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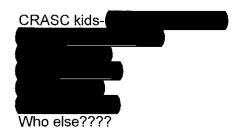
Monday, January 27, 2014 9:23 AM

To:

Subject:

Can you give me an update

I would like to know who is coming on Wednesday as far as I know, our camp includes



Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

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Sent:

Monday, January 27, 2014 9:21 AM

To:

Richard Moody

Subject:

Re: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Hey Richard,

Will we have a pg county rep with us on wednesday?

Aimee Poisson

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 16, 2014, at 11:15 AM, "Richard Moody" < rmoody@pgcps.org > wrote:

Aimee,

I shared this at the PGRASG exec board meeting last night. After a few gasps it was silent and the students are shocked and outraged. was texting and e-mailing your students at their meeting last night from ours. I will be sharing this with all advisors and my exec board. We are ready to act-up if necessary. Please let us know how we can support CRASC. We are ready!

I have several questions:

- 1. The hearing on January 29th, do you have the details of time and location?
- 2. Did something happen with your SMOB that caused such a proposal?
- 3. Will students be allowed to testify at the hearing?

Any other details that you have will be good. I will wait to hear from you.

Richard Moody Regional Advisor PGRASG

On Wed, Jan 15, 2014 at 4:54 PM, Poisson, Aimee L <APOISSON@aacps.org> wrote:

Friends,

Today Senator Ed Reilly introduced SB 194, a bill to revoke the full voting rights for the AACPS Student Member of the Board.

I am sure I don't need to explain to everyone the ramifications of this damaging piece of legislation. Anne Arundel County's inclusion of a SMOB with full voting rights is cited as the precedent for other efforts to attain voting rights and representation. Loss of this right in our county would diminish the likelihood of Needless to say, this bill must be publicly and adamantly opposed.

I am speaking with my students this evening and will be meeting with our systems legal counsel tomorrow to determine how we will proceed. I am requesting your support in this. It goes to committee on January 29 th at 1pm.
I'll be in touch to discuss our next step. Thank you.
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To:

Winsett, Gary (CCPS)

Subject:

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I'm not sure that a petition would be as effective as independent letters and emails. I recommend have each student send a general email expressing their disapproval of this bill and copying all the legislators on this committee...specifically the ones from your district.

The committee member and their info is available

here. http://mgaleg.maryland.gov/webmga/frmMain.aspx?pid=cmtepage&stab=04&id=ehe&tab=subject7&ys=2014RS

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When would you need letters to the senators and delegates by? What is the deadline. Also. do you know which Maryland senators and delegates sit on the committee specifically?

We may have students at our upcoming CCASC meeting write letters. That is the reason for the inquiry.

Gary K. Winsett

Social Studies Department CCASC Advisor SGA Advisor Safe Driving Task Force Sponsor Memorial Garden Society Co-Sponsor Thomas Stone High School gwinsett@ccboe.com

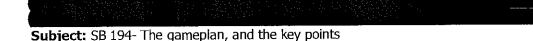
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Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Saturday, January 25, 2014 7:00 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: SMOB Hearing

Dress nicely. A tie and jacket or a sweater, its going to be a cool experience. I'm glad you are joining us.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

wrote:

Hi Ms. Poisson,

I just wanted to tell you that'd I'd like to go to the hearing this coming Wednesday. What are we supposed to wear to the hearing? I just want to make sure so I'm dressed properly for it. I hope you're having a nice weekend and can't wait to see you Wednesday.

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Attachments:

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Yes. I need you to write your own testimony. I can help but we could get into an ugly area if it was suggested that I hand fed you your testimony. Refer to the discussion points but your main message is that you speak on behalf of the student in this county, who the senate also is supposed to represent...and the students do not support this bill.

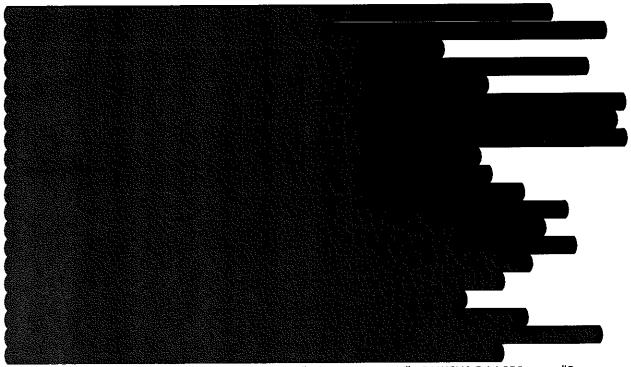
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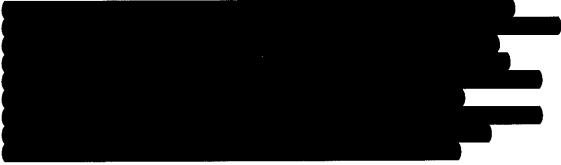
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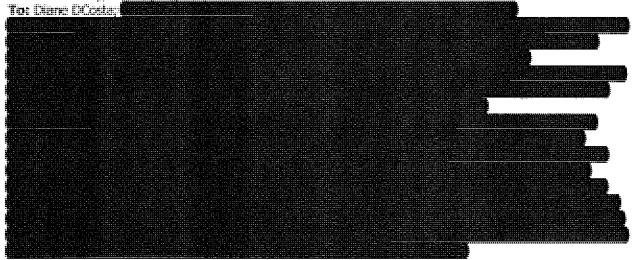
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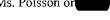
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To whom do you want us to address any written testimony? To the committee?

Senate Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee (EHE)

Senator Joan Carter Conway, Chairman Senator Roy. P Dyson, Vice Chairman

and I would want to review any written testimony - talking points and bill attached

Karen L. Crawford Student Affairs Coordinator Dept. of Student Services, MCPS

Cell 301-318-6384 Upcounty Regional Services Center 12900 Middlebrook Road, 3rd Floor, West Germantown, MD 20874

From:

Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 3:51 PM

To: Crawford, Karen L.

Subject: RE: SB 194 SMOB Voting Rights - Anne Arundel County

Hi Ms. Crawford,

If we cannot attend this event, where would we submit the written testimony that you mentioned?

Thanks.

From: Crawford, Karen L.

Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 1:17 PM

APOISSON@AACPS.org; Lance Ledebur (Iledebur@msde.state.md.us);

Subject: FW: SB 194 SMOB Voting Rights - Anne Arundel County

(and MCR exbd)

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Use the permission form I attached. It should be signed FIRST by the parent, then by the principal....please leave a copy with your attendance office and BRING A COPY FOR ME

- Carmen, I can pick you up at Seneca Valley at 11:30am....I have room for others as I can drive the van if needed and drop you all off at the Miller Senate Building and go park in the Navel Academy Stadium Parking and take the shuttle.

If you have others driving you or are driving yourself, I have attached information for parking at the Navel Academy.

Be sure you have a PHOTO ID - driver's license or school photo ID to get through security.

Please be sure to REPLY ALSO to Ms. Poisson and to Kara Ritterpusch, the CRASC President, as they are coordinating this

- I have a commitment from Justin Kim and Carmen Huynh to testify
- I have copied the MCR exbd in case some wanted to attend for support and we'll need our Legislative Affairs to coordinate some written testimony.

Let me know if you have questions.

KCrawford

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Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 12:57 PM

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From:

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Sent:

Friday, January 24, 2014 3:21 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: sb 194

Yep. Thanks, I'm looking forward to seeing you.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

devan1017 <devan1017@yahoo.com> wrote:

Hi Ms. Poisson!

I apologize for not replying to your earlier email. I will definitely be there on the 29th and am actually preparing now what I planned to say. I am also fine with speaking whenever you all feel is best. I will frame the testimonial around those points and get it to you. The deadline is Monday, correct?

Sent from my Galaxy S®III

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From: "Poisson, Aimee L"

Date:01/24/2014 2:28 PM (GMT-05:00)

To: Cc:

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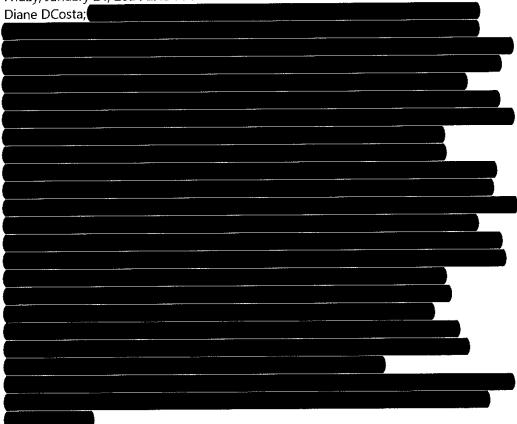
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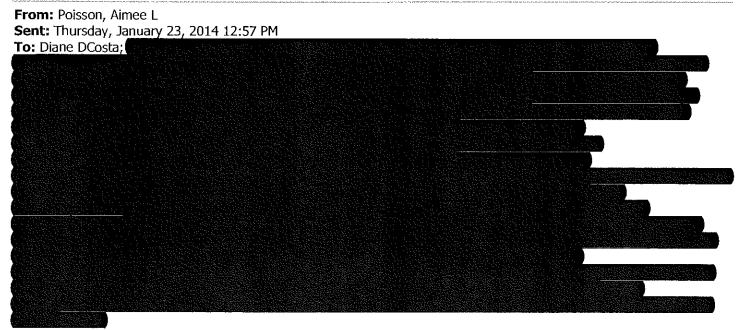
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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Friday, January 24, 2014 2:37 PM

To:

Subject:

i have a task for you!!

