



# York Region Presidents' Council

**Minutes-Meeting #3**

**October 24th, 2007**

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Attendance: Aurora H.S., Bayview S.S., Langstaff S.S., Markham District H.S., Maple H.S., Middlefield C.I., Newmarket H.S., Pierre Elliot Trudeau H.S., Richmond Hill H.S., Thornlea S.S., Unionville H.S., and Westmount C.I.

## **Corporate Rotations**

Corporate Rotations will be held November 7<sup>th</sup> during the general YRPC meeting. In attendance will be Airbounce, MEI, Campus Hoodies, Embroid Me, Impact Tours, Energy Massive Entertainment, Breakaway Tours, Dynamix, Grand Occasion, Needham Promos and possibly Z103.5. Executive council members are asked to please email a photo of yourself to Farheen. There will be a raffle at 8:30pm.

## **Conference 2008**

The date of conference will be either April 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup>. Some names that are being proposed are Travel'08 (Taking Responsibility at Very Extraordinary Levels), Fantasy'08, Great '08, Fate'08, Ate'08, Create'08, Pace'08, Cosmo'08, and Escape'08. Some themes include; under the sea, places around the world, planets, and food. The Builder/Security applications are in process of being updated

## **Student Trustee Update**

The conclusion that we made is that cafeteria prices are about the same throughout York Region. Aramark will be invited to a future YRPC meeting if needed.

## **Gala**

The Gala will take place on November 14<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm. It will be held at Pizza Hut in Newmarket. One member from each student council is invited. If a member from your student council is not able to attend, please extend the invitation to another school so that two people can come.

## **The Good The Bad and The Ugly**

We explained the concept. Everyone was told to discuss the idea with his or her student council.

## **Website**

The minutes of all York Region Presidents' Council meetings are posted on the website at: <http://www.studenttrustee.yrdsb.edu.on.ca/yrpc.htm>.

## **Sharing**

Aurora H.S.

Their spirit days include Hawaiian Day and Genie Day. They had a dance and it turned out well.

### Langstaff S.S.

They had Spirit Week, which included: Backward Day; Rock, Paper, Scissor Day; Pyjama Day; Toga Day; and School Colours Day (blue and yellow). They had a Spirit assembly where Debra DiGiovanni performed. They will have a Halloween contest for Best Dressed. Throughout fall they will have 8 plays.

### Unionville H.S.

They will be having Oktoberfest, which is their school carnival. There will be inflatables, candy apples, pumpkins to paint, etc. Their student council will be giving out surveys so that students can have a say in events that happen within their school.

### Thornlea S.S.

For Breast Cancer Awareness they have papers that say Hope and a dance where the proceeds will go to Cancer. Friday is Pink Day where a bubble gum contest will be held. They will be having an Animal House dance.

### Pierre Elliot Trudeau H.S.

To raise money for Breast Cancer teachers will be dancing and serving cake. For Halloween they are having a door decorating contest and a Halloween costume contest.

### Markham District H.S.

They will be having Oktoberfest. For Halloween a centre for people to get their picture taken will be set-up and a Halloween costume contest. Their school dance is next Friday. They are having a buyout for Markham bowl. They are thinking of holding their own school conference.

### Bayview S.S.

For Spirit Week they will be having pyjama day, tie dye day, and superheroes day. For Halloween they will be auctioning off teachers to wear Halloween costumes.

### Newmarket H.S.

For Halloween they will be having a toilet paper mummy, eating contest, haunted house and food drive. They are thinking about holding their own conference.

### Middlefield C.I.

They will be having a carnival where there will be a pumpkin carving contest. Their dance is being held during periods two through four.

### Richmond Hill H.S.

They had a Halloween dance. Their semi-formal is next month.

### Westmount C.I.

Their STAND committee is having "Nothing but Net" which prevents Malaria and it will be ten dollars for a tournament, which will be at the end of November. Their conference (TIME'07) will take place tomorrow.

### **Food For Thought**

This is an organization that prepares and delivers lunches to underprivileged people at local places. Email Jen Serdetchnaia if you are interested in starting this club in your own school.