

Arch Bishop Jordan - Meeting Minutes March 5, 2018

Attendance: Chair, Vice-Chair, Principal, 1 staff, Secretary, Guest, 18 parents

1) Meeting commenced at 6:30p.m. - Melanie S/Chair opened in prayer

2) Student Council Report - given by Student council Rep

- pink shirt day to raise awareness for anti-bllying\car stall auction -to cover funds for student council, meet weekly on Wednesday mornings at 7:00am
- student council bonding night - student run, family dinner, bonding

3) EICS Board Highlights presented by Trustee Le-Ann Ewaskiw

- here to listen to parent community
- hundreds of comments from parents on survey
- outcome on March 21st will be based on your feedback

4) Danielle Ranhatty - motion to accept Jan 15th meeting minutes, 2nd Julie Sonnema

5) Principal Cox Report - see handout

- New Outreach Center- Isador - alternative hours for student support- starting Sept 2018 - located behind Costco

6) Guest Speaker: Constable Gilles - RCMP Member - Presentation on drugs in our Community

- Drug Recognition Expert - 2mos intensive training - written exam is 6 hours
- Can determine which drug is in a person's body that can be proven to impair the ability to drive

7 drug categories

1) Central Nervous System Depressants

2) CNS Depressants - most widely used and abused eg. alcohol

3) Inhalants eg. glue/paint

4) Cannabis - marajuana, hashish, marinol. k-2 spice (sold as incense looks like tea leaves)

5) Central Nervous System Stimulants eg. cocaine, meth/speed/windows, amphetamines

eg. energy drinks - can be charged with impaired driving if consumed in large quantities in a short period of time

6) Hallucinogens- can cause mixing of sensory modes eg. LSD, ecstasy, magic mushrooms

7) Narcotic Analgesic - opiates which are derived from opium and alkaloids which are natural

8) Dissociate Anesthetics eg. 7-up mixed with cough syrup and poured over ice

Myths & Realities -6 min video on gangs "End Gang Life"

- even marginal involvement can be dangerous and prove deadly

eg. kids sold pot to raise \$ for their grad, ended up dead

PEP - parents empowering parents

7) Meeting closed in prayer at 8:00p.m. by Melanie S.