Importance:

High

Can you check in with your counterparts in other counties and find out who plans on testifying? I have not heard back from a few people...

We need to hear from Baltimore, Harford, calvert, Charles, Fredrick, and B'more city.

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Subject:

sb 194, please help

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I don't doubt that you ladies have heard by now. Ed Reilly has authored this nasty bill to rescind the student member of the BOE vote. The hearing on it will be on the 29th at 1pm. Would you be interested in join us to testify against it?

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To:

Subject:

still time to call some legislators for lobbying day!!!

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From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2014 4:32 PM

To:

Subject: time to call some legislators!!!

Importance: High

Hello All,

Thank you for getting on this. Our first order of business is to verify that our legislators will be available for students to visit on the 19th. After I can see who is available, we will direct school to one building or the other to control traffic flow and insure that everyone gets to see someone. Each of you is assigned a certain number of offices to contact. DO THIS BY MAKING A PHONE CALL during business hours. Stick to the reps that we assigned last night so that we don't overbook ourselves. Before you make any calls, please refer to my spreadsheet. There was some confusion in the notes from last night so please just go with what I have assigned.

The script schedule and contacts are all attached. Please make sure that you read through everything and practice a few times before you call.

Thank you all!

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Friday, January 24, 2014 10:56 AM

To:

Subject:

RE: NO MEETING TONIGHT!!!!

Good Morning

I don't need you to call any legislators in preparation for lobbying day. I seem to remember having you signed up to invite someone but when I looked at Kara's notes and my schedule...I didn't see your name. If you would like to help, contact Kathryn. She ended up with 4 people to contact so she might want some help.

If you really want to contact legislators about SB194, go for it. I'll copy you on those talking points in an hour or so. An email works best.

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From:

Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 7:49 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: Re: NO MEETING TONIGHT!!!!

Ok thank you



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Can I get a copy of the talking points for the call and email? Also, I will be attending on the 29th.



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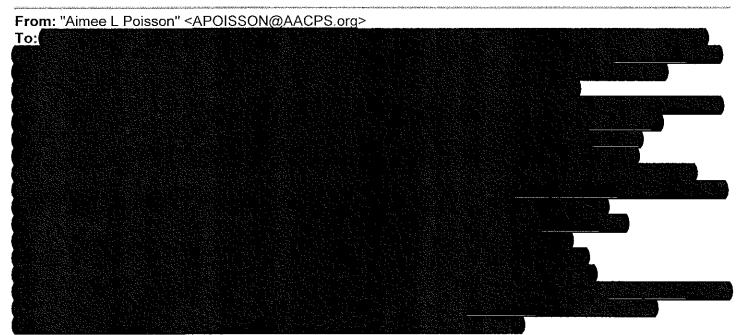
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On another note: I wanted to do the same thing with lobbying day. I think this makes it more alluring and professional, and something that won't fly off the journalist desk like my phone calls and emails to get them to come to Charity Fair. Let me know if this is okay and I will see if its something would want to do.

The final note: I will talk to Nathan, he said he had something he needed help with for lobbying day. But please let me know if you need anything as well!





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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Thursday, January 23, 2014 3:32 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: Lobbying Day Info

There is a one hour rotation where you take your kids to get lunch in town. I recommend hitting subway or potato valley. Kids bring cash. The group stays together.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

wrote:

How is lunch for the students handled for this field trip?

Tara Hammond AP Psychology U.S. Government SGA Co-Advisor

Southern High School (410) 867-7100 thammond@aacps.org

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2014 12:31 PM

To: Aikens, Steven V; Brown, Delise J; Brown, Doug R; Brunner, Amanda M; Godfrey, Bryan G; Chandupatla, Ankita; Chew, Carolyn J; Clautice, Elizabeth K; Cooper, Joseph; Crankfield, Danielle R; DeLaet, Patricia E.; Dougherty, Joyce A; Francis, Joanne M; Poteet, Garnett C; Gilbertson, Roberta S; Goforth, Kellie J; Gulden, Krystal L; Hall, Jennifer Frances; Hammond, Tara A; Hanson, Crystal M; Harding, Anna R; Hill, Jennifer Lynne; Hines, Janet Irene; Hinsvark, Chris Sean; Horwitz, Alexander; Housand, Ashley N; Katona, Victoria L; Lewis, DeMarcus A; Littleton, Tammy L; Lyate, Kate L; Maher, Michael J; Malone, Patrick James; McClure, Jacqueline A; Morrison, Rachael Kate; Neal, Melody Ann; Noreiga, Leah L A; Pastine, Allison T; Phelan, Jaclyn M; Poynton, Kasey L; Riddick, Keysha T; Romeo, Deanna C; Schwer, Rosemarie A; Segnatelli, Barbara C; Snyder, Catherine S; Spence, Kimberly M.N.; Tello, Nicole Kirkland; Thatcher, Jennifer L; White, Joshua T; Wyatt, Debra

Cc: Gardner, Laura M

Subject: Lobbying Day Info

Hello All,

It's that time of year again!!!! Lobbying Day is scheduled for February 19th. Per our standard tradition, we will be based out of the Key Auditorium at St. John's college. It looks like we will be taking on some interesting issues and our event with feature some new material. The bus schedule is attached, please review it and get back to me with any issues. I have ordered 13 buses. Please look into who you are riding the bus with to figure out if your school needs to cap your numbers. Your participation is expected and with this many busses, please try to bring a large diverse group of students to this event.

In addition to Lobbying Day activities, we will be introducing SMOB Candidates to the General Assembly. Be aware that these students will be attending with your delegation.

All standard field trip procedures apply. Get your request forms in ASAP. Here is the link for convenience https://intranet.aacps.org/Dept/Instruction/Field%20Trip%20Forms/Forms/AllItems.aspx

Remember this is an extended day field trip and you will not get back to school until well after 4pm.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Thursday, January 23, 2014 1:59 PM

To:



Subject:

NO MEETING TONIGHT!!!!

Importance:

High

Hi All,

In light of everyone's finals schedule and the unexpected snow days, there will be no exec staff meeting tonight. We still need to put together some details for Lobbying Day but it looks like we need to focus on putting down SB194 right now. If you plan to attend the hearing on the 29th, please let me know so I can put you on the list.

Can everyone please update me on your progress in contacting the legislators for lobbying day?

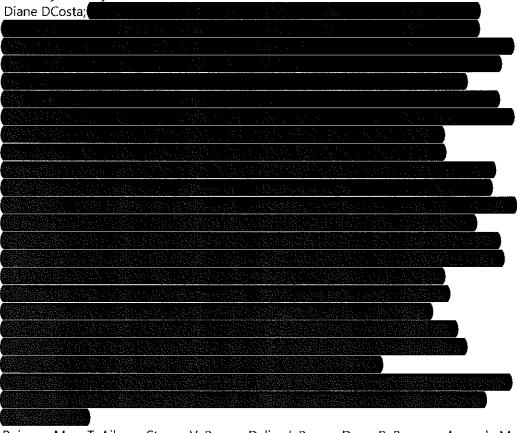
Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From: Sent: To:

Poisson, Aimee L

Thursday, January 23, 2014 12:57 PM



Cc:

Poisson, Mary T; Aikens, Steven V; Brown, Delise J; Brown, Doug R; Brunner, Amanda M; bryan gofrey; Chandupatla, Ankita; Chew, Carolyn J; Clautice, Elizabeth K; Cooper, Joseph; Crankfield, Danielle R; DeLaet, Patricia E.; Dougherty, Joyce A; Francis, Joanne M; garnett poteet; Gilbertson, Roberta S; Goforth, Kellie J; Gulden, Krystal L; Hall, Jennifer Frances; Hammond, Tara A; Hanson, Crystal M; Harding, Anna R; Hill, Jennifer Lynne; Hines, Janet Irene; Hinsvark, Chris Sean; Horwitz, Alexander; Housand, Ashley N; Katona, Victoria L; Lewis, DeMarcus A; Littleton, Tammy L; Lyate, Kate L; Maher, Michael J; Malone, Patrick James; McClure, Jacqueline A; Morrison, Rachael Kate; Neal, Melody Ann; Noreiga, Leah L A; Pastine, Allison T; Phelan, Jaclyn M; Poynton, Kasey L; Riddick, Keysha T; Romeo, Deanna C; Schwer, Rosemarie A; Segnatelli, Barbara C; Snyder, Catherine S; Spence, Kimberly M.N.; Tello, Nicole Kirkland; Thatcher, Jennifer L; White,

Joshua T; Wyatt, Debra;

Subject: Attachments: SB 194- The gameplan sb0194f.pdf; committeefaq.pdf; Field Trip Permission Letter SB 194 hearings.doc

Importance:

High

Good Morning All,

Thank you all very much for your enthusiasm and support as we move forward. I understand that this bill has created quite the buzz in the student leadership community. As we continue to speak with our counselors and refine our approach to this, we ask that you join our efforts to kill the bill in the committee.

We are approaching this issue with caution and a great deal of organization. Of course, everyone is welcome to lobby privately. However, we are coordinating the formal testimony to assure that we stay on message. We see this as an opportunity to demonstrate the maturity and sophistication of the student voice. This is how we would like to move forward.

