

# TRUSTEE TALK

Updates from the Board of Trustees for our Sturgeon Public school community  
June 2022



## School Emergency Program

Schools are considered to be one of the safest places in our communities. However, in reality, an emergency can strike anywhere at any time.

During an emergency, our **first priority** is the safety of our students and staff.

Sturgeon Public Schools utilizes the Hour-Zero School Emergency Program.

School leaders and division office staff are trained annually in order to respond promptly in the event of an emergency.

For more information on our School Emergency Program, read the Guide for Parents and Guardians found [here](#).

## Legal Public School

We are excited to announce that beginning the 2022-2023 school year, Legal Public School, a new Pre-K to Grade 4 school will be operational in the Town of Legal.

To learn more, visit their website at [legalpublicschool.ca](http://legalpublicschool.ca)



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Public Schools**

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## Committee Year End Reports

The Board of Trustees accomplishes its work through committees that engage in specific topics of importance. There are currently six standing committees that report to the Board and are composed of school trustees and senior administration.

**Committee of the Whole** makes recommendations to the Board on policy, regulations and operation of the Board.

**Advocacy Committee** makes recommendations to the Board regarding advocacy priorities, strategies, and policies.

**Building and Maintenance Committee** reviews and makes recommendations to the Board on matters related to the division's buildings, including construction and maintenance.

**Finance and Human Resources Committee** reviews proposed budget priorities and three year plan, and makes recommendations on various budgetary issues.

**Policy Committee** reviews and makes recommendations to the Board on curriculum and instructional matters.

**Transportation Committee** reviews and makes recommendations to the Board on matters related to student transportation.

Year end reports were presented at the June 22, 2022, Public Board meeting and can be found [here](#).



## Summer Meetings

It has been past practice to suspend summer meetings of the Board. Should the Board of Trustees need to meet to review specific items, the Chair is empowered to call a special meeting at his discretion.

The Board of Trustees will hold their Annual Organizational Meeting and first Public Board Meeting of the 2022-2023 school year on *August 24, 2022*, at 4:00 p.m.

## A Message from the Board of Trustees



As another school year draws to a close, the Board of Trustees would like to recognize the hard work of each student, staff member, volunteer, parent/guardian and community member who support our system.

Thank you for the countless ways you work with us to support students and their learning. Our students are achieving remarkable things and this would not be possible without your ongoing support.

We hope you have a relaxing, safe and enjoyable summer break with family and friends.