health Advisory Council (SHAC)
May 2021

Professional members:

Megan Wriggle – Registered Nurse
Steve Alexander – Food Services Director
Nick Harrison – Athletic Director
Ashley Harp - Elementary/Intermediate Physical Education
Earlean Duncan, Sharon Keith, Amanda Kirkendoll - campus counselors

Parent members:

Leah Bobbitt - parent leader
Ashley Jordan
Elizabeth Williams
Heather Featherly
LaTonya Dixon
Ryn Tyra
James Casey
Brittany King

State of Texas / Rusk County

James Pike, DSHS/ Rusk Co. EMC

District Facilitator

Gwen Gilliam, Director of Student Services

Meetings:

January 19, 2021
February 23, 2021
March 30, 2021
April 27, 2021

Each department; health, food service, physical education, and counseling gave reports at meetings. SHAC members worked with the Wellness Committee to revise the WR Wellness Policy and Health Improvement Plan. The ESTEEM (Encourage Students to Embrace Excellent Marriage) curriculum is used with students in grades 6th – 9th. Nurse Megan Wriggle planned a Staff Health Screening Day, March 5, 2021. Results were sent directly to those that participated. Vaccine reminders have been sent to students. Megan Wriggle conducted CPR instruction and David Adams covered police interaction with all West Rusk seniors Friday, May 12, 2021. West Rusk students participated in the State Fitness Assessment and results were posted. Athletics and Physical Education rotated activities as the seasons changed. West Rusk has used “Germ Blaster” to lessen the spread of disease. Required mask wearing was approved by the board and stopped April 20, 2021 due to very low occurrences of COVID in the school and county.

Due to COVID-19, persons participating in SHAC outside West Rusk employees were limited.