- I. Please designate one or two students to speak from your group. Make sure that this student (preferably your SMOB or president) is available and willing to travel to Annapolis on the 29th.
 - a. That student will be testifying at the hearing and should email me their written testimony no later than Monday January 27th.
 - i. Refer to our key points and addition resources to help students craft their message
 - ii. Written testimony should come on letter head, please proof read.
 - iii. We will make the necessary copies the official testimony and deliver it to the committee office by 11am on the 29th.
 - b. On the morning of the hearing, a volunteer will submit the 25 copies of all written testimony and sign students up to speak.
 - i. We would like the order of students to be CRASC rep (MASC rep other counties, state SMOB (AACPS SMOB (MASC rep other counties, state SMOB (MASC rep other co
 - ii. Aacps students, staff, and parents are encouraged to come to the Parham Building by 11am and take a bus downtown. (Yes, we have paid for an AACPS bus. Unfortunately we are unable to transport students from outside the county)
 - iii. We will meet in a reserved room at the Miller Senate Office Building at 11 Bladen Street, Annapolis at noon.
 - iv. The hearing will begin at 1pm. Game on.
 - c. Double check you logistics
 - i. My kids need a signed permission slip, I have attached it.
 - ii. I don't know what documentation is required from other counties, student please check with your advisors on this.
 - iii. Professional dress and superlative behavior! This bill is based on the belief that students cannot be mature enough to make adult decisions. The best way to fight it is to bring you're A game in terms of professionalism.
- II. Write to your representatives!! I am sure that there will be many more students who are appalled by this bill. Please write directly to your representatives. Especially those senators who sit on this committee. It is very possible that this bill will not make it out of the committee.

Please see that attached resources for FAQ and guidelines for testimony. 25 hard copies must be provided by noon on the 29th, so please have your students email me their written testimony in a word format by Monday evening!! Legislators from Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, PG, Washington, Fredrick, Montgomery, Harford, and Anne Arundel Counties all sit on the committee. So testimony of student speakers from these regions should be the most compelling.

Finally, please communicate your intensions and plans to me. I know I cannot avoid all surprises but I would like to have a handle on how many student reps will be joining as and speaking. THANK YOU ALL!!!

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools "You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

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From: Sent:	Poisson, Aimee L Wednesday, January 22, 2014 4:42 PM
To:	
Cc:	
Subject:	Re: ??????
Ok. I don't have my regular cor the word that we will have a me	mputer at home and my iPad doesn't save distribution lists. Can you two spread eeting tomorrow. 6pm boe.
Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public S	chools
On Jan 22, 2014, at 4:36 PM,	wrote:
> I can do it.	
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> Thanks,	
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>> On Jan 22, 2014, at 4:03 P	M, "Poisson, Aimee L" < <u>APOISSON@AACPS.org</u> > wrote:
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>> Aimee Poisson	
>> Anne Arundel County Publi	c Schools
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>> Please consider the enviror	nment before printing this e-mail.

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 22, 2014 4:41 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: Wednesday 29th

Yes, it's acts as a liability waiver. So I don't get sued if you fall on some ice and break a tooth.

Aimee Poisson

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 22, 2014, at 4:03 PM, "Rian Alexandra" < rianalexandra96@gmail.com > wrote:

Because of the snowdays and the exam week schedule plus the semester break that means the 29th students wont have school so do we still need to get those permission slips signed.?

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 22, 2014 4:03 PM

To:

Subject:

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Is a meeting tomorrow possible or is it too much in the middle of finals?

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

From: Sent:	Poisson, Aimee L Wednesday, January 22, 2014 2:23 PM
То:	
Subject:	Re: App thingy and MLK breakfast
<u>Jconrad@aacps.org</u> Let er'rip!	
Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public S	chools
On Jan 22, 2014, at 1:55 PM,	'Drooff, Else E" < <u>EDROOFF@AACPS.org</u> > wrote:
	mail I need to ask her about setting an email with Mrs.Perkins to talk about lked about a few weeks ago! Happy Snow Day x2! :) Mrs.Pelham probably
From: Poisson, Aimee LSent: Wednesday, January 0To:	
> Subject: RE: App thingy and >	MLK breakfast
> Good luck!! Princeton would >	be lucky to have you.
> Aimee Poisson> Administrator for Student Lea> Arundel County Public School> 410-222-5405	adership Development CRASC Advisor Anne ols
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	out you can always adjust your sails."
>Original Message	
> From: Sent: Wednesday, January C	98, 2014 12:10 PM
> To: Poisson, Aimee L > Subject: RE: App thingy and	MIK breakfast
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	ix my health problems once and for all! v on Sunday! hahaha just figured out I
	e Abacos in the summer Im gonna be
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> > From: Poisson, Aimee L	<u> </u>
> Sent: Wednesday, January 0 > To: > Cc: Pelham, Sarah S	8, 2014 12:07 PM
> Subject: RE: App thingy and	MLK breakfast

> I just kicked it to Ms. Pelham because she knows how we both feel about it and would support us in this endeavor. She says schedule the meeting. Why don't you speak to Ms. Perkins and set up a time that works best for you. I will work around your schedule. > PS- There is nothing wrong with taking a little time to be a normal teenager. Maybe you can use a bit of this time to creep on facebook and chase boys? > Aimee Poisson > Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne > Arundel County Public Schools > 410-222-5405 > "You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails." > ----Original Message-----> From: > Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2014 12:03 PM > To: Poisson, Aimee L > Subject: RE: App thingy and MLK breakfast > I can always contact Ms.Perkins if need me since this is somewhat my own initiative and goal of mine :) I am feeling all guilty for the track thing so I have to stay busy and productive some how! > > From: Poisson, Aimee L > Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2014 11:56 AM > Subject: RE: App thingy and MLK breakfast > Let me look into it. > Aimee Poisson > Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne > Arundel County Public Schools > 410-222-5405 > > "You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails." > ----Original Message-----> From: > Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2014 11:56 AM > To: Poisson, Aimee L > Subject: RE: App thingy and MLK breakfast > What do you think about scheduling a meeting with mamie, ms.pelham, you, and me to discuss options for starting an advisory group for students that may be underacheivers? I was thinking it might be good for me to share my opinions with Mrs. Perkins and brainstorm what we could work out before I leave in July. I have decided to take a break from track so I am hoping to have a teeny bit more time (in February really haha) until Outdoor Track.. I was missing so much practice and with this new project I havent been running so well so hopefully this break will help! > > From: Poisson, Aimee L

> Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2014 9:55 AM

> To:(
> Subject: App thingy and MLK breakfast
>
> FYI, I've spoken to Dr M. She will be in touch with me to let me know about the volunteer need for the day >
On another note, I have a ton of tickets to the MLK breakfast. Want to go?
> Aimee Poisson
> Anne Arundel County Public Schools
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> Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail.

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 22, 2014 11:21 AM

To:

Subject:

Re: Meetings

Nope. We can't even get into the building.

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 22, 2014, at 11:12 AM,

wrote:

> Do we still have a Board meeting and/or an Exec staff meeting tonight?

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 21, 2014 8:50 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: Meeting

No

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID



Do we still have a meeting tomorrow?



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Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 21, 2014 12:38 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: Exec staff

Ill bump the meeting to Thursday. Its the only thing I can do.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

wrote:

If school is canceled or delayed, what happens to exec staff tomorrow?

From: Poisson, Aimee L Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:29 PM To: Crawford, Karen L. Cc: Subject: Re: sb 194 Thank you very much. We would like both and look of join us. I will be in touch on Monday with our talking points. Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID wrote: So, Ms. Poisson, if you want our SMOB and MCR president to testify, let them know. If you only want one, I could still drive o Annapolis to be there for support -K From: Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:49 PM Crawford, Karen L.; 'Poisson, Aimee L' Cc: Subject: RE: sb 194 I am also available to testify. Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:52 AM To: Crawford, Karen L.; 'Poisson, Aimee L'; Subject: RE: sb 194 Ms. Poisson, I'll testify on sb 194 on the 29th. Please let me know if I have to do anything to register as a speaker. ----Original Message----From: Crawford, Karen L. Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:46 AM Poisson, Aimee L'; To Subject: RE: sb 194

This is a coordinated effort from Anne Arundel County. You have been invited to testify (you or

Please let Ms. Poisson (advisor) and others listed if you will be able to testify. They are coordinating the testimonies and the talking points so all is covered without a lot of duplication.

Please REPLY ALL if you will be able to testify.

KCrawford

From: Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 10:44 AM To: Crawford, Karen L.; 'Poisson, Aimee L'; Cc: Subject: RE: sb 194
I spoke with some other Maryland SMOBs and some of us will be going down to Annapolis on that day.
From: Crawford, Karen L. Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 4:03 PM To: 'Poisson, Aimee L'; Cc: Subject: RE: sb 194
-I hope one of you can do this. I can drive you to Annapolis if needed.
Amy – the hearing is actually in the State Capitol, not the Senate building?
KCrawford
From: Poisson, Aimee L [mailto:APOISSON@AACPS.org] <mailto:[mailto:apoisson@aacps.org]> Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 3:58 PM To: Crawford, Karen L. Cc: Subject: sb 194</mailto:[mailto:apoisson@aacps.org]>
Hello Karen, As previously discussed, can you please forward this note to your president and smob.
As I am sure you are aware, we are assembling a team of representatives from various regions to provide testimony to the MDGA Education, Health and Environmental Affairs Committee. Senator Karen Montgomery (from Montgomery County) sits on this committee, so including your student testimony is a prudent. The hearing is at 1pm on January 29th in the Capital Building. Would you be willing to join us and provide testimony on behalf of your organization?
Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405
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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:51 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: Scholarship for Scholars

No. His is fluff. Focus on the leadership that is about service and community instead of self aggrandizing titles. Find a way to show your impact and legacy. Make it the theme.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID



I'm worried though because if applies- his résumé probably looks better than mine. Oh well I guess I just have to try and THANK YOU!

