Public and Community Use of District Property

Policy 834

The Cochrane-Fountain City School District believes that the school facilities of the District should be made available for lawful non-school purposes, provided that such use does not interfere with use for school purposes, by school related groups, or for school-related functions. No non-school related group or entity may promote an activity to occur on school grounds under this policy in any manner that conveys the impression that the School District supports, endorses, or is a partner with the group or individual's cause.

The Board will permit the use of school facilities when such permission has been requested in writing by a responsible, individual, organization or a group of citizens and has been approved by the Superintendent.

The use of District grounds and facilities shall not be granted for any purpose which is prohibited by law.

The Superintendent shall develop administrative guidelines for the granting of permission to use District facilities by non-school sponsored groups or for non-school sponsored activities, including a schedule of fees.

No liability shall attach to this District, any employee, officer, or member of this District specifically as a consequence of permitting access to these facilities.

Legal Reference:

Wisconsin Statutes

Section 120.13(17) [school board powers; temporary use of school property]

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