

Board Highlights

Wednesday, October 22, 2014 Sturgeon School Division

Presentations

Mr. Joe Chapman, Principal of Redwater School, along with teachers, Amanda Dorosh and Kyle Harvey, provided information regarding the Business 10 Course offered at Redwater School. This 9 credit course provides instruction with respect to entrepreneurship and small business management.

Reports from Officers and Standing Committees

Superintendent

- Dr. Dick noted that Sturgeon School Division's 75th Anniversary Book is posted on Sturgeon School Division's website.
- Dr. Dick commented on the success of the IGNITE Youth Action Conference that was held on October 21 & 22, 2014. This project was led by Sturgeon School Division in partnership with Greater St. Albert Catholic Schools.

Associate Superintendent, Education Services

Mr. Jeske provided a report with respect to overnight field trips.

Associate Superintendent, Human Resources and Leadership Support

Mr. Johnson provided a Compliance Report on Occupational Health and Safety.

Chair

- Mr. Jewell reported that he and Trustee Featherley met with parents representing Morinville Public School.
- Mr. Jewell noted that a meeting is scheduled with the Town of Morinville Council on November 12, 2014 @ 7:00 p.m.

Trustees

- Trustees Featherley and Mychasiw attended the Chamber of Commerce Gala.
- Several Trustees attended the IGNITE Youth Action Conference.

Trustee Featherley (Morinville)

Mrs. Featherley reported that Morinville Public School students' art work will be displayed on a photo wall at the Be Brave Ranch.

Reports From Special Committees

Alberta School Boards Association Representative

- The Alberta School Boards Association Fall General Meeting is scheduled for November 16 & 17, 2014.
- Mrs. Miller noted that it is proposed that Linkages be operated through Zone 2/3 as a separate advocacy committee with 3 members.

Public School Boards Association of Alberta Representative

Mrs. Kohle, Mrs. Miller and Ms. Nowak, along with PSBAA representatives, met with MLA's Maureen Kubinec and Diana McQueen regarding the government announcements for new schools.

Board Approvals

- Occupational Health and Safety Compliance Report
- Educational Agreement Language Immersion Elk Island Public Schools Regional Division # 14
- Operations & Maintenance Projects: Summary Report: Summer 2014
- 2015/16 Modular Classroom Program Request
- Sturgeon Composite High School Modernization: Stage I Design Drawings

Policies Approved

- ➢ Policy D/I/9 Joint Use Agreements
- Policy E/II/2 Trustee Remuneration and Expense Reimbursement

Policies Removed

➢ Policy A/1 – A Short History of the Sturgeon School Division

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