



BOARD HIGHLIGHTS January 20, 2023, Regular Meeting **École Nouvelle Frontière**

Presentation

The Board two members of École Nouvelle Frontière School Council, Mrs. Geneviève Savard, Co-Chair of the School Council and the Principal, Mrs. Dena Boucher-Moon. Mrs. Savard indicated that there are several new parents involved in the School Council and that there has been some great participation in activities so far, especially around Halloween and Christmas. In addition, there have been and will be great collaborations with the ACFA of Grande Prairie. In particular, the Community School Market, a positive activity that took place last year, will return in May. Other upcoming activities include March 3rd, francophone flag raising, March 4th, Festival des Sucres, March 31st, closing of the Francophonie month.

The Board thanked the members of Nouvelle Frontière School Council for their participation at the meeting and for their involvement in their school community.

2021–2022 AERR

The 2021–2022 Annual Education Results Report (AERR) was approved. The new format of the AERR was well received.

Find the 2021–2022 AERR [here \(French only\)](#).

ÉQV Early Childhood Centre

Trustees received preliminary information regarding the project to open an Early Childhood Centre (ECC), including a daycare, at École des Quatre-Vents in Peace River. The Board discussed the benefits and concluded that there are many favourable factors at this time to consider this project. However, the Board wishes to know and analyze all the implications and has mandated the administration to continue with the *potential* opening of a full-time early childhood centre at the École des Quatre-Vents. A progress report will be presented at each meeting.

Annual School Councils Meeting

The annual meeting with school councils scheduled for January 21, 2023, was cancelled. A new date will be chosen to hold this annual meeting.

ÉQV School Trip to Québec

The Board approved the cultural trip for grades 9 to 12 students at École des Quatre-Vents from May 30 to June 4, 2023. It was noted that this trip had to be postponed twice and that now everything is in place for the realization of the project.

2022-2023 Surveys

Alberta Education Quality Assurance Surveys will be sent to parents in late January-early February. Teachers and students will complete the survey at school in February. In addition, the CSNO survey regarding the local goals of its education plan (Francophonie and Engagement) has been shared and parents, teachers and junior and senior high school students have until February 3, 2023, to complete the survey. This is to hear from parents, staff and students in relation to the focus areas of the [CSNO education plan](#).

Trustee Reports

The Chair and the Trustees summarized the various meetings and activities they attended since the last meeting. Attendance at the following meetings was noted: FCSFA, ASBA Zone 1, TEBA, RCASB, Peace River Community Services, School Councils, ÉQV Building Committee, as well as information and planning sessions. In addition, trustees represented the Board at Christmas shows and activities in our school communities.

Policies

The Board approved the proposed changes to Policy 3, Trustee Roles and Responsibilities, Policy 4, Chair Roles and Responsibilities, as well as Policy 5, Vice-Chair Roles and Responsibilities. See [CSNO policies](#).



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NOTICE - Meeting Date Change

The Board adopted a change to the regular meeting schedule to change the meeting date from March 8, 2023, to March 22, 2023. The meeting will be held at 2:00 p.m. at Heritage School.

Superintendent Report

Ensuring the Well-Being of All Students

As part of Alberta Education's mental health funding, the CSNO will submit a pilot project to enhance staff capacity in the area of mental health.

JUPA (Joint-Use Agreement and Planning Agreement)

All joint-use agreements between municipalities and school boards must be reviewed by August 2023 as required by the Education Act and the Municipal Government Act. The CSNO is reviewing its' current and in-development agreements with

the municipalities of Grande Prairie, Peace River and Falher.

ÉQV School Construction

A planning meeting with Alberta Infrastructure and GenMec ACL Ltd will be held in the next few days. Final plans and schedules should be available shortly.

Invitation

The public is invited to Board meetings and may have an item on the agenda by contacting, one week in advance, Ms. Rachelle Bergeron, Corporate Secretary, at 780-624-8855 or 1-866-624-8855.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, meetings will be accessible to the public by teleconference. For connection instructions, please call the School Board office at 780-624-8855.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

JAN 31	PD Day ÉNF / ÉH
FEB 10 & 11	PD Days ALL
FEB 18	No School ÉQV
FEB 21	Family Day HOLIDAY
MAR 11	PD Day ALL
MAR 18	CSNO Board Meeting
MAR 21–25	Spring Break ÉQV / ÉH
MAR 28 – APR 1	Spring Break ÉNF
MAR 28	PD Day ÉQV