

Stephen Lewis Secondary School Council  
 Minutes  
 September 18, 2007

Present: Carol Diamond, Mr. Serapiglia, Linda Behr, Lois Babcock, Glenn Babcock,  
 Alison Williams, Debra Frank, Lily Lukic

#	Topic	Discussion	Follow up
1	Nomination for positions	Debra Frank-Chair Lois Babcock- Treasurer Myrna Benderoff – secretary Carol Diamond-Principal Glenn Babcock Lois Babcock Lily Lukic- executive member Linda Behr-executive member Lisa Axelrod-executive member	
2	Co-chair report	The co-chairs of previous year listed accomplishments of council of last year	
3	Dates of meetings	The following dates were determined for meetings of council: Nov 5, 2007 Jan. 14, 2008. Mar 17, 2008 May 12, 2008 Possible June date TBA	
4	Reimbursements	Lois asked Carol about the money owing back to some of the council members from the Taste of the Community dinner	Carol will check on this
5	Subject of Discussion	Carol reminded members that council is a forum for discussion of school matters that relate to general student body. This is not a forum for individual student discussion	
6	Student success team	Carol described to the members the roll and accomplishments of the student success team	
7	Language translation services	Linda asked about language translation services available in order to better communicate.	
8	Community centre	The group expressed their concern that the community centre is not built and that there is no local community centre.	Parents should contact local politician Sandra Racco for update

9	Education evening	The group decided unanimously to have a social worker speak about dealing with adolescent issues.	
10	Principal's Report	<p>Carol reported on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communication- multiple methods are used: broadcast phone messages, outdoor sign, newsletters, website, agenda book, parent evenings</li> <li>• Student success team</li> <li>• Pizza Lunch event</li> <li>• School Clubs - Linda suggested that the list be posted</li> <li>• School Budget/new school plus \$2000 Ministry Grant</li> <li>• Restaurant opening</li> <li>• Robin Hood – Gr. 9 Welcome Day Sept. 25</li> <li>• September 26 Honour Roll/Awards Breakfast</li> <li>• Terry Fox School Run -28th</li> <li>• Interim report cards – Oct. 9</li> <li>• 12 new staff</li> <li>• New special education classes</li> </ul>	Carol will arrange for club postings and website updates