Sent from my iPhone

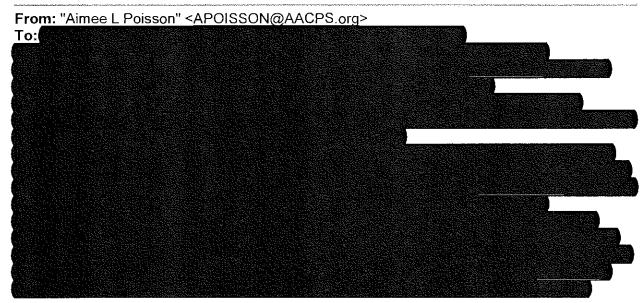
On Jan 18, 2014, at 3:28 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" < APOISSON@AACPS.org > wrote:

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Friday, January 17, 2014 4:08 PM

To:

Richard Moody

Cc: Subject:

RE: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

This has created quite the buzz in the student leadership community.

As I am sure you are aware, we are assembling a team of representatives from various regions to provide testimony to the MDGA Education, Health and Environmental Affairs Committee. Joanne Benson, Paul Pinsky, and James Rosepepe (who we share, and is a key swing vote in the AAC delegation) all sit on this committee, so including your student testimony is a prudent. The hearing is at 1pm on January 29th in the Capital Building. Would a small delegation of your students be willing to join us and provide testimony on behalf of your organization? We would prefer to hear from your president and SMOB. And we will provide all the key talking points.

Let me know if you would like to jump into this fray. The hearing is at 1pm in the capital building on the 29th. Thanks.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From: Richard Moody [mailto:rmoody@pgcps.org]
Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2014 11:15 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: Re: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Aimee,

I shared this at the PGRASG exec board meeting last night. After a few gasps it was silent and the students are shocked and outraged. Angela was texting and e-mailing your students at their meeting last night from ours. I will be sharing this with all advisors and my exec board. We are ready to act-up if necessary. Please let us know how we can support CRASC. We are ready!

I have several questions:

- 1. The hearing on January 29th, do you have the details of time and location?
- 2. Did something happen with your SMOB that caused such a proposal?
- 3. Will students be allowed to testify at the hearing?

Any other details that you have will be good. I will wait to hear from you.

Richard Moody Regional Advisor PGRASG

On Wed, Jan 15, 2014 at 4:54 PM, Poisson, Aimee L < APOISSON@aacps.org> wrote:

Friends,
Today Senator Ed Reilly introduced SB 194, a bill to revoke the full voting rights for the AACPS Student Member of the Board.
I am sure I don't need to explain to everyone the ramifications of this damaging piece of legislation. Anne Arundel County's inclusion of a SMOB with full voting rights is cited as the precedent for other efforts to attain voting rights and representation. Loss of this right in our county would diminish the likelihood of Needless to say, this bill must be publicly and adamantly opposed.
I am speaking with my students this evening and will be meeting with our systems legal counsel tomorrow to determine how we will proceed. I am requesting your support in this. It goes to committee on January 29 th at 1pm.
I'll be in touch to discuss our next step. Thank you.
Aimee Poisson
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From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 3:58 PM

To: Crawford, Karen L. (Karen_L_Crawford@mcpsmd.org)

Cc:

Subject: sb 194

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From:

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Sent:

Friday, January 17, 2014 1:15 PM

To:

Friday, January 17, 2014 1.13 FW

Subject:

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Attachments:

Field Trip Permission Letter SB 194 hearings.doc; Drive Permission Student Self-

Transportation Form.doc

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Friday, January 17, 2014 10:59 AM

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Thatcher, Jennifer L; White, Joshua T; Wyatt, Debra

Subject:

FW: MD Environmental Legislative Summit

FYI

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

"You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From: Jeff Rogge - ext. 2063 [mailto:JRogge@cbf.org]

Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 10:57 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: MD Environmental Legislative Summit

CBF would like to announce to students:

The Maryland Environmental Legislative Summit. When Tuesday, January 21, 2014 4:30 PM - 6 PM

This is the 20th summit, so it will celebrate the past and look towards the future, and because of that, the Chesapeake Bay Foundation feels it is critical to include the student voice.

Your presence can send a message!

Our Chesapeake is very much an issue that matters to those who will inherit it.

Considering the recent bill introduced to eliminate a student vote on the Anne Arundel County Board of Education, this is an incredibly important time to be counted for issues you care about. I am sure clean rivers and a healthy Bay is important to you.

This is also a good opportunity to learn about what is going on in the environment, and where you can get involved. There will be speakers, information booths, the National Aquarium will be bringing animals. CBF has also invited a number of students to attend as well (if you are one of them and you already replied to Jeff, we have already rsvp'd for you). If you are able to attend, please go to the link below to reserve a seat and let them know you are coming. This is not a CBF event, but we would like to include you as our guest.

Where:

Miller Conference Room, Miller Senate Building 11 Bladen St. Annapolis, MD 21401

To RSVP click this link:

https://www.thedatabank.com/dpg/288/personal2.asp?formid=meetedfund&c=5706029

We hope to see you there!

Jeff Rogge

Chesapeake Bay Foundation
Student Leadership Campaign Coordinator

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Friday, January 17, 2014 10:48 AM

To:

Jeff Rogge - ext. 2063

Subject:

RE: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Yes of course I will send the invite through my channels. Tom have me speaking at some event on February 4th. Will you be at that?

As far as the senate bill...i'm not sure Ed Reilly knows what he is in for. These kids know what they are doing. Everything that we do is in preparation for moments like this.

Is it terrible that I am excited by the attention that this will bring to CRASC? We shine in moments like these.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From: Jeff Rogge - ext. 2063 [mailto:JRogge@cbf.orq]

Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 10:36 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: RE: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Importance: High

Hi Aimee,

FYI, I'm circulating your email, and have requested this as an agenda topic for CBF's Student Leadership meeting on Tuesday.

At the least, I am sure we will visibly support the students. Since it is not a Bay-focus, I am doubtful that CBF will take a formal stand on it.

Since this goes through the same committee that we work with (Education, Health and the Environment Committee) I am hoping that we can ask our advocacy people to subtly mention this to their contacts.

Related to this, on Tuesday in Annapolis 4:30 is the MD Environmental Legislative Summit. Some of the CRASC'ers are coming

It will be the 20th anniversary, so there will be a focus on looking back as well as looking to the future, and I understand that student engagement will be a talking point. It is very likely we will have make some comments on students, the Bay, and the future.

Since members of the Education, Health and Environment committee will be present, I can only think it would help if we had a large student presence in their faces. I'm going to email you an announcement, if you want to forward it to your wider group of students. The event is focused on the environment, so it's not the same issue, but I am thinking this would advance student leadership for both our angles.

I have asked students to RSVP to me by noon, but that is too soon for your timeframe. You could have students just rsvp directly to the link I will put in the email.

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This is such an insult to students. The silver lining is that this is a great cause for students to get riled up and engaged.

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Importance: High

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Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

"Hou cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Friday, January 17, 2014 9:33 AM

i have a task for you two

To:

Cc:

Subject:

and the second s

Can you write a press release about CRASC intention to oppose the bill. Can you get me something rough over the weekend?

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

[&]quot;You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Thursday, January 16, 2014 4:32 PM

To:

Subject:

time to call some legislators!!!

Attachments:

legschedule 2014.xlsx; leg cold call script.docx; legcontacts.pdf

Importance:

High

Hello All,

Thank you for getting on this. Our first order of business is to verify that our legislators will be available for students to visit on the 19th. After I can see who is available, we will direct school to one building or the other to control traffic flow and insure that everyone gets to see someone. Each of you is assigned a certain number of offices to contact. DO THIS BY MAKING A PHONE CALL during business hours. Stick to the reps that we assigned last night so that we don't overbook ourselves. Before you make any calls, please refer to my spreadsheet. There was some confusion in the notes from last night so please just go with what I have assigned.

The script schedule and contacts are all attached. Please make sure that you read through everything and practice a few times before you call.

Thank you all!

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

"You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Thursday, January 16, 2014 4:32 PM

To:

Cc:

Subject:

disregard my ramblings

I am confused and have not slept in a bit...please disregard my previous email. we did not assign you anything. I have lost my mind.....sorry.

Aimce Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Thursday, January 16, 2014 3:06 PM

To:

Cc:

Subject:

lobbying day

Since we assigned some calls without her being there, can you please follow up with her to make sure she is comfortable with what is going on and how to make the calls. I am suer she is fine. Ijust want someone to speak with her about it.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

[&]quot;You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 15, 2014 9:21 PM

To:

Cuches, Jessica S

Subject:

Re: SB 194

Absolutely.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

"Cuches, Jessica S" <JCUCHES@AACPS.org> wrote:

Aimee - I talked to George over email and he is outraged & said we will definitely bring testimony. Let's talk tomorrow afternoon or Friday afternoon. Does that work for you? We can coordinate efforts, testimony etc.

