

Minutes: Education subcommittee meeting:- Committee Room 2, January 30, 2017

In attendance:- Ian Silver, Kash Husain, Leroy Osbourne

Regrets:- Lina Hernandez, Cynthia Konnerth; Temitope Olasehinde; Charlene Camillo

No chair has been appointed to date.

- Leroy will prepare a brief statement for the Mayor and Council, to be read out at the Council meeting closest to March 21 (International Day Against Racism)
- Jackie to verify date and add this to the Council agenda
- Ian to investigate MakeltAwkward program run by Edmonton, and to advise Subcommittee by email
- Ian to locate UN information about the Day
- Kash to introduce February guest traditional speaker (Ian to forward information to Kash)
- Ian to contact Fr. Murray Watson for March meeting, and to locate a Korean Pastor for May meeting
- Kash to locate Buddhist priest for April meeting
- Kash to contact Imam for Ramadan presentation for June meeting
- Leroy will organise a presentation for Black History month, for February meeting
- Ian to arrange for a speaker for April meeting for Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day )
- Kash to contact Aiden Prince about the city's multicultural/multifaith calendar, and to review possible purchase of Multicultural desk calendars for DIAAC members
- Subcommittee to update DIAAC on London Diversity Plan at February and March meetings
- Ian to ask Jackie about a more robust online presence for DIAAC
- Subcommittee to review and Update brochures and material to reflect name change
- Subcommittee to discuss with Aiden, purchase of materials to highlight work of DIAAC
- Ian to ask Jackie about magnetic name tags for DIAAC members
- Brochure needs to be translated into French, Arabic and Spanish
- Updated brochures to be distributed to Police stations, libraries and schools
- The subcommittee proposes a 2017-18 budget of \$2500. \$1,000 for honoraria, and \$1500 for publicity materials, brochures and translation
- Next meeting - Thursday 9th March at 1 pm (room to be advised)

Respectfully submitted,

Ian Silver