



EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT

February 15, 2023 (4:02 p.m. – 5:40p.m.)

Trustees in Attendance:

Anne Kohut, (Chaired the mtg), Mary Forbes.

TEAMS:

Willow Macdonald, Mike Franklin (left at 5:14pm), Ciel Patenaude (left at 5:28).

Absent:

Linda Martens

Staff:

Superintendent Chris van der Mark, Deputy Superintendent Cheryl Lenardon, Directors of Instruction, Anita Richardson, Sean Cameron, Executive Assistant Jodi Symmes.

Agenda Item	Notes	Action
Acknowledgement of Traditional Territory		
1. January 11, 2023, Committee Report	The committee reviewed the report and recommended no changes.	None.
2. Indigenous Education Curriculum and Resources	Indigenous Education Curriculum and Resources: Dancing Water Sandy, District First Nations Curriculum Teacher, provided an update on Indigenous Education Curriculum and Resources. A teaching kit was shared as an example of professional learning and resources available to SD27 teachers to teach about culture and history of all three local First Nations. It has been nice to see the visible increase and awareness of Indigenous learning across the SD.	None. Information only.
3. School Plan Update	Starting December 2022 school plan presentations from principals became a reoccurring agenda item at education committee. Mile 108 Principal - Mark Doolan provided an overview of his schools' plan and shared how the plan is being developed and implemented in his school. The plan was completed February 8, 2023 and was created with the whole staff.	None. Information only.
4. Ministry of Education – Student Achievement Report	Director of Instruction Sean Cameron provided an update to the committee. The data sets include district performance for a multiyear range with provincial average as a comparator. SD 27 has worked with ministry to develop a single page infographic providing all these measures on one report. School based admin and District staff are far more engaged in using evidence to support planning.	None. Information only.

MEETING	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Education Committee	March 8, 2023	4:00 p.m.	Board Office
Education Committee	April 12, 2023	4:00 p.m.	Board Office
Education Committee	May 10, 2023	4:00 p.m.	Board Office
Education Committee	June 14, 2023	4:00 p.m.	Board Office

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