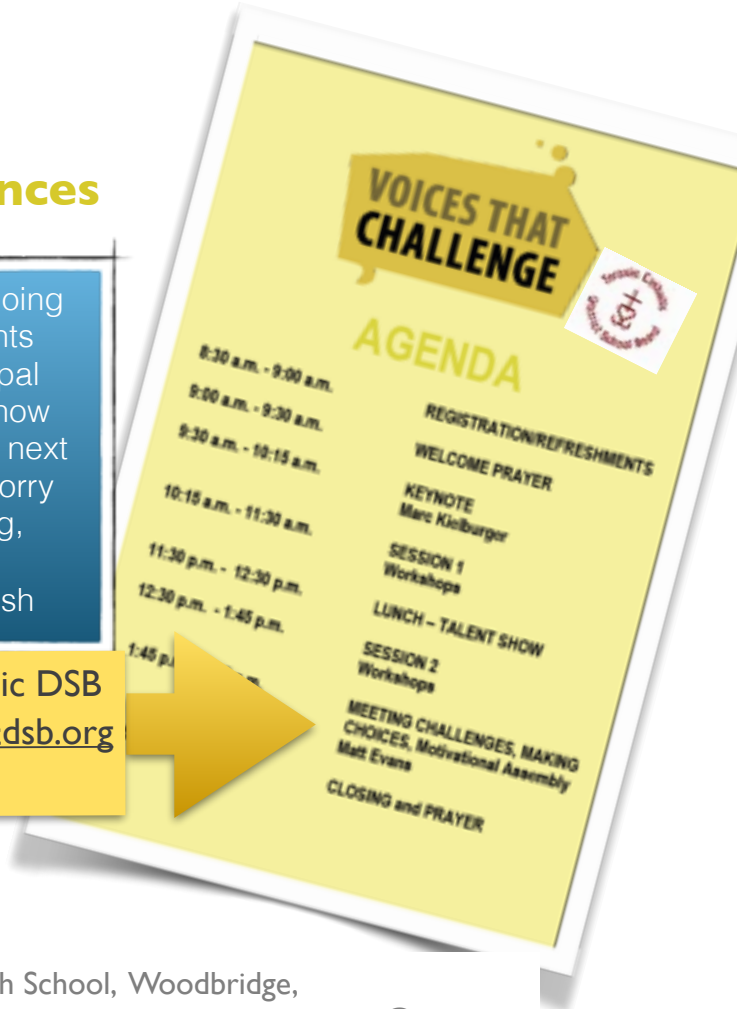


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Hi Matt: I just wanted to thank you for doing such an amazing job last week. The students really enjoyed your presentation. My Principal also wanted me to thank you and let you know that we would love to have you back again next year! We'll arrange it next year, but don't worry we won't forget you! Take care! Mary Young,

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Hey Matt!

I'm Kxxxx, I'm fifteen years old and a grade ten student at the school you talked to today (St. Michael's in Kemptville) I wanted to say you did a brilliant job. I have NEVER seen any speaker come to my school and reach an audience the way you did. It was hilarious, and you still managed to get the point across. Secondly, I want to say thanks for the motivation. I have been having a lot of self-doubts and been dealing with some not-so-nice girls and gossip lately. Something about the way you talked of bullies just made me feel a lot better about my problem. I feel like I can handle it. Also, your speech on challenges hit me hard. I mean, I've always thought of myself as brave and able but I know I turn down challenges and when the going gets tough- I'll leave. But now I know I'll think that I can meet challenges and do well if I try, care and work. Anyway, thanks for reading this. I just really loved the presentation today (as I KNOW everyone else did) and you are truly an inspiration. Thanks a million, Sincerely, K-.