Thanks, Jessica

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2014 8:12 PM

To: Cuches, Jessica S **Subject:** Re: SB 194

I have some suspicions. Reilly wants an all elected boe. I believe that this might be in response to a push from other counties. Most other county systems are trying to get voting rights for their systems. They all use AACPS as the precedent. It might be easier to explain over the phone if you want to call me 410-562-1165

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 15, 2014, at 7:23 PM, "Cuches, Jessica S" < <u>JCUCHES@AACPS.org</u>> wrote:

Aimee,

Sorry I could not offer you more time or a more thorough response when you emailed me earlier today. I was busy with several other things and I had not seen SB 194 yet. Do you have any idea where this is coming from? Why Senator Reilly filed it? The next BOE meeting's agenda is already set and George and I did not plan on bringing Legislative items to this meeting (it will be on the agenda for the 1st meeting in Feb). However, since the hearing for this Bill is prior to the Feb BOE meeting I will talk to him about submitting testimony anyway with Ms. Perkins & the BOE's support. Are you thinking or someone else will want to provide live testimony? We can definitely coordinate efforts once I get official word that the BOE is in support of opposition.

I have a legislative breakfast tomorrow morning, George will be there too so I intend on talking to him about this at that time. When I get back I have a meeting and documents due to the BOE but maybe we can chat in the late afternoon. If not then sometime on Friday? Have you talked to or any of your other student reps about this yet?

Thanks, Jessica

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Sent:

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To:

rayleonepta@comcast.net

Subject:

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Can you please read this and get back to me!!!!

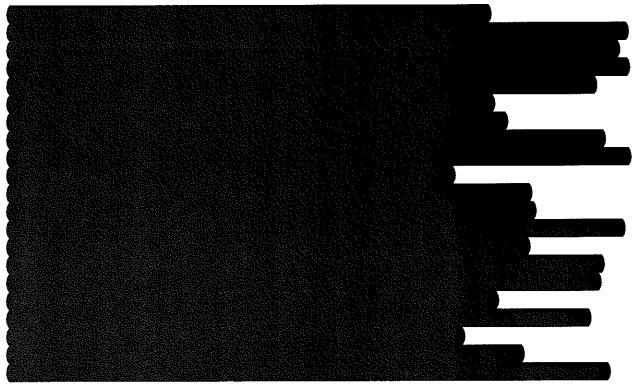
Aimee Poisson
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Poisson, Aimee L" < APOISSON@AACPS.org>

Date: January 15, 2014 4:54:13 PM EST





"Aikens, Steven V" <SAIKENS@AACPS.org>, "Brown, Delise J" <DJBROWN@AACPS.org>, "Brown, Doug R" < DRBROWN2@AACPS.org>, "Brunner, Amanda M" < AMBRUNNER@AACPS.org>, "Godfrey, Bryan G" <BGODFREY@AACPS.org>, "Chandupatla, Ankita" < ACHANDUPATLA@AACPS.org>, "Chew, Carolyn J" <CCHEW@AACPS.org>, "Clautice, Elizabeth K" <ECLAUTICE@AACPS.org>, "Cooper, Joseph" <JCOOPER1@AACPS.org>, "Crankfield, Danielle R" < DCRANKFIELD@AACPS.org>, "DeLaet, Patricia E." <PDELAET@AACPS.org>, "Dougherty, Joyce A" < <u>JDOUGHERTY@AACPS.org</u>>, "Francis, Joanne M" <JMFRANCIS@AACPS.org>, "Poteet, Garnett C" <GCPOTEET@aacps.org>, "Gilbertson, Roberta S" <RGILBERTSON@AACPS.org>, "Goforth, Kellie J" <KJGOFORTH@AACPS.org>, "Gulden, Krystal L" < KGULDEN@AACPS.org>, "Hall, Jennifer Frances" < JFHALL@AACPS.org>, "Hammond, Tara A" <THAMMOND@AACPS.org>, "Hanson, Crystal M" < CHANSON@AACPS.org>, "Harding, Anna R" <ARHARDING@AACPS.org>, "Hill, Jennifer Lynne" <JLHILL@AACPS.org>, "Hines, Janet Irene" <JHINES@AACPS.org>, "Hinsvark, Chris Sean" < CHINSVARK@AACPS.org>, "Horwitz, Alexander" <AHORWITZ@AACPS.org>, "Housand, Ashley N" < AHOUSAND@AACPS.org>, "Katona, Victoria L" <VKATONA@AACPS.org>, "Lewis, DeMarcus A" < DALEWIS1@AACPS.org>, "Littleton, Tammy L" <TLITTLETON@AACPS.org>, "Lyate, Kate L" <KLYATE@AACPS.org>, "Maher, Michael J" < MJMAHER@AACPS.org>, "Malone, Patrick James" < PMALONE@AACPS.org>, "McClure, Jacqueline A" <JAMCCLURE@AACPS.org>, "Morrison, Rachael Kate" <RMORRISON@AACPS.org>, "Neal, Melody Ann" <MNEAL@AACPS.org>, "Noreiga, Leah L A" <LNOREIGA@AACPS.org>, "Pastine, Allison T" APASTINE@AACPS.org, "Poynton, Kasey L" <KLPOYNTON@AACPS.org>, "Riddick, Keysha T" <KRIDDICK@AACPS.org>, "Romeo, Deanna C" <DROMEO@AACPS.org>, "Schwer, Rosemarie A" <RSCHWER@AACPS.org>, "Segnatelli, Barbara C" < BSEGNATELLI@AACPS.org>, "Snyder, Catherine S" < CSNYDER@AACPS.org>, "Spence, Kimberly M.N." <KMSPENCE1@AACPS.org>, "Tello, Nicole Kirkland" < NTELLO@AACPS.org>, "Thatcher, Jennifer L" <JThatcher@AACPS.org>, "White, Joshua T" <<u>JTWHITE@AACPS.org</u>>, "Wyatt, Debra" <DWYATT1@AACPS.org>

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 15, 2014 5:05 PM

To:

Brown, Doug R

Subject:

RE: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

Can you believe this BS?

Aimce Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From: Brown, Doug R

Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2014 5:04 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: RE: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

I will go to the hearing.

Doug Brown

STEM Teacher

Student Government and Senior Class Advisor

South River High School

From: Poisson, Aimee L
Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2014 4:54 PM
To: Diane DCosta;

Aikens, Steven V; Brown, Delise J; Brown, Doug R; Brunner, Amanda M;

Godfrey, Bryan G; Chandupatla, Ankita; Chew, Carolyn J; Clautice, Elizabeth K; Cooper, Joseph; Crankfield, Danielle R; DeLaet, Patricia E.; Dougherty, Joyce A; Francis, Joanne M; Poteet, Garnett C; Gilbertson, Roberta S; Goforth, Kellie J; Gulden, Krystal L; Hall, Jennifer Frances; Hammond, Tara A; Hanson, Crystal M; Harding, Anna R; Hill, Jennifer Lynne; Hines, Janet Irene; Hinsvark, Chris Sean; Horwitz, Alexander; Housand, Ashley N; Katona, Victoria L; Lewis, DeMarcus A; Littleton, Tammy L; Lyate, Kate L; Maher, Michael J; Malone, Patrick James; McClure, Jacqueline A; Morrison, Rachael Kate; Neal, Melody Ann; Noreiga, Leah L A; Pastine, Allison T; Phelan, Jaclyn M; Poynton, Kasey L; Riddick, Keysha T; Romeo, Deanna C; Schwer, Rosemarie A; Segnatelli, Barbara C; Snyder, Catherine S; Spence, Kimberly M.N.; Tello, Nicole Kirkland; Thatcher, Jennifer L; White, Joshua T; Wyatt, Debra Subject: A Major Issue, Please Assist.

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Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 15, 2014 4:57 PM

To:

Subject:

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Attachments:

sb0194f.pdf

Importance:

High

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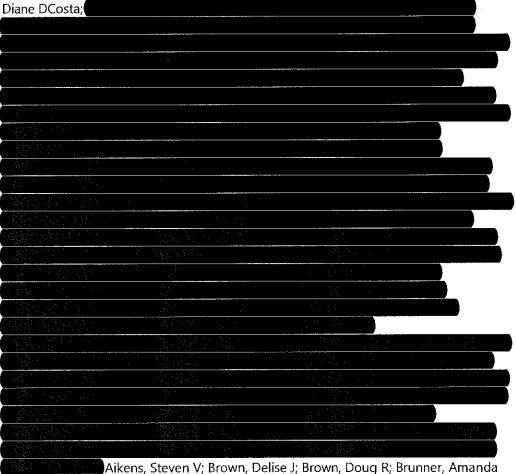
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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Wednesday, January 15, 2014 4:28 PM

To:

Subject:

sb 194

Dude, really?

Aimce Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

[&]quot;You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Wednesday, January 15, 2014 10:08 AM

To:

Subject: Re: wednesday meeting

OK I am going to write some things up to help you plan for lobbying day. I am starting to get antsy about it so I'm just going to go into Huber plan mode and hand you the script to deliver. I hope that's cool. I don't want to get bit in the end because we have not planned.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID



Good Morning,

Sorry I haven't gotten back to you sooner, there has been a lot going on with the end of the marking period closing and mid-terms next week (study, study, study). Then to top it all off I am still unable to leave my house this morning due to a fire on my street. I should be able to leave shortly to get to school. I know you wanted to meet before the meeting at some point to work on Lobbying Day. I have rehearsal after school until 5:00pm, I can leave directly from rehearsal to come to the BOE. This should give us about an hour to work before the meeting. That is if you have time between 5:30ish and 6:30 (then we will be ready for the meeting).

