# YOUTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE Reporting to Public Session Monday, October 24, 2016

The Youth and Community Services Committee (YCSC) met on Tuesday, September 27, 2016 at 5:30 pm. In attendance were Trustees Baljinder Narang (chair), and Larry Hayes, Assistant Superintendent Roberto Bombelli, and DPAC Representative Jocelyn Schonekess.

# **1. Reports from Community Committees**

Trustees who represent the Board on community committees updated the YCSC on items that would be of interest to the Board.

## Parks & Recreation

Trustee Chen thanked the City of Burnaby Parks and Recreation for all of the activities and volunteer opportunities that were available for Burnaby students during the summer.

## Public Safety

Trustee Hayes reported that the new Officer in Charge/Chief Superintendent of the RCMP Burnaby Detachment, Stephan Drolet, was appointed on June 21, 2016. Officer Drolet <sup>th</sup> Officer in Charge.

Recommendation: THAT the Board of Education receive this information.

## 2. Junior Bowls Program

Brian Ronaldson, Helen Shaughnessy, and James Tindle, from the South Burnaby Lawn Bowls Club (SBLBC), gave a presentation on *Junior Bowls* 

are to

develop provincial, national, and internationally competitive bowlers.

Recommendation: THAT the Board of Education receive this information.

# 3. Crime Stoppers School Program

Simran Sidhu, School Program and Event Coordinator from Metro Vancouver Crime Stoppers, presented , an initiative geared toward grade 8 students on how to recognize potentially unsafe activity and to provide them with an outlet of how and where they may safely and anonymously report what they know. The campaign consists of a 30-45 minute video presentation followed by a 20 minute real-life scenario exercise that can be presented to individual classes or a larger group.

Recommendation: THAT the Board of Education receive this information.

## 4. New Business/Updates

#### a) Eye

-17 information letters were sent out to all elementary schools at the beginning of the school year so that parents could receive the paperwork in their school opening packages.

#### b) Fraser Health

Fraser Health Overdose Prevention and Response resources will be sent to all school Administrators, Safe School Specialists, and Counsellors.

#### c) Burnaby Neighbourhood House

The registration deadline for the Youth Leadership Training sessions offered by the Burnaby Neighbourhood has passed. Information on upcoming sessions will be provided as they become available.

## 5. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00pm.

## 6. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Youth and Community Services Committee will be Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at 5:30 pm.