

REMEMBER
WHY YOU
STARTED



Deep Breaths

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Friday, April 30th, 2021

Friday Recap

Steph

00:00

Discussed and opened the call with. . .

- Deep breaths.
- There are over 800 proposed bills impacting education currently in legislation.
- We encourage you to be aware of these bills and share with your legislators how these
 - bills would impact your district.

Cassie

11:00

Discussed funds available to support students experiencing homelessness. . .

- Illinois will receive over \$33 million in ARP funds to address the needs of students experiencing homelessness.
- Funds may be used for expenses necessary to identify, enroll, retain, and educate students experiencing homelessness.
- Once the moratorium on evictions is lifted, we expect to see more families experiencing homelessness.

Rob

27:00

Discussed the US Supreme Court updates. . .

- This week the Supreme Court heard oral arguments on a case involving disciplining student speech that occurs on social media outside of school.
- The Supreme Court will issue an opinion early this summer.
- The Supreme Court has agreed to hear a case next term involving First Amendment
- speech rights of a community college board member.

Shane

35:00

Discussed how the pandemic is changing education . . .

- A March 15 Washington Post article provided an insightful analysis of the ways in which the pandemic will permanently reshape education.
- Every aspect of education changed dramatically and educators in all aspects of the field flexibly adjusted to new ways to approach their role.
- The question now is what possibilities do these changed circumstances present? How can we seize the chance to improve public education?

Darcy

46:00

Discussed our most frequently asked questions and vaccine updates. . .

- We are receiving questions related to providing social work services, homebound instruction, and graduation participation for students in quarantine.
- Currently, 31.64% of Illinoisans are vaccinated, compared to the national average, which is at 30%.

See you next week.
On Friday, May, 7th.
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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