



**PARKLAND
SCHOOL DIVISION**

Board Meeting HIGHLIGHTS

OCTOBER 11, 2022



Our Vision

Our students possess the confidence, resilience, insight and skills required to thrive in, and positively impact, the world.

Our Board

Aileen Wagner
WARD 1

Lorraine Stewart (Chair)
WARD 2

Aimee Hennig
WARD 3

Paul McCann
WARD 4

Eric Cameron
WARD 5

Anne Montgomery
WARD 5

Jill Osborne (V. Chair)
WARD 5

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Enrolment Report

The Board received as information the [2022-2023 Enrolment Report](#). The September 29 enrolment count for the 2022-2023 school year is 12,415 for the Division. This is an increase of 471 students or 3.9% over the 2021-2022 school year, which includes the Athabasca Delta Community School (ADCS). Excluding ADCS, enrolment increased by 315 students or 2.6% over the 2021-2022 school year.

My PATH Delegation

Trustees welcomed a delegation representing Connections for Learning and Duffield School. The group's presentation focused on PSD programs of choice, [My PATH and My PATH: Outdoor Pursuits](#). Through community partnerships, [My PATH](#) provides purposeful programming designed to promote acceptance of oneself and others, build a better sense of community, foster healthy relationships with peers and adults, encourage healthy behaviours and develop essential life skills.



School Naming Committee

Trustees approved a motion to establish a [School Naming Committee](#) to determine appropriate engagement and collaboration with stakeholders, and provide a recommendation to the Board whether to maintain the current name or rename the Stony Plain Central Replacement School, and if so, what that name would be. The three trustees named to the committee include Trustees Cameron, Hennig and McCann.

Advocacy Update

As per PSD's [Board Policy 1](#): the Board shall establish and maintain governance and organizational structures that promote student well-being and success which includes an annual plan for advocacy. Recent Board activity related to advocacy includes:

- On October 3, Trustees gathered with Mayor Gamble and Councillors from Parkland County. This event provided a chance to enhance relationships and discuss topics of mutual interest, including bus safety and mental health.
- On October 5, PSD welcomed a delegation of students from Hesse, Germany, who are participating in a student exchange program with Spruce Grove Composite High School (SGCHS), along with school authority staff, administrators and members of government from Germany. Also present was Minister LaGrange, providing Trustees in attendance the opportunity to advocate regarding a replacement school for SGCHS.

Modular Submission Request

The Board approved the [2022 Modular Submission Request](#). The request will be submitted to Alberta Education and includes:

- Six new replacement modulars for École Meridian Heights School,
- Four new modular classrooms for Copperhaven School,
- Nine new replacement modular classrooms for Blueberry School,
- Six new replacement modular classrooms for Muir Lake School; and,
- Six new replacement modular classrooms for École Broxton Park School.

Other highlights

Trustees received the following as information:

- [Athabasca Delta Community School Report](#)

The next Board meeting is Tuesday, November 29 at 9 a.m. ([watch the live stream here](#)).