

**IPC MEETING HELD AT OXFORD INTERNATIONAL HIGH
SCHOOL ON THE 27TH SEPTEMBER 2011**

AGENDA

1. Opening prayer
2. Introduction
3. Reflection on past school year activities
4. Way forward
 - a. Reporting
 - b. Identifying Activities/Responds
 - c. A.O.B.
 - d. Closing

Opening prayer was done by Christian Moufulah, Community Development Education Primary School.

After the opening prayer, the children were asked to introduce themselves after which the two teachers present introduced themselves.

Francis Mason Deputy Head teacher Conforti Primary School and Secretary to the IPC chaired the meeting. Fatama T Kargbo who is a senior teacher at The host school was also present at the meeting. Mr. Mason thanked the British Council, Ministry Of Education, National Union Of Sierra Leone Student, heads of schools and all the children who attended the lunching ceremony of the International Pupils Council (IPC). He told the International Pupils Council that he has got reliable information that Hull City Council Government is sending some gabbage collection trucks to the Freetown City Council, some schools in Hull have decided to put some learning material for their partner schools and the lorries are expected in Freetown sometime in November 2011.

The past minutes was not read and Mr. Mason apologised for that. He said the computer at his office was attacked by computer virus and lost all of his files. He also said that they have learnt a lesson that the office should always have a hard copy of any document kept in the shelf.

He kindly asked all the councillors present to reflect on the last meeting and come up with matter arising from that meeting.

- the discussion around waste management
- date and place for the election of the Chairperson for IPC
- reports on price of waste collection bin

Mr. Mason reported that he enquired from three shops in the centre of town on the cost of waste collection bins. In one shop Mirima Enterprise at Malama Thomas Street, medium size collection bin costs Le:190.000 each, and the big size costs Le: 280.000.

In another shop called Abbas and Sons at Kissy, the medium size collection bin is sold at Le:195.000 while the big size bin costs Le:300.000

Mohamed Alie Fofanah of Regmel Preparatory School thanked Mr. Mason for his findings and asked him to pass this information to Mr. Paul Browning. He explained that he is attending the IPC meeting for the second time, his first was at the end of term last school year. He said a teacher from their school had made a return visit to St. Leonard Star Of the Sea Hastings UK in July and brought back with him books and other school materials. He said their school has also received similar gesture very recently when a container arrived from the Hastings Association UK. He concluded by saying their role as International Pupils Councillors is to work with other colleagues in their school's Pupils Council and to inform and educate the other children about the activities of the IPC.

Isata Diko of Oxford Secondary School said 'their school's IPC is responsible to help settle dispute among their colleagues and to help in making classrooms tidy.

Kadiatu Sesay of Community Development Education Primary School said that the reopening of schools was delayed and that they were supposed to open on the 19th but was postponed to the 26th of September. She said 'she is happy to be back in the IPC'. She said her role is to air out complaints from her colleagues, making sure that class rooms are clean and work with other children to monitor the playground.

Thomas Bowling of I.C.O.P.S said he was happy with the IPC lunching last school year. After the lunching there was a Parent Teachers Association meeting and their parents agreed that the Pupils Council should learn to take responsibility for the cleanliness of their classrooms and neatness in school. He said their school received some football vest from the Hull City Football Club and would like to thank Hull FC for this donation to their school.

Edwina Smith of Conforti Primary School also confirmed that they too received 12 football vests and shirts from Hull City Football Club and would like to join others in thanking Hull FC.

Yeanie Turay of Christ Church reported that the supervision of the cleaning of their school compound and classrooms and the management of the school environment is part of their Pupils Councils responsibility .

Mrs. Fatama Kargbo of Oxford High School joined Mr. Mason to thank Unicef and British Council for their support to the IPC during their lunching.

Alusine Kanu of Christ Church Primary said he has just start attending the IPC meeting. He would like the IPC to elect their own chairperson from among one of the secondary school to be chairing their meetings. He went on to say that he will like to wish their counterpart in the UK well in this new school year.

Action Points

- A planning meeting should be held on the 3rd at REC Jui- Lower to plan for the electing of the IPC Chairperson.
- Minutes of meetings should be circulated to all schools present in the meeting and Mr. Mason should make sure that a copy be sent to our IPC partners in the UK.
- IPC would like to exchange photos with their counterpart in UK and need to have the consent of IPC UK to use those photos to make calenders for 2012 which could be sold as fund raising for IPC Sierra Leone. Francis to discuss this with Mr Browning

A.O.B

In the absent of any other buisness the meeting was adjourned to Monday the 3rd of October at REC Jui- Lower to be attended by all heads of schools.

Mr. Kamara moved the motion for adjourment, seconded by Mrs. Christiana.

Appologies

Albert Accademy

Alvette Preparatory School

Christjat Kindergarten Colleague School

**TEACHERS THAT ACCOMPANIED THEIR PUPILS TO THE
MEETING**

ATTENDANCE LIST

NO	NAME	SCHOOL	TEACHER/PUPILS
1	Chestes E. Cummings	Regmel	Teacher
2	Y.M. Kamara	Wesleyan JSS	Principal
3	Christiana T. Moifula	C.E.D. Primary School	Teacher
4	Marian J. Nyoniyo	Children In Crisis Primary	Teacher
5	Christiana M. Tucker	I.C.O.P.S.	Teacher
6	Cecilia John	Christ Church Primary School	Teacher
7	Mohamed Shears Koroma	ChristJat Kindergaten School	Teacher
8	Yvette Kpange	U.M.C. Calaba Town	Teacher
9	Aminata A. Sesay	Kankalay Islamic Primary School Hastings	Teacher
10	Ahmed L. Bah	United Mission Committee Primary School	Teacher
11	Sarah Cole	R.E.C. Jui Lower	Teacher
12	Theophilus Massaquoi	United Belivers in Christ	Teacher
13	Kadiatu Bangura	Conforti Primary School	Teacher

PUPILS ATTENDANCE LIST

NO	NAME	SCHOOL	PUPILS
1	Aminata Jalloh	Regmel	Pupil
2	Mohamed Alie	Regmel	Pupil
3	Isata Diko	Oxford International	Pupil
4	Masene D. Kamara	Oxford Internaitonal	Pupil
5	Martha Amadu	Children In Crisis Primary	Pupil
6	Alieu Kamara	Children In Crisis Primary	Pupil
7	Patient Simbo	Community Primary School	Pupil
8	Precious K. Alie	I. C.O.P.S.	Pupil
9	Madieu M. Barrie	I.C.O.P.S.	Pupil
10	Balla Kandeh	C.E.D. Primary School	Pupils
11	Kadiatu Sesay	C.E.D. Primary School	Pupils
12	James B. Turay	United Belivers in Christ	Pupil
13	Marian James	United Belivers in Christ	Pupil
14	Daniel B. Turay	Obez Primary School	Pupil
15	Hannah B. George	Obez Primary School	Pupil
16	Edwina Smith	Confort Primary School	Pupil
17	Aminata Y Konneh	Confort Primary School	Pupil