

DIRECTOR'S MONTHLY REPORT SEPTEMBER 2016

Following are highlights for the period of August 26, 2016 to September 22, 2016.

Wednesday, August 24th

• Delivered welcome address to participants at the Head Start Summer Institute at Brebeuf College

Thursday, August 25th

- Attended a meeting with Ministry of Education staff about "Youth Fusion" programs
- Participated in the closing Mass for the Head Start Summer Institute at Brebeuf College

Friday, August 26th

• Spoke with our International Students at the closing of their high school preparation program

Monday, August 29th

• Brought welcoming remarks at the Elementary Secretary's Opening Day Inservice at our Norfinch site. The inservice covered items such as Student Admissions, Privacy & Records Management, Entry & Exit Surveys, Transfer Forms, SOAR, Trillium, etc.

Tuesday, August 30th

• Held the Director's AGM with Principals, Vice-Principals and Business Leaders to share our vision for the coming school year.

Wednesday, August 31st

• Attended the Cardinal's Education Mass at St. Paul's Basilica

Thursday, September 1st

• Delivered welcome message at the Secondary School Opening Day Inservice to Vice-Principals, Guidance Counsellors and Secretaries

Tuesday, September 6th

• Visited several schools on the first day of this school year and came away exhilarated at seeing the joy and excitement at each and every school

Wednesday, September 7th

• Met with the Chair of the Board to discuss our Strategic Planning Sessions

Thursday, September 8th

• Participated at the "Heart of Welcome Mass" with CEC, staff and Trustee Crawford, to welcome returning staff and staff new to the CEC

Tuesday, September 13th

- Attended K-8 Meetings at Bishop Marrocco/Thomas Merton School
- Welcomed a delegation from Taiwan visiting the TCDSB to discuss possible partnerships

Wednesday, September 14th

- Held a meeting with the new Dean of the Faculty of Education at York University to discuss our continued relationship
- Met with the Dean of St. Michael's College Faculty of Theology to discuss how we may strengthen our relationship with them

Thursday, September 15th

• Attended K-8 Meetings which were held at St. Dorothy School and our Norfinch site

Tuesday, September 20th

 Along with the Chair and Trustees Andrachuk and Del Grande, attended the OCSTA Regional Meeting at the Dufferin-Peel CDSB Offices in Mississauga

Wednesday, September 21st

• Attended a meeting, along with our TDSB counterparts, with members of the Transportation Consortium to discuss the shortage of bus drivers

Thursday, September 22nd

• Met with representatives of Big Brothers Big Sisters asking that we consider programs that can be offered to students in elementary and secondary schools