



Prairie Rose School Division

March 14, 2022, Board of Trustees Meeting Highlights

Mission: Prairie Rose is dedicated to developing lifelong learners for global citizenship

Board received the Personnel/Staffing Report. Board welcomes the following staff to PRSD:

- Tanner Findlay, Canteen Helper, Carman Collegiate
- Darin Frandsen, Classroom Teacher, Miami School
- Jaimie Mertins, Classroom Teacher, Hutterian Colony School – Starlite Colony
- Calvin Turko, Senior Systems Administrator, Divisional

Superintendent/CEO reported to the Board of Trustees on the following items:

MANITOBA EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH STAKEHOLDER MEETING

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with key highlights of the March 10, 2022, Manitoba Education and Public Health Stakeholder Meeting and upcoming changes to schools and school divisions. The loosening of public health restrictions coming into effect March 15, 2022, include changes to the isolation recommendations, optional mask wearing, and removing the physical distancing and cohort requirements. PRSD schools will begin the transition to mirror public health guidelines. The PRSD COVID-Related Absences Dashboard will continue.

MANITOBA EDUCATION – K-12 FRAMEWORK FOR CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

The Superintendent/CEO shared key points of the Manitoba Education meeting on March 3, 2022. The meeting focused around the continued funding challenges that limit the school division's ability to provide required resources to schools with their school-based plans in improving student achievement results. The province will be reporting back to all school division in April regarding next steps with their Framework for Continuous Improvement plans.

MHSAA PROVINCIAL COMPETITIONS – PRSD TEAMS

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with an update on schools that have advanced to MHSAA provincial championships including the Elm Creek School Junior Varsity basketball team, the St. Laurent School Junior Varsity basketball team, the Carman Cougars hockey team, and the Carman Collegiate female curling team.

HIGH SCHOOL COURSE SELECTIONS – 2022-2023 TIMELINES

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with an update regarding the 2022-2023 high school course selection timelines including Advanced Placement and Applied Commerce credit courses. The Advanced Placement teachers will be meeting with grade 9 students across the school division in April. The Advanced Placement teachers will also be hosting a Parent Information Evening on the program.

NEW FUNDING MODEL PRESENTATION

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with a summary of the March 10, 2022, New Funding Model presentation to Leger Research; retained by Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning to assist in gathering feedback and submissions regarding the development of a new funding model for K-12 education in the province.

MIAMI SCHOOL – SKI TRIP

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with an overview of Miami School's Ski Trip scheduled for March 20 to March 22, 2022.

FEBRUARY 2022 STUDENT ENROLMENT

A summary of the February 2022, PRSD student enrolment, showing total enrolment of 2,361 students was attached.

Next Board Meeting

Date: Monday, March 28, 2022

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Google Meet/Division Office Board Room, Carman, Manitoba