

**Port Colborne High School Council Meeting Minutes,
January 27, 2015
School Library
6:30 pm**

1. Welcome & Introductions

2. Review of Meeting Minutes

3. Principal's Report

- Academics, sports, clubs and SHSM programs continue to flourish
 - ie: EQAO results for applied math is 20% above board & provincial average
- Jan 12 – Student Council visited Port Colborne City Council meeting to welcome new members
- Jan 26 – PCHS Band performed for Port Colborne City Council members and all council members received Blue Bears Hoodies to thanks them for their past and future support
- Feb 17 – Student Council will be attending the Wainfleet City Council meeting
- DSBN has funded approx. \$35,000 for improvements to PCHS. Some include:
 - Banners
 - Courtyard
 - Painting in spring
 - Lockers
 - Gym floors
- Feb 2 – New semester starts
- Feb 13 - Early release day
- Report cards to be mailed out by mid Feb.

4. Student Council Report

- Fundraising for Isaac - ball hockey, breakfast, trivia
- Co-planning with feeder school Student Councils - potential grade 7 & 8 dance in April
- Coffee House – still working out the details – maybe May

5. Planning for Coming Events

- Wainfleet Council meeting – Feb 17th – 7pm
- Joint Parent Council – Tuesday Feb 24th at 6:30
 - Ms. Kennerly will include an invitation to parents to our joint meeting on Feb 24th will firm up who speakers will be, the format, and which room it will be held in.
 - we wanted to send out a special invitation to Dave Schauble – our DSBN Trustee but that may be the same night was his board meeting – we will look into. Hoping to announce our next speaker at the Joint Meeting – Diane to get some speakers ideas from her P.I.C. committee days
- Grade 7/8 Pasta Dinner – tentatively April 21st – 6:00 We will ask feeder school chairs for their help to get Pasta Dinner info out to grade 7 & 8 parents. Invitations will RSVP to each school's chair and they can report numbers to us.
- Coffee House - will await Student Council date

- In our efforts to increase future enrollment, we will be attending the DSBN Board Meeting on Tuesday, March 10th requesting follow-up on recommendations made by the ARC Committee in 2014 - More info will be sent out regarding this evening.

6. Next Meeting & Adjournment

Next Meeting - Feb 24th
Adjournment 7:30