



2014-15 Annual Report

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Past Accomplishments

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- 2007, 2008, 2009 CSPC Conference
- 2010, 2011, 2012 CPIC Summit and Conference
- 2010 Trustee All-Candidates Meetings
- 2011 Barbara Coloroso Parent Night
- 2011 TCDSB Budget Information Update
- 2012 ELL Computer Workshops
- 2011, 2012 Monthly CPIC Newsletters Inserts
- Started Parent Engagement Lending Library in every School
- Since 2007 Speakers Commissioned
 - Betty Boulton, Lee Rocco, Barbara Coloroso, Dr Ashleigh Molloy, et al

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 **2013-14 Fiscal Year Achievements**

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- Improved Relationships: Staff - Trustee – TAPCE
- Introduced Breakout Sessions to CPIC Meetings - Allows informal discussion during formal meetings
- Work in Process is to Increase CPIC Visibility
- Work in Process is to Improve CPIC Web Presence
- A Project Priority List was prepared for New Members
- 2014 CPIC Spring Conference, 12 Workshops
 - David Booth “Literacy Today” Keynote speaker
- 2014 Speaker - Stuart Shanker Self-Regulation
- Developed a Quarterly CPIC Newsletter

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 **2014-15 Fiscal Year Achievements**

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- CSPC Request For Fund Program
- Toronto CPIC Newsletter/Blog
- CPIC Spring Conference
- TCDSB Parent Evenings
 - Newcomers Meeting
 - CSPC Liturgy and Recognition Event
 - OAPCE-Toronto Celebrating Catholic Education Week
 - Promoted Spanish Speaking Event
 - Ward Trustee - CPIC Joint Meeting

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2014-15 Fiscal Year Achievements

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- **Speaker Series**
 - Alyson Schafer (Don Bosco) Jan 28, 2015
 - Cardinal Collins at Cardinal Carter Feb 24, 2015
 - Lori DeMarco 21st Century Learning CEC Apr 27, 2015
- **Delegations Presented at TCDSB Board Meetings**
 - Suggestions on Catholic School Parent Council Policy S.10
 - Admissions and Placement in Secondary Schools (Deferred)
 - Suggestions on Budget Reductions Shortfall
 - CPIC Motion presented June 2015 – (Awaiting Response)
 - ✦ TCDSB to Collect Parent & Guardian eMail Addresses

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Promotion Opportunities

- **CSPC Training**
 - Annual
 - Bi-Monthly
- **TCDSB Parent Engagement Events**
 - CPIC Hosted
 - CSPC Hosted
 - TCDSB Hosted
 - Catholic Education Week
 - TCDSB Committee Hosted Events
 - Trustee Hosted Ward Events



Toronto CPIC Priorities

**BREAKOUT SESSIONS
WORKED ON THE FOLLOWING**

ACTIONS

**RECOMMEND POLICY CHANGES TO THE SCHOOL BOARD
RECOMMEND INFORMATION NEEDED TO ASSIST PARENTS
RECOMMEND ACTIONS THAT TORONTO CPIC SHOULD TAKE**

**This is Work
In Process**



Toronto CPIC Priorities - 1

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- ❖ Improve Communications with CSPCs
 - ❖ Language
 - ❖ School Ambassadors
 - ❖ Methods
- ❖ Help CSPC's Communicate with Parents
- ❖ Understand Specific Community Needs
- ❖ Provide Parent Engagement Resources
 - ❖ Centralize lists (web-site)
 - ❖ How to encourage Parents to be involved
 - ❖ Empower CSPCs

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Toronto CPIC Priorities - 2

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- ❖ Provide CSPC Sharing Opportunities
- ❖ Survey Needs within Wards
- ❖ Facilitate Principal and School Staff PE Education
- ❖ Format a School Welcome Packages
- ❖ Facilitate parent education on
 - ❖ How to approach staff
 - ❖ Individual Education Plan
 - ❖ Growth and development stages of their children.
 - ❖ Gain knowledge and skills to remain resilient with raising a child
 - ❖ Become aware of issues facing their children, and how they might recognize and deal with those issues
 - ❖ Computer Literacy

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Toronto CPIC Priorities - 3

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- ❖ Community Presence
- ❖ Schools as a Resource Centre or Community Hub
- ❖ Embrace Diversity
- ❖ Welcoming Atmosphere at Schools
- ❖ Social Media
- ❖ Old Guard CSPC Executive
- ❖ Parent to Parent Communications
- ❖ CSPC involved with SLPs
- ❖ Take-Away Resource Packages
- ❖ Quick Tips

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REMINDER OF OUR MANDATE

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What Toronto CPIC is	What Toronto CPIC Does
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provincially mandated and funded committee. • Supporting student academic achievement through increased parent involvement. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We functions at the Ward and board level • We make recommendations to the school board; and, • We undertake initiatives that <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Promote Parent Engagement, ○ Educates parents ○ Facilitates parent engagement

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What/Who is Toronto CPIC?

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- We are volunteer parents/guardians.....
 - we collect information and ideas from the wards
 - We discuss at our meetings; and
 - We disseminate information to the right people

Our driving purpose is to get more parents/guardians involved in their children's education

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