

Board Meeting HIGHLIGHTS

FEBRUARY 13, 2024



Our Vision

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

Our Board

- Aileen Wagner (V. Chair) 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 ward 5

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Trustee profiles and more at **www.psd.ca/board**

Entwistle Delegation

Trustees welcomed a delegation from Entwistle School. The group made a presentation called, "Accessing the Rural Advantage: Entwistle School's Journey into Career Pathways."

The delegation included Principal, Christine Bileau and students from various grades, including:

- James H. (Grade 4);
- Astrid K. (Gr. 5);
- Violet H. (Gr. 8); and,
- Elizabeth L. (Gr. 8).





Advocacy Update

As per PSD's <u>Board Policy 1</u>: 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:

 In response to the Premier's announcement regarding <u>gender</u> <u>identity and diversity</u>, Vice Chair Wagner and Superintendent Boyce attended a remote meeting with the Minister of Education, who advised that engagement opportunities would be available before any changes in policy or practices that affect schools. Trustees are waiting to see what potential changes might be to provide their feedback and input.

Other highlights

Trustees received as information the:

<u>Workplace Safety Report</u>

Provides a summary of PSD safety programs, practices and statistics. Trustees inquired about the types of injuries sustained by staff while interacting with students over the course of a school year.

Student Services Report

Highlights how the Student Services team coordinates resources to provide inclusive, safe and supportive learning environments. Discussion centred on the organizational structures the team has in place to support students.