

MOUNTAIN VIEW SCHOOL DIVISION



Keeping Learners at the Centre

January 14, 2019

NEWS DIGEST

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Board Approved

- That the Board end the Celebration of Learning initiative effective June 30, 2019, and begin a process of community budget consultations and school showcases that will involve trustee visits to schools in each of Mountain View's seven communities in the 2019-2020 school year.
- That the Board approve a meeting event on February 19, 2019 to engage community partners as part of the Board's Advocacy Strategy.
- That the Board approve, in principle, for Goose Lake High School French students to participate in an Out of Province Field Trip to St. Tite des Hauts, Quebec, March 14, 2019 to March 21, 2019.
- That the Board nominate Trustee Martens for the Vice-President position for the Manitoba School Boards Association

HR Report

<u>Hirings:</u>	Nicci Toews, School Secretary Lila Smith, Educational Assistant	Henderson Elementary School MacKenzie Middle School
<u>Extensions:</u>	Warren Fee, Limited Teacher General Laverne Lewycky, Limited Teacher General	Dauphin Regional Comprehensive Secondary School Dauphin Regional Comprehensive Secondary School
<u>Resignations:</u>	Esther Fyk, Limited Teacher General Daniel Lehmann, Teacher General	Dauphin Regional Comprehensive Secondary School Gilbert Plains Collegiate
<u>Retirement:</u>	Wendy Lawrence, Administrator	Roblin Elementary School

Board Information

Community Relations Committee

- Community Relations Committee Meeting Minutes December 10, 2018
- Community Relations Committee Meeting Minutes December 21, 2018

Superintendent/C.E.O. Report

Division Planning

- Career Education Status Report in the area of Career Education was viewed

Capacity Building

- Violence Threat Risk Assessment Training Report December 11 and 12, 2018 was shared
- Provincial data discussion via Zoom website held December 13, 2018 was shared
- Office of the Drinking Water Session held December 13, 2018 via Zoom website regarding allowable lead concentrations in drinking water was shared

Administration

- Senior Years Technology Education Grant requirements were shared
- Knowledge Exchange for Educators: Acknowledging Violence in Manitoba Schools Follow-Up session held December 13, 2018 was shared
- Southwest Superintendents' Meeting Report December 14, 2018 was reviewed
- Human Resources, Enrolment and Suspension Reports for December 2018 were received
- Petition from Smith-Jackson Elementary School Parent Advisory Council, Re: Religious exercises to recite the Lord's Prayer for the 2018-2019 school year was received and approved

Correspondence

- Rob Santos, Assistant Deputy Minister, Healthy Child Manitoba Office and K-12 Education Division, Manitoba Education and Training, Re: 2018-2019 Skills Strategy Equipment Enhancement Fund grant submissions, January 2019

Secretary-Treasurer Report

Finance and Administration

- December 2018 List of Accounts was received
- Banking services agreement with the RBC will expire at the end of June. Services will be reviewed
- Workplace, Safety and Health Meeting Minutes December 13, 2018 were shared

Operations

- Capital Project Summary Report was reviewed
- Substitute Bus Drivers Report was shared
- MacKenzie Middle School Water Damage Report was received

International Education

- 2018-2019 Enrolment Report was shared

Assistant Superintendent Programs and Planning

Educational Programming Highlights

- Student Voice Meeting Report December 13, 2018 was received
- MVSD Student Voice committee will showcase their work at the Annual Manitoba School Boards Association Conference March 14, 2019

Curriculum and Assessment

- Graduation Pow Wow Planning Committee Meeting Report January 9, 2019 was received. Tentative date for the Graduation Pow Wow is May 15, 2019

Educational Services

- VTRA Training Report December 11 and 12, 2018 was reviewed

Future Meeting Dates

- January 21, 2019, 5:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
- January 28, 2019, 5:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting
- January 28, 2019, 6:30 p.m. In-Camera Meeting
- January 28, 2019, 7:00 p.m. Regular Board Meeting

Contact Superintendent/CEO Department, Mountain View School Division for further information