

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

October 26th, 2023

Towards the Board's focus on moving forward in a positive way, please see the <u>Clearview Spotlights</u> section on the Clearview web page at <u>www.clearview.ab.ca</u>. We continue to highlight exciting stories about students and staff throughout Clearview on an ongoing basis.

<u>Dates to</u> Remember

November 8, 2023 National Indigenous Veterans Day

November 11, 2023 Remembrance Day

November 13-19, 2023 Annual Métis Week

November 13-17, 2023 Bullying Awareness Week

Highlights are provided as general information.

For the Board's official meeting minutes, please click HERE.

For the full Board agenda and reports, click <u>HERE.</u>

For further information, please call Board Chair Guy Neitz at 403-741-4367 or Superintendent Scot Leys at 403-742-3331.

Leadership Highlights

- Trustees and Superintendent Leys visited Donalda and Erskine schools
- LLT(Learning Leadership Team) Recent retreat in Pigeon Lake was a success, allowing attendees a chance to provide insight, collaborate, and grow to help students succeed
- Clearview's focus on Literacy and Numeracy; Discussed 3T testing and the benefits from the data received and response from staff
- The Board of Trustees met with Knowledge Keeper Jason Sansregret for an Indigenous knowledge presentation to discuss education opportunities within the division
- Clearview Committee Meetings were held at Central Office
- Michelle Loxton, New Director of Transportation hired and will start mid November

Stettler Complex - Superintendent Leys will be continuing the work initiated on the Stettler Complex. Clearview received a letter from the County of Stettler requesting more information but extended potential interest in supporting the new school rebuild. Superintendent Leys and the Board of Trustees visited a number of schools in October to obtain infrastructure ideas for the new school build. Clearview is expecting to have drafts of the school rebuild design from the Architect by mid November.

The Board of Trustees Donate - The Trustees will be donating their honorarium to the food bank, and they have also approved a donation of books to the community Christmas hampers.

Clearview Committee Meetings - All committee chairs provided an update on initiatives and goals for this school year. This included planning for upcoming holidays, potential policy changes, the upcoming trade show, and connecting with schools.

October 20th was the Division Wide K-9 PD Day and Wm. E Hay Secondary Campus Career Fair -

Professional development helps improve the quality of education by providing staff opportunities for growth and learning, which is a priority at Clearview. These days are dedicated time periods where staff engage in activities to enhance their skills, knowledge, and effectiveness. The PD Day included working with Character Counts to create character skills, as well as sessions that included building SEL skills, positive culture, and academic success. Jayson Lovell also presented on Crucial Conversations. During the PD Day, Wm E. Hay Secondary Campus hosted a successful Career Fair that was met with positivity and had an impressive turnout. Students had taken initiative to chat with employers and show up to the sessions provided.

School Visits and Community Engagement Days Have Commenced - The Board of Trustees and Superintendent Scot Leys will continue visiting schools into the middle of April, 2024 with a focus on connecting with stakeholders. So far their visits have included Erskine and Donalda, and had great discussions at both schools.

ASBA Minister Meeting - There will be four upcoming stakeholder meetings and a full release of the curriculum in **2025-26** with a stable funding model to dual credit programming. Dates of the meetings to be determined.