SUPERIOR-GREENSTONE DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

Report No: 24 Date: March 24, 2014

TO: Chair and Members of the Superior-Greenstone District School Board

FROM: Maria Visintin, Student Trustee **SUBJECT:** Student Senate Meeting

Student Senate Meeting:

Our Student Senate meeting was held on February 19th at 9am. Almost all of our Student Senate members from each were in attendance.

Beardmore Public School reported that they held events at their schools in support of the Canadian Olympic team and also held a School Olympics. They had a PJ day where the students were allowed to wear their PJ's to school. They also have a Wall of Awesome in their school that recognizes Students for outstanding work and are fundraising for a School in Kenya.

George O'Neill Public School reported that they also have held a school Olympics. In addition, they have used the events in the Olympics in their math class. They started floor hockey intermerals for students and the winning team played the teachers. Furthermore, the Student Council at their school were planning family literacy day activities and they have started recycling papers, pop cans etc...at their school.

Manitouwadge Public School reported that they also had a school Olympics and held a Jersey day in support of the Canadian Olympic team. Also, they held Valentine's Day fundraisers. In the future, they are planning a grilled cheese sandwich and bake sale.

Margaret Twomey Public School reported that they also had a school Olympics in support of the Olympics and Home hardware. The Grade 8 class has been doing fundraisers both inside and outside of school and they also have been having meetings for Grade 8 activities. Also, they held student lead conferences and had a school beach day.

Schreiber Public School reported that they are currently building snow sculptures of the Olympic Mascots in support of the Olympics. Their school also had an gnocchi donated by Nella Commisso.

Marjorie Mills Public School reported that their school had a day where the whole school did activities in support of the Olympics.

Nakina Public School reported that they supported Happiness in Hockey and raised money. Also, they celebrated the 100th day of school and held student lead conferences as well.

Terrace Bay Public School reported that they are hosting a basketball tournament in March and hosting a Jamboree for all the schools in the region. Their school also participated in a volleyball tournament and the students went snow shoeing for gym class.

Geraldton Composite High School reported that they held a Moose clack PJ day fundraiser. A select number of students are continuing to develop an athletic council in the school.

Lake Superior High School reported that they held NSSSAA championships. Also, the student council sold valentines for Valentine's Day.

Manitouwadge High School reported that they held a Heart and stroke foundation fundraiser. They also held a Valentine's Day dance. In addition, they participated in cardboard boat races and hosted NSSSAA tiebreaker.

Marathon High School reported that they had a pizza day for the sports day and all the money raised was going to the local Human society. They also held a fundraiser for Sick Kids Fundraiser. In addition, they sold candy grams and they like the other schools had a day to support the Olympics.

During the meeting all the Student Senators along with me and Mr. Tamblyn discussed possible questions for our board's Student's as Researchers question. Each student gave his or her opinion. The ideas for this question ranged from extra-curricular activities, smoking, teacher participation, bus schedules. Although these are all different subjects, they all are around student involvement and student motivation.

Administrative Summary

The report entitled Student Trustee Report No. 24 has been presented to the Superior-Greenstone DSB for information.

Respectfully submitted by:

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