

DVSS

School council meeting

Feb. 16th, 630pm

Library

1. Welcome and introductions

Present: D. Zontanos, L. Howie, M. Orlick, S. Kennedy, G. Van Geffen, G. Cipriani, C. Pillinini, M. McDonald, D. Lammers, J. Naruse, guest: Kelly Scott

Regrets: E. Delsordo, K. Borer, S. VanEgdom, C. Goodale, S. Holford, R. Jerome, J. Kleven

2. Minutes approved from Jan. meeting by M. McDonald and S. Kennedy

3. Guest- Kelly Scott- Public Health/ Healthy living division/ physical activity specialist.

- a. See attached handout
- b. 5 step process, Involve parent council, students, teachers
- c. DVSS would be first secondary school to request
- d. Students could run the school travel plan
- e. SWO has an action plan-focus on safety on their property
- f. It's a living document

4. Teacher's Report- none

5. Student's Report-none

6. Principal's Report: C. Pillinini

1st semester reports handed out late due to printing issue.

Preliminary reports will be home week prior to March Break

March 23rd Parent teacher Interviews-able to book online appt. with teacher or call them to arrange another time to meet or speak by phone

March 30th- Transition meeting-final public meeting with Superintendent. Lunch hour meeting with students. Teachers will also have a chance to speak with her.

Open House-? Tuesday, May 17th. **Dolores/Jennifer to send out message to school council to determine if the date works. Will also ask if folks want guest speaker the same night.** Mr. DelSordo to confirm who needs to be invited etc.. School band

performance, tours, speeches and possibly the speaker- using the monies obtained by school council.

Need a committee to help organize the evening.

Feb. 26th P.A. Day

March 14-18th March Break

Easter March 25th and 28th

March 31st OSSLT-Grade 10 literacy test

Option sheet presentations have started by guidance. They are due end of Feb/beginning of March

Athletics: Swim team doing well, some qualified for south regionals

Snowboard team had three kids advance

Both gyms not open-some intermurals taking place

2 overseas trips booked during March Break

Art show took place at Carnegie Gallery

Library/learning commons open at lunch a couple of times per week

7. **Other Business:**

Discussed the ASST program a bit further. ?work with SWO and St. B's? involving nurse at DVSS?

Further discussion to occur at School council.

8. **Next Meeting** April 19th at 630 pm/ DVSS Library/learning commons

9. **Meeting adjourned** at 7:40 pm

Submitted by D. Zontanos