

VISION

The Regina Catholic School Division will provide a quality Catholic education that is faith-based, student-centered, and results-oriented.



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MISSION

The Regina Catholic School Division will work with the community and local church to provide a quality Catholic education that fosters academic excellence and the development of informed, responsible citizens.

VALUES

ACCOUNTABILITY

COLLABORATION

HONESTY

INTEGRITY

RESPECT

WELLNESS

Catholic Parent Advisory Council

December 11, 2019

Catholic Education Centre - Board Room

Minutes

6:00 pm Welcome

6:05 pm Opening Prayer

6:10 pm CPAC – Screenagers (Tuesday, January 21, 2020)

“We are so happy you reached out to us about ***SCREENAGERS: Growing Up in the Digital Age*** and ***Screenagers NEXT CHAPTER: Uncovering Skills for Stress Resilience***. People book the films to show in many ways, such as to all students in a school, or to parents, kids, teachers, and administrators during evening events, or to employees in workplaces and to community groups and more. These are 2 distinct movies and you don't have to show them in a particular order.

Below are details on how to rent either of the two films individually. But if you are interested in hosting both movies at some point in the upcoming year, then you would purchase a combined license for a total of \$950, which includes \$650 for *SCREENAGERS* and \$300 for *NEXT CHAPTER*. You can choose any event dates that work for you.

Here is how it works to license a SINGLE film:

\$650 USD

- You can offer it free to your community or sell tickets, or a hybrid where you offer it free but ask for donations.
- If you sell tickets or ask for donations, you keep all tickets sales and donations.
- We set up a ticket sales site or RSVP site for your event.
- We help promote your event through your own Facebook site whether you choose to sell tickets or just offer it free and ask people to RSVP online.
- All events include the rights to show the film once to your parent/community population and the right to show it to your students and staff during the school day.

Discounts for MULTIPLE BOOKINGS:

- The 2nd screening you book is \$500 USD
- 3-9 bookings are \$500 USD/event
- 10 or more bookings are \$300 USD/event

The license includes:

- The DVD for your event. *Screenagers* includes the 67-minute version and 47-minute classroom version. *Screenagers Next Chapter* is 69 minutes. The student version will be available December 2019.
- 3 discussion guides: a Moderator's Guide, an Educator's Guide and a Parent's Guide.
- Marketing materials include ticket sales or RSVP personal URL, editable posters, flyers, and postcards to publicize the event.
- If you are a school, the licensing fee covers one screening for a parent/community event and one for students. That one screening for students can take place in different ways, including age level assemblies, full school daytime screenings, or individual classroom screenings. Ideally, we like the parent and the student screenings to happen within a week of each other.
- If you are a school district and want to license the movie for each school, there is a separate licensing fee for each school. Ask about discounts for multiple screenings in a district.
- There is no option to own the DVD, and it is not available on streaming services like Netflix or Amazon. After your event, you return the DVD to us.

After much conversation we have decided that we will host our own evening event. Dave will work with Kate to pick a date. We will share with all our CSCC and invite everyone to attend.

6:20 pm CSCC Community Engagement Conference Review

1. What went well?
2. What was great?
3. In a perfect world what would you like to see for next year?
4. What is one thing we can do right now?
5. What are our first steps?

1st Annual Provincial Parent Conference Saturday, Nov. 23rd, 2019 Feedback

1. What was good about today?

Culture

- Meeting other SCC people
- New ideas
- Open, sharing and learning
- Participation at all levels
- Encouragement
- Positive approach and view
- Connecting with people
- New ideas
- Communication
- Networking
- Sharing of idea
- Brainstorming
- Different perspectives
- Representing all levels
- Sharing ideas
- Ability to speak openly

- All levels listening
- Shared voices
- Collaboration
- Open dialogue
- We have been heard
- Learning
- Engagement
- Knowledge
- Ability to provide feedback
- Connections
- Ideas

Communication/Program

- Common presentations
- Small group work
- Out of country guest
- Resources

- Key note was great
- Addressing mental health
- Different levels of representation was appreciated
- Enjoyed all the different school divisions voicing concerns
- Speakers
- The different break out sessions
- Good information
- Relative presentations
- The speakers
- Opportunity for discussions
- Fantastic speaker
- Spaces are great
- Great speakers

Logistics

- Organization and hospitality
- Hospitality – food, prizes, treats at tables
- Venue
- Good food (thanks)
- Food & beverages
- Networking (X 5)
- Food

