

**Thornhill Secondary School Parent Council Meeting  
Minutes –November 19, 2015**

1. BOSS update (Paul Miller)
  - a. Did a Hallowe'en spirit event
  - b. Open mike night (Thurs Nov 12<sup>th</sup>) had 130 students watch / 30 performers
  - c. Next Thurs Nov 26 is Semi-formal (6pm – 10pm) dinner and dance 119 of 170 spots
    - i. Held at Paramount
  
2. Pathways Forum (slides attached)
  - a. Karen Schurr, Keith Young, Heather Patterson
  - b. 2 student presentations on co-op
    - i. Theresa – SHSM (Health & Wellness) student ... Kinesiology ambitions at university
      1. Co-op at Goodlife at Highway 7 .. worked at the front desk and did basic greeting of clients; also worked in the fitness area cleaning up weights; finally worked in the childcare area
      2. Skills learned = Time mgmt., communication, organization
    - ii. Hanah – SHSM (Health & Wellness) – looking for a career in health care
      1. Co-op at St Michael's hospital (Cardiac Surgery inpatient unit)
      2. Was able to get tours of the hospital, research labs, shadowed & interviewed health care professionals. Exposed to all areas of the hospital

Meeting ended

Upcoming Council Dates for 2015/2016:

- **Next Meeting: January 14, 2016**
- February 4
- March 31
- May 5
- June 2