Thank you,



On Tuesday, January 14, 2014 1:36 PM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <<u>APOISSON@AACPS.org</u>> wrote:

Hello Bambinos!!!

Just friendly reminder, I will see you all on Wednesday. We got some Lobbying Day Planning to get down to!! 6:30 BOE be there!!!

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail.

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 6:09 PM

To:

Subject:

Re: MLK Breakfast invite.

All the details are in the link.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

wrote:

hey, I just checked your email, if there are still available spots, id be interested, what is the date and time?

Sent from Windows Mail

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 10:41 AM

To:

Good Morning Minions!

I have been given the ticket for 2 full tables at the MLK Breakfast for this year. The system has asked that I invite a select group of student leaders to attend this event. If you are receiving this email, you are invited. I tried sending this email last week but I did not hear bad from all of you. So here we are again.

The MLK Breakfast is an important event in our community. AACPS student leaders will be recognized. It will be cool. There will be speakers, local politicians, community activists, and educators. This is a pretty high profile opportunity. I have included a link about it below.

This event is by invitation only. Please let me know if you are interested in attending. If not, I'll give you ticket to someone else! I have 10 tickets left!!!

Aimee Poisson

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Poisson, Mary T" < MPOISSON@AACPS.org>

Date: January 7, 2014 10:01:43 AM EST

To: "Poisson, Aimee L" < APOISSON@AACPS.org>

Subject: Breakfast Info

http://www.aacc.edu/mlk/breakfast.cfm

Thank you Terry Poisson Coordinator of Social Studies Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5440 410-222-5608 (fax)

Please consider the environment before printing this e-mail.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:05 PM

To:

Spence, Kimberly M.N.

Subject:

RE: Jean drive

Feb 19th. Lobbying Day. Big email coming out about it tomorrow.

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From: Spence, Kimberly M.N.

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:04 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L **Subject:** RE: Jean drive

:)

Oh... the kids were asking. Date for next CRASC?

Kimberly Spence, NBCT
Department Chair, World & Classical Languages
Sponsor, National Spanish Honor Society & Student Government Association
Old Mill High School

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:03 PM

To: Spence, Kimberly M.N. **Subject:** RE: Jean drive

Hove everything about it!

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From: Spence, Kimberly M.N.

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:03 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L **Subject:** RE: Jean drive

Wow... that was fast! :)

My student came up with it then we talked about the particulars. Makes sense, huh? Those "little" clubs/sports really need that \$\$! We're already trying to figure out something for the spring.

It's been fun... I like the changes being implemented... another goal being to "Think Globally, Act Locally". Trying to avoid the "big" organizations and see where we can really affect change in the community.

Sure, I can share.

Kimberly Spence, NBCT
Department Chair, World & Classical Languages
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From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 3:05 PM

To: Spence, Kimberly M.N.

Cc: Medina, Xiomara V; Pelham, Sarah S; Irons, Cherise C

Subject: FW: Jean drive

I've just heard through the grapevine about your jeans drive. This is the best example I have seen of how to get your school's other clubs and organizations involved in the leadership structure of your school. I cannot tell you how thrilled I am to hear about this.

Would you mind sharing this great idea with the other advisors?

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Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 2:59 PM

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Date: January 14, 2014 at 8:25:04 PM GMT+2

To: DL-OldMillHighSchool

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Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 4:03 PM

To:

Spence, Kimberly M.N.

Subject:

RE: Jean drive

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From: Spence, Kimberly M.N.

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Wow... that was fast! :)

My student came up with it then we talked about the particulars. Makes sense, huh? Those "little" clubs/sports really need that \$\$! We're already trying to figure out something for the spring.

It's been fun... I like the changes being implemented... another goal being to "Think Globally, Act Locally". Trying to avoid the "big" organizations and see where we can really affect change in the community.

Sure, I can share.

Kimberly Spence, NBCT Department Chair, World & Classical Languages Sponsor, National Spanish Honor Society & Student Government Association Old Mill High School

From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 3:05 PM

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 3:02 PM

To:

Subject:

RE: MLK Breakfast invite.

I will put you on the list. Its next Monday, you have off school. Read the link in the email for more info.

Aimce Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From:

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 3:00 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: Re: MLK Breakfast invite.

Hi Ms. Poisson,

Sorry for the late response, this email was buried under a mountain of other ones. If there's still a spot, I'd like one. If not, well, darn.

I don't know if you mentioned this is your previous email, but do you know the date?

See you at the meeting tomorrow,

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To:	
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wednesday meeting

Hello Bambinos!!!

Just friendly reminder, I will see you all on Wednesday. We got some Lobbying Day Planning to get down to!! 6:30 BOE be there!!!

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 12:07 PM

To:

Schwer, Rosemarie A

Subject:

RE: Catching Up

lf mom

mom wants to take her all the way to Cumberland for it, more power to her.

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From: Schwer, Rosemarie A

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 12:06 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Cc: Nein, Kimberly J; Pelham, Sarah S

Subject: RE: Catching Up

Aimee,

Oh man, I was just talking about MASC Leg Session on February 8th. So, yes, that has been a well run event in the past. I cannot go that day, but I do have a parent, and her mother, who are interested in attending. If that is okay, let me know. But if it's not, they will understand.

Thanks for looking into the bus situation for Lobbying Day on Feb. 19th. I hope we can bring as many kids as possible!

I appreciate your attention to my concerns.

Very Respectfully, Rosemarie

Rosemarie Santare Schwer, NBCT Reading Interventions Student Government Advisor

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From: Poisson, Aimee L

Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 11:46 AM

To: Schwer, Rosemarie A

Cc: Nein, Kimberly J; Pelham, Sarah S

Subject: RE: Catching Up

I think that we are confusing MASC legislative session and MASC Lobbying Day. Leg Session is a very well organized event. We sent a nus last year because I had the critical mass needed to justify the expense. We took over 100 students to support our 3 state SMOB candidates. This is an excellent event. Thought the chaperone ratios and supervision does not hit all the AACPS requirements, it just fine and an excellent event for students (like to be a part of. I tend to think that some of these sessions are beneath our kids but I am sure its just because our kids are my babies and I think they are better than everyone at everything (that's normal right?? I cant help it!!! They are JUST SO AWESOME!!)

I am not sure if we will be able to send kids without a school based chaperone. I know that this has been the practice in the past but it is direct violation of our policies. MASC is not my organization and I have run in to many issues in regards to their paperwork, chaperone requirements, and stuff but I am speaking to Sally about it. Right now, the plan is that if I can keep our total number of students attending from aacps at a manageable number, I will just be the chaperone for everyone.

MASC Lobbying Day is the other evening event that I described. I hope that helps to clarify.

YES 65 kids, its the blanket rule. It's not cool, at all. I am working with the transportation dept to rework this. I am thinking we will have one bus for each feeder system, so you would just be with SHS. But don't quote me just yet. I will have this organized soon and I will let you know as soon as the information comes to me.

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Sent: Tuesday, January 14, 2014 11:10 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Cc: Nein, Kimberly J; Pelham, Sarah S

Subject: RE: Catching Up

Dear Aimee,

Thank you for your reply. I'm sure you've had a lot on your plate lately. I myself have been battling some form of the upper respiratory virus that must have been spawned from the devil himself! It's been a really rough week or two trying to get well!

I have attended the MASC Legislative Session twice before, but it's been several years since. I think the last time I went was when Emma Graybill was a freshman. She was the only high school student on the bus with us

and I served as her advisor that day. It was a fairly organized event then and the major thrust of the day was listening to various pieces of legislation that the state would be voting on and then of course, determining the State Student Member of the Board recommendation. When I attended before it was once in Prince George's County and once in Prince Frederick County. It sounds as though the event has changed over the years. Since I am not available to attend myself this year, then perhaps this is not something I will encourage my students to attend then, based on what you are telling me.

Wow! The "Legal limit" for the buses is 65?? That is just unbelievable! It must be for small children. Not that I'm doubting you, but it certainly cannot include adults and high school aged students. Wow!! Ok, so however you feel it is best to determine the number of delegates schools can bring ... I know you just want to make sure every school brings a full delegation. And I know there are schools like mine who could bring MORE than our fair share of delegates. I have a lot of kids who really want to attend this trip!

I know in the past advisors used to have to send our numbers in to the Office of Student Leadership by a certain date prior to events. And I know some advisors were delinquent in doing this and it created problems. So, I understand how there is no easy fix to this problem.

There has to be some happy medium with the buses. When one school is brings 30 students plus adults, another 20 students plus adults, and then 2 more schools are assigned to the bus, the math just doesn't work to put all those people on one bus. So, if we tried what you are suggesting, having the advisors work out the details, we would need to know in advance with which schools were going to be assigned so we have time to communicate student numbers.

I suppose it's worth a try! Maybe feeder system buses? I do know that I have more than standard delegation size who would like to attend the trip for Lobbying Day on February 19th. I do have a parent volunteer who can come on the trip if needed. So, I just need to know how many students I can say yes to.

If I can be of any assistance in trying to find a solution, please let me know. I realize, like I said, there is no easy fix! I'm willing to help.

Thanks for your willingness to support our student leaders in providing opportunities outside the classroom for learning!

Sincerely, Rosemarie Schwer

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Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 12:07 PM

To: Schwer, Rosemarie A; Hanson, Crystal M; Wheatley, Marla H

Cc: Nein, Kimberly J; Pelham, Sarah S

Subject: RE: Catching Up

Things have been crazy. I thought responded to you be it might be sitting in my drafts box or on another device. I've been trying to work from 2 different computers, an ipad, and an android. Things are not always synched.