SCCs

- People, other members of SCCs
- Learning more about the role/mandate of SCC's
- SCC rights
- SCC sharing provincially

2. What can we do differently next year?

Culture

- Increase in attendance / increase in community more than just SCC members
- more people (X 4)
- More attending
- More open / honest communication
- Resources available
- See tangible results from this year
- More understanding
- People like listening but liked asking questions
- Peer sharing ideas

Parents

- Validation of parent's role in learning
- Learning about the importance of parent involvement
- Opportunity for parent feedback
- Parent engagement is important
- Opportunity to voice parent opinions

Governance (Board/Government)

- Having connection with government
- Ministry presence
- All levels of government present

Teachers

- Teachers can't do it all

Opportunities

- Learning about CPAC – would love to learn more and implement in our area
- Have like-minded people in the same place
- Create community
- Changes need to happen
- How to engage diverse sections of multicultural province
- Representation from all levels
- Representing from different levels
- Bridging different levels
- Exploring what could be different
- Creating common language
- Implement mental health supports
- Understanding common issues

Communication

- Communication should be sooner / better
- More advertising of event
- more notification time for event
- SCC post information
- More advertisement of event
- More communication
- Update initiatives from this year
- Save date - time to book hotels, time off work
- Communication in a timely manner – online

- Advertising (awareness)
- Better communication (learned about this event through a friend and not through a school)
- Group to connect through Facebook
- More notice of event
- Action on feedback provided
- Ask about topics of interest ahead of time

Program

- Didn't see all of the breakout sessions
- More time / longer day
- Divide groups going to the events
- More networking time
- more central location
- Centralized location
- agenda changed last minute; impacted attendees learning
- List 2 outcomes / learning for the sessions
- Session on positive psychology
- More opportunity for breakout sessions (1/2 hour each) SCC session for everyone
- Resolutions for things needing to be done
- Forums – answer questions, proper effective communication
- Seating in sections – high school / elementary SCCs / demographics / similar size schools
- Separate high school and elementary discussions
- Breaking out into elementary and secondary
- More time for conversation
- Talk about what works / what doesn't work
- Interactive and activity based
- Application ideas
- More Q & A
- Mental health session will be higher level conversation
- Examples of engagement in Saskatchewan
- More activities to have folks meet

Logistics

- Block of hotel rooms
- breakout sessions – special needs
- We would week day vs Saturday be better? (kids are super busy, numerous activities on weekends)
- Start time later (maybe more could attend)
- ½ day – skip breaks finish at lunch
- Too short / could have used more time

- Registration more cost effective
- Next year not on the outskirts / child care
- Pre-register / taking right at 8:30
- Warmer room – gym was cool
- Food restrictions – tell people
- More unified network
- Child care and transportation
- Technology checks (mics)
- Sound quality

SCCs

- Team from SCC attend the event
- More representation
- how can SCC's support special needs
- Improve ability to connect all SCC's
- Invite non- SCC parents
- More examples of SCC's fulfilling mandate – what does that look like
- Sharing more about what other SCC's are doing and how they increase parent involvement
- Provincial SCC network
- 100% of SCC's will attend
- More Q & A

Parents

- More from public from across Saskatchewan
- non-SCC engagements – parent broader
- Parent information sessions
- Parents to present success stories

Governance (Admin/Board/Government)

- Ministry of Social Services (MSS)
- Government sponsorship for SCC's to attend
- More involvement of admin / board so everyone is on the same page

Teachers

- Teacher and administrations should be there so we can work as a team
- more teacher involvement

Opportunities

- Saskatoon board put it on larger
- Cost / clarity if support from school board – registrations, hotel, gas, etc.
- Cost/ person vs. cost/SCC
- Take away resources
- Contact sign-up for a group page that we can all add ourselves to connect with
- More people and diversity represented
- Coordinate the North Battleford and Regina conference to common content

7:00 pm Review of the New Year

CPAC is planning several parent engagement evenings during the 2019-2020 school year including the following

January	Screenagers Documentary Part 1 January 21 ICE Presentation
February	Mental Health Financial Literacy Session 1
March	Board of Trustees Linkage Meeting Financial Literacy Session 2
April	Dangerous Substances Awareness - Addictions and Teenagers RCMP – RPS

Action Items for our next meeting

- Put together a 4 page PowerPoint presentation
- Attend CSCC meetings in the New Year.
- CPAC on the agendas of CSCC meetings
- CPAC Christmas Card to all parents
- Webpage – CSCC – CPAC information
- One message constancy

Next meeting – January 22, 2020