

J. Creighton – Chair – St. Thomas Aquinas SS
S. Daley – Co-Chair – Cardinal Leger SS
C. Farmer – OAPCE Director
M. Gomes – Co-Chair – Loyola Catholic SS
A. Saunders-Georges – Chair – Guardian Angels ES

4. Approval of Minutes of October 29, 2015 Meeting

Moved by K. Cespate and S. Gos

THAT THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 29, 2015 MEETING BE APPROVED

CARRIED

5. Business arising from the Minutes - Nil

6. Approval of the Agenda.

Moved by K. Dancy and K. Magdangal

THAT THE AGENDA BE APPROVED

CARRIED

B. Presentation - Nil

C. Reports

Trustee Mario Pascucci was acclaimed Chair of the Board and Trustee Thomas Thomas was elected to the position of Vice-Chair at the Board Organizational Meeting held on December 1, 2015.

Trustees will choose the committees they will sit on in 2016 at the next Board meeting that will be held on Tuesday, December 8, 2015;

Dufferin-Peel and the Secondary Unit of OECTA reached a tentative agreement early this morning that will have to be ratified. The Board is still in negotiations with the other unions. Trustee Xaviour wished the CCCSC committee and guests a happy holiday season.

Superintendent Mazzorato played a Youtube video that featured Neuroscientist Sarah-Jayne Blakemore who explained why teenagers seem so much more impulsive and so much less self-aware than grown-ups. The comparison of the prefrontal cortex of adolescents and that of adults illustrates how typically teenage behaviour is caused by the growing and developing brain.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6zVS8HIPUng>

Gift bags containing resources that CCCSC members may share with their Catholic School Councils (CSC) and school communities were distributed, and included a package of cards that are designed annually for the CCCSC.

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D. Information/Committee Updates G. Rodney

The Training for CSC Executive Members webinars were held on November 7, 2015 at the Board Offices. Webinars were offered to Chairs/Co-Chairs, Treasurers, Secretaries, OAPCE Representatives and Parish Representatives on Catholic School Councils. The webinars can be accessed using the links below

[Catholic School Council Chairs / Co-chairs](#)

[Catholic School Council OAPCE Representatives](#)

[Catholic School Council Parish Representatives](#)

[Catholic School Council Secretaries](#)

Agenda Items for Next Meeting

E. Closing Prayer Our Father

F. Meeting Adjourned at 7.50 p.m.

G. Future Meetings

January 7, 2016 - Cancelled

February 11, 2016

April 7, 2016

May 12, 2016

June 9, 2016