I will not provide transportation to MASC lobbying day. Since your students are in middle school, I will tell you between the two of us, that I do not recommend this event. I'm not sure if you have ever participated but it is significantly less structured that our event. Students wander unsupervised during an open period of time between dinner, the leg buildings, and around town. At some point they kids all assemble in an office room and go over to watch a bit of session, then they leave when they are bored or their rides show up. This is ok for older kids but maybe less structured than I would like for younger kids.

If enough student are interested, I can organize something a bit more structured for our kids on that night. So we can meet up with MASC but have a bit more direction for the rest of the evening. The arundle advisors also expressed interest in this event so I have copied them.

I have not figured out the numbers for lobbying day yet. (again this issue applied to AHS) I really hate to limit participation but the bus situation may force me to cap the numbers. I am thinking that the best way to manage this is to work with the advisors of the other schools who will be riding your bus and decide amongst yourselves how to use the bus space. Believe it or not, the legal limit for school buses in 65!!! Until that number is hit, the transportation department doesn't add another bus. HOWEVER, I am working on it. I'm have not yet figured out the best way to distribute buses but my goal is to allow for the maximum number of participants in this event.

I'm sorry if this doesn't answer your questions but I want to assure you that I am working hard to come up with a proactive solution. You input is always appreciated, let me know if you have any other problems or ideas. Thank you!!!

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From: Schwer, Rosemarie A

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 11:52 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L **Cc:** Nein, Kimberly J **Subject:** RE: Catching Up

Aimee,

Thanks for getting information out regarding CRASC dues. I filed my paperwork the next day. So, if you haven't already received our check you shall shortly.

You probably haven't had time to reply to individual advisors lately. However, I would like to know about MASC Legislative Day and Lobbying Day. I've filled out the paperwork for Lobbying day and wondering how to proceed about the MASC Leg Day.

If possible sometime this week, could you please let me know if there will be transportation provided to MASC Leg Day or not and the size delegation we will be allowed to bring to Lobbying Day?

Thanks so much! I know you are really busy.

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Sent: Monday, January 06, 2014 10:23 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L **Subject:** Catching Up

Hi Aimee,

Happy New Year! I hope this finds you well rested after the holidays and winter break.

The student leaders at Southern Middle are raring and ready to make a difference!

Seriously, I've had several of the students come in last week and today very excited and asking about Lobbying Day and MASC. I truly appreciate their enthusiam. It becomes motivating for me!

Here's a few things I where we need some clarification and information so we can get things rolling into the new year:

First - CRASC Dues: I know we owe ours. The CRASC website hasn't been updated in a few years and I don't seem to have on hand any information about how much the dues are. We would like to pay our dues, but we just don't know how much to pay. I've mentioned this to the CRASC Treasurer during the Old Mill General Assembly and asked if he could create a flyer or bill or something. Just a thought.

Second - MASC Legislation Day on February 8th: I am not available this year, but I have a few students who would like to attend. Will there be a bus from CRASC providing transportation? Do you think we will have a delegation from our county attending? I would like to make arrangements for another teacher/parent/advisor to attend for the few students from my school who are interested if this is a possibility.

Finally - LOBBYING DAY: Attendance & Transportation - How many delegates will our school be allowed to bring to this event?

The past two CRASC events Southern Middle has attended we have shared a bus with Crofton Middle. Both of our schools have brought large delegations. The last event at Meade HS, our bus was filled OVER capacity to the point that is was unsafe. The Lanes bus driver was very concerned. Most students were 4 to a seat and the adults sat 3 to a seat (2 adults and 1 student). While I think it was excellent that we had such great representation from our schools (SMS, SHS, CMS), would it please be possible to work out something with transportation to provide additional buses? Perhaps if you knew our numbers in advance the buses could be arranged more appropriately.

I realize there have been instances when you have had buses that were virtually empty with some schools. However, Southern Middle has always sent full delegations. Usually when I have additional adult supervision, with your permission, I will bring more than the allotted ten students. I send out the permission slips to the students and make those arrangements at least 3 weeks in advance. I do try to send you my numbers so that you have that information a week prior to the event. I would like to help you be part of a solution here, Aimee. Please don't think I'm complaining. I just want this learning/leadership experience to be a positive one for all involved. I do appreciate all that you do for our students across the county in the office of student leadership.

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To:

Subject:

RE: Leg. Session Update

Its in Cumberland. You have got to be kidding.

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To: Poisson, Aimee L

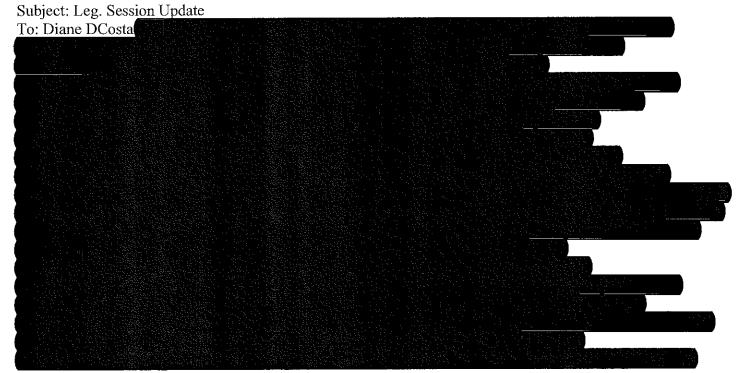
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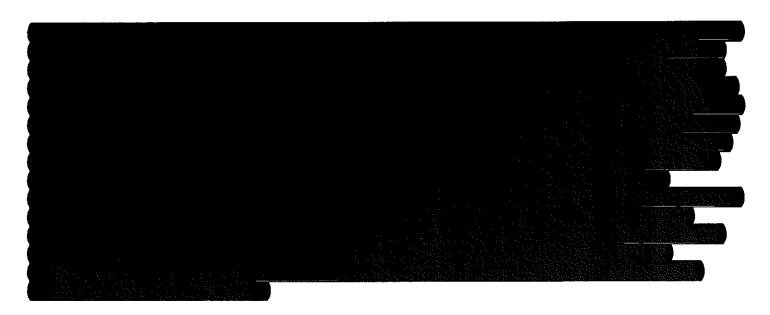
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From: Lance Ledebur <<u>LLedebur@msde.state.md.us</u>>

Date: Tue, Jan 14, 2014 at 8:15 AM





Dear All:

After the first week and a half of the registration link being open we have 34 persons registered for Legislative Session. This is the week you should try to get your delegation registration completed on line to avoid the last minute rush. The trainers had their training day last Saturday at Allegany High School in Cumberland, MD. ACASC and the Allegany High School Student Council are looking forward to hosting us for this important MASC event. We have five SMOB candidates preparing their speeches and gathering their campaign staffs. Remember, your school must be a MASC member school if the delegates are going to have voting privileges.

So, register on line now at <u>www.mdstudentcouncils.com</u> and see you in what will be a very short period of time as the days fly by quickly.

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Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:43 AM

To:

Subject:

How is your Spanish?

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Tuesday, January 14, 2014 9:40 AM

To:

Subject:

Can you give speech in spanish?

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Monday, January 13, 2014 1:54 PM

To:

Subject:

RE: MLK Breakfast invite.

Next Monday. Read the attached link for details.

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From:

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 1:10 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L

Subject: Re: MLK Breakfast invite.

Hey Ms.Poisson,

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From: "Aimee L Poisson" <APOISSON@AACPS.org>
To:

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From:

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Sent:

Monday, January 13, 2014 12:30 PM

To:

Subject:

RE: MLK Breakfast

Awesome! Read the detail in the link at the bottom of the email and I will follow up with another email in a day or two.

Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

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From:

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2014 11:28 AM

To: Poisson, Aimee L **Subject:** MLK Breakfast

I got your email about the MLK Breakfast and im interested in attending.

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Monday, January 13, 2014 11:16 AM

To:

Subject:

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MLK Breakfast invite.

Good Morning Minions!

I have been given the ticket for 2 full tables at the MLK Breakfast for this year. The system has asked that I invite a select group of student leaders to attend this event. If you are receiving this email, you are invited. I tried sending this email last week but I did not hear bad from all of you. So here we are again.

The MLK Breakfast is an important event in our community. AACPS student leaders will be recognized. It will be cool. There will be speakers, local politicians, community activists, and educators. This is a pretty high profile opportunity. I have included a link about it below.

This event is by invitation only. Please let me know if you are interested in attending. If not, I'll give you ticket to someone else! I have 10 tickets left!!!

Aimee Poisson
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Poisson, Mary T" < MPOISSON@AACPS.org>

Date: January 7, 2014 10:01:43 AM EST

To: "Poisson, Aimee L" <APOISSON@AACPS.org>

Subject: Breakfast Info

http://www.aacc.edu/mlk/breakfast.cfm

Thank you
Terry Poisson
Coordinator of Social Studies
Anne Arundel County Public Schools
410-222-5440
410-222-5608 (fax)

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Aimee Poisson Administrator for Student Leadership Development CRASC Advisor Anne Arundel County Public Schools 410-222-5405

"You cannot affect the wind but you can always adjust your sails."

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Monday, January 13, 2014 9:30 AM

To:

Subject:

Who?

Who was it that we were discussing as the keynote/workshop for lobbying day. I remember it was something great but I don't remember who or what it was....

