



# Prairie Rose School Division

April 25, 2022, Board of Trustees Meeting Highlights

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

Presentation:

## **ELM CREEK SCHOOL – TEACHER IDEA FUND**

A team from Elm Creek School School including Ashley Cook, Jackie deVries, and Jesse Thomaschewski presented on the Outdoor Classroom Revitalization Teacher Idea Fund Project. Over the next three years, the project will add outdoor spaces to enhance a range of curricular and extracurricular programs and improve student well-being, mental health, and engagement. The school yard design includes an outdoor learning space for the early years' classes, revitalized learning space for the middle years' classes, and a new outdoor classroom for the senior years' student population. It also includes a nature playground, a revitalized school garden area, a nature pathway, outdoor seating and lounge spaces, a fire pit/gathering space, and new beach volleyball courts.

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

## **2022-2023 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

Assistant Superintendent presented the Board with the 2022-2023 school calendar for approval.

The [2022-2023 PRSD School Calendar](#) is now available from the PRSD website.

## **MANITOBA'S K TO 12 EDUCATION ACTION PLAN**

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with a summary of the main points of the K-12 Education Action Plan that was released by Manitoba Education on Wednesday, April 20, 2022.

[Manitoba Education's K-12 Action Plan](#) is available online from the Manitoba Education website.

## **FRAMEWORK FOR LEARNING SESSION REPORT – MANITOBA EDUCATION**

The Superintendent/CEO and Assistant Superintendent reported to the Board on the presented information by Manitoba Education at the April 21, 2022, morning senior administration session and the April 21, 2022, afternoon divisional team session.

## **TEACHER STAFFING UPDATE – 2022-2023**

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with an overview of the K-12 teaching staffing process and any adjustments to school staffing for 2022-2023. Due to the announcement from Maxwell Colony that the colony has decided to move to a private school, the 2.0 FTE assigned to Maxwell Colony will be reallocated with 1.00 FTE remaining in the Hutterian Colony School system and 1.00 FTE at Miami School.

## **2022-2023 SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING LEVEL 2 & 3 ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Superintendent/CEO provided the Board with correspondence from the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning regarding the additional \$7 million provided to school divisions in Special Needs Level 2 and 3 Funding. PRSD will receive \$94,589. After review of the needs across PRSD, a portion of the additional funds will be used to increase resource teacher time by .50 FTE at Miami School.

## **MARCH 2022 STUDENT ENROLMENT**

A summary of the March 2022, PRSD student enrolment, showing total enrolment of 2359 students was attached.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE #228 – CLASS SIZES AND CLASS CONFIGURATION**

The Superintendent/CEO presented the Board with new Administrative Procedure #228 – Class Sizes and Class Configuration for information.

The new [AP #228 – Class Sizes and Class Configuration](#) is now available on the PRSD website.

### Highlighted Motions:

**THAT** the 2022-2023 School Calendar be approved as presented.

**THAT** the March 2022 accounts showing total general expenditures of \$2,506,606.14 be approved as submitted.

**THAT** the Five-Year Capital Plan be submitted to Public Schools' Finance Branch as presented to the Board.

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**THAT** the appointment of Trevor Boehm as the Interim Vice Principal of Hutterian Colony School, effective September 2022, until June 30, 2023, be approved as recommended by the Board.

### Next Board Meeting

Date: Monday, May 9, 2022

Time: 7:00 p.m.

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