Slip or Trip: Writing the Argument

Directions:

If we were really an investigative team, we would need to file a report to the chief of police. Your job is to produce a rough draft of the report. Be sure to include:

- when we arrived, (We arrived at the home of John and Rachel Muir on August 23rd, 2012 at 9:30 a.m.)
- what we found.
- what Rachel said,
- what the autopsy found,
- whether the evidence supports what Rachel said,
- our conclusion/recommendation, and finally
- an explanation of the evidence supporting our conclusion and recommendation.

Tips

Go section by section, and be specific, but STICK TO THE FACTS!!!

Be clear in your writing

You must include at least 8 pieces of evidence of evidence. You may use the organizer provided to you, as long as you organize the information in order.

Have fun, and take your time....this is the grade, and you've already invested a lot in this assignment.