Aimee Poisson Anne Arundel County Public Schools

From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Monday, January 13, 2014 9:05 AM

To:

Subject:

Re: INVITES!!!!!

Preferably before our Wednesday meeting. If it snows and we have to cancel the Wednesday meeting, I will reschedule for next week but I want to get a seance of what you want for this years event.

Aimee Poisson

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 13, 2014, at 8:56 AM,

wrote

Yeah I can meet you. What day are you thinking?



On Jan 13, 2014, at 8:46 AM, "Poisson, Aimee L" <<u>APOISSON@AACPS.org</u>> wrote:

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From:

Sent: Wednesday, January 08, 2014 5:53 PM

To: Poisson, Aimee L Subject: INVITES!!!!!

Here you go. Please make any changes that you see fit. I did not leave the RSVP part filled in I figured that you could put in the appropriate information. If you could email me back a copy with the changes that way I have a copy saved, that would be great.

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From:

Poisson, Aimee L

Sent:

Monday, January 27, 2014 9:48 AM

To:

Winsett, Gary (CCPS)

Subject:

Re: SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

We could use a student rep in Annapolis on Wednesday. The hearing is at 1pm on the 29th and if I know who they are, I can get them signed up to speak. We are getting a room at the senate building to coordinate students and give us a space for kids to leave their backpacks and coats. we have students from a few other counties joining us. If the students would like to submit written testimony, they should have it in by Wednesday morning. Unfortunately, we are dealing with the standard mdga legislative system, and they have no intention of accommodating student schedules. Luckily the snow days have shifted things around so I don't need to pull kids out of classes to attending the hearing.

Could your president or smb join us to provide testimony?

Aimee Poisson

Anne Arundel County Public Schools

On Jan 27, 2014, at 9:21 AM, "Winsett, Gary (CCPS)" < gwinsett@ccboe.com > wrote:

I have not been able to mobilize everyone here as quickly as I had hoped due to end of marking period issues and making up snow days. We had planned to address it at our regional meeting this Friday. Is there anything we can do at the meeting on Friday? I don't meet with my Executive Board until tomorrow and students are not in school today due to Semester Break.

Your advice?

Gary K. Winsett

Social Studies Department
CCASC Advisor
SGA Advisor
Safe Driving Task Force Sponsor
Memorial Garden Society Co-Sponsor
Thomas Stone High School
gwinsett@ccboe.com

From: Poisson, Aimee L [APOISSON@AACPS.org]

Sent: Monday, January 27, 2014 9:10 AM

To: Winsett, Gary (CCPS)

Subject: Re: SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

The hearing is Wednesday. Written testimony that will accompany, verbal testimony need to be in my inbox by tonight/tomorrow morning. Addition written testimony should be in the legislators inboxes by the same time in order to be considered with this hearing...if the bill moves forward we will need to continue to fight it, additional letter, email, and lobbying will take place if we come to that point.

I'm not sure that a petition would be as effective as independent letters and emails. I recommend have each student send a general email expressing their disapproval of this bill and copying all the legislators on this committee...specifically the ones from your district.

The committee member and their info is available here. http://mgaleg.maryland.gov/webmga/frmMain.aspx?pid=cmtepage&stab=04&id=ehe&tab=subject7%ys=2014RS

Aimee Poisson
Anne Arundel County Public Schools

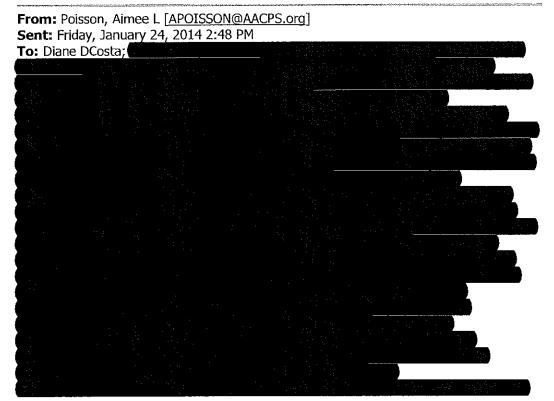
On Jan 27, 2014, at 8:02 AM, "Winsett, Gary (CCPS)" < gwinsett@ccboe.com > wrote:

When would you need letters to the senators and delegates by? What is the deadline. Also. do you know which Maryland senators and delegates sit on the committee specifically?

We may have students at our upcoming CCASC meeting write letters. That is the reason for the inquiry.

Gary K. Winsett

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Subject: SB 194- The gameplan, and the key points

Hello All,

I hope you will all be able to give this issue a bit of attention this weekend. I have attached our key discussion points for testimony. Please let me know if you will be joining us on the 29th and remember to write you elected officials. Thank you all so much!!

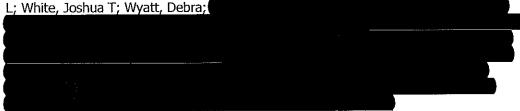
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From: Poisson, Aimee L
Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 12:57 PM
To: Diane DCosta;



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Subject: SB 194- The gameplan

Importance: High

Good Morning All,

Thank you all very much for your enthusiasm and support as we move forward. I understand that this bill has created quite the buzz in the student leadership community. As we continue to speak with our counselors and refine our approach to this, we ask that you join our efforts to kill the bill in the committee. We are approaching this issue with caution and a great deal of organization. Of course, everyone is welcome to lobby privately. However, we are coordinating the formal testimony to assure that we stay on message. We see this as an opportunity to demonstrate the maturity and sophistication of the student voice. This is how we would like to move forward.

- Please designate one or two students to speak from your group. Make sure that this student (preferably your SMOB or president) is available and willing to travel to Annapolis on the 29th.
 - a. That student will be testifying at the hearing and should email me their written testimony no later than Monday January 27th.
 - i. Refer to our key points and addition resources to help students craft their message
 - ii. Written testimony should come on letter head, please proof read.
 - iii. We will make the necessary copies the official testimony and deliver it to the committee office by 11am on the 29th.
 - b. On the morning of the hearing, a volunteer will submit the 25 copies of all written testimony and sign students up to speak.
 - i. We would like the order of students to be CRASC rep
 MASC rep
 , other counties, state SMOB

AACPS SMOB need to know who is planning to speak by Monday, so I can get everyone signed up.

- ii. Aacps students, staff, and parents are encouraged to come to the Parham Building by 11am and take a bus downtown. (Yes, we have paid for an AACPS bus. Unfortunately we are unable to transport students from outside the county)
- iii. We will meet in a reserved room at the Miller Senate Office Building at 11 Bladen Street, Annapolis at noon.
- iv. The hearing will begin at 1pm. Game on.
- c. Double check you logistics
 - i. My kids need a signed permission slip, I have attached it.
 - ii. I don't know what documentation is required from other counties, student please check with your advisors on this.
 - iii. Professional dress and superlative behavior! This bill is based on the belief that students cannot be mature enough to make adult decisions. The best way to fight it is to bring you're A game in terms of professionalism.
- II. Write to your representatives!! I am sure that there will be many more students who are appalled by this bill. Please write directly to your representatives. Especially those senators who sit on this committee. It is very possible that this bill will not make it out of the committee.

Please see that attached resources for FAQ and guidelines for testimony. 25 hard copies must be provided by noon on the 29th, so please have your students email me their written testimony in a word format by Monday evening!! Legislators from Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, PG, Washington, Fredrick, Montgomery, Harford, and Anne Arundel Counties all sit on the committee. So testimony of student speakers from these regions should be the most compelling.

Finally, please communicate your intensions and plans to me. I know I cannot avoid all surprises but I would like to have a handle on how many student reps will be joining as and speaking. THANK YOU ALL!!!

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From:

Sent:

To:

Poisson, Aimee L

Tuesday, February 11, 2014 1:31 PM

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Subject:

SB 194 meeting this week and lobbying day

Hi Team,

It looks like we are going to be getting a serious amount of snow this week. I have every intention of having our meeting Wednesday. If evening activities are canceled by AACPS, my hands will be tied and I will not be able to see you all. However, we will proceed with plans.

I'm sure you all know by now, SB 194 only received 1 vote from the Anne Arundel senate delegation, so the bill will not move forward. While we are thrilled by this outcome, it puts us in the unfortunate position of having nothing to lobby for....

I spoke with Nathan last night and we discussed the game plan. The current game plan is to open with a full presentation of SB 194 and our process of testifying against it. We will use this as our demonstration of effective lobbying techniques. Normally we would move onto our bill at this point but since we don't have any, we will be doing something a little bit differently.

CRASC will not take an official position on bills this year but instead, present both side to the discussion of the **Maryland Minimum Wage Act**. Students will then be allowed to take their own position on the bill and lobby privately. The goal of this is to get students to be interested and engaged in the legislative process and to learn a bit more about appropriate lobbying techniques. For Wednesday, please come prepared to discuss this bill. Here are some resources:

http://mgaleg.maryland.gov/2014RS/bills/hb/hb0295f.pdf

http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/govbeat/wp/2014/01/15/marylands-omalley-will-push-for-minimum-wage-hike/

http://www.raisetheminimumwage.com/

http://articles.baltimoresun.com/2014-01-11/news/bs-md-minimum-wage-effect-20140111 1 current-federal-floor-minimum-wage-tipped-employees

http://raisemd.org/

We will also follow up with our Senators, thanking them for their support on SB 194 and discuss the possibility of granting more student board member voting rights in the future (it is likely that MoCo will be working on this in 2015 and we will help).

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