

## Ursuline College School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes Tuesday, October 29, 2019

- 1.0 Prayer
- 2.0 Adoption of Agenda
- 3.0 Adoption of Minutes
- 4.0 Correspondence
- 5.0 Reports:
  - 5.1 Parent Council Positions Chairperson – Martha McGregor  
Secretary – Hanh Vo  
Community Rep – Renee Handsor  
Board Advisory Reps – Joanne Munroe, Michelle MacLean  
Next CEC meeting Nov 13<sup>th</sup>—Chairperson & Ray Powell will attend  
Safe Schools Reps – Alicia Argenti, Sandra Rodriguez
  - 5.2 Principal Report
    - 5.2.1 Student Council Report – Prime minister - Vivian Nguyen - written report
      - 5.2.1.1 Hallowe'en activities:

Song trivia—first class to correctly name 5 song clips played over announcements wins treats for the whole class  
Candy jar guessing game—winner correctly guessed 217 for the candy jar  
Movie trivia—first class to correctly name 5 movie clips to win a prize for the class.  
UCC has been experimenting with video announcements at the start of 2<sup>nd</sup> period  
Scavenger hunt—school decorated with pumpkins cutouts. Students can redeem one pumpkin for a candy treat  
Decorate classroom door with class for a prize—winner judge by student council  
Orange and black day—or they can wear an “appropriate costume”—must be culturally sensitive, modest, no weapons, no masks, no inappropriate language written on costume, must adhere to school’s code of conduct
      - 5.2.1.2 Semi-formal: finding a hall to rent—date deferred to spring time
      - 5.2.1.3 Address Pope’s endorsement of “Our Common Home” prayer by St. Francis of Assisi. Grassroots initiative to promote litter less lunches to be responsible stewards of the world. Incentive prize = additional dress down day for the winning grade
    - 5.2.2 Special Presentation – MyBlueprint – Warren Seton

All students will be contributing to MyBlueprint four times this year:

      1. Assigned tasks in Nov by their teacher
      2. Guidance counsellor
      3. Independently when students select courses for the next year,
      4. Again with their teacher

Goal is to see how their interests and areas of focus have changed over the years  
Opportunity for them to reflect on their interests and goals to pursue educational and careers pathways  
Complete all quizzes to match student to course and career suggestions  
Post-secondary tab includes apprenticeships, colleges, universities, and workplace  
Work tab is connected to Indeed job postings

Portfolios—under Homes tab: Set goals, check progress once completed each year  
Co-ops: increased opportunities during the summer to expose students to possible career paths

- 5.2.3 Upcoming Events
  - Grade 9, 10 and 12 Retreats
  - We Scare Hunger
- Thursday, Oct 31
- 5.2.4 Gr 9's Take your Kid to Work Day - Wednesday, Nov 6
- 5.2.5 Remembrance Day Service - Monday, Nov 11
- 5.2.6 Report Cards - Friday, Nov. 15 – will be sent by period 4 teacher
- 5.2.7 Christmas in Muskoka - Week of Nov 19 – 22
- 5.2.8 College and University representatives from Fanshawe college and University of Windsor—  
Focus will be on college and university in general—not specific to those institutions

6.0 Future Business

- 6.1.1 Public Health Unit – Substance Abuse Prevention / Vaping
- 6.1.2 SCCDSB Strategic Plan
- 6.1.3 Suggestions:

7.0 Next Meeting and Future Meeting Dates – Reminders a week in advance and night before each SAC meeting

Tuesday, November 26	Tuesday, February 25
Tuesday, April 28	Tuesday, May 26

8.0 Meeting adjourned 6:58pm