



Board Meeting Highlights September 7, 2022

Board Meeting Schedule Change

The board approved a change to the Board of Education regular board meeting schedule for 2022/23, moving the November 23, 2022, meeting to November 16, 2022, to accommodate trustee orientation sessions.

Supporting All Learners Report

Superintendent Dhillon presented the *Supporting All Learners Report: Enhancing Student Learning* report to the board. The report consists of three sections – Intellectual Development, Human and Social Development, and Career Development – and provides both currently available data and analysis of this data. The full report, which the board approved for submission to the Ministry of Education and Child Care, is available [on the school district website](#).

2023/24 Minor Capital Plan

The board approved the 2023/24 Minor Capital Plan for submission to the Ministry of Education and Child Care. The projects included in the plan have been determined in accordance with the methodology defined in the school district Strategic Facilities Plan and fall into one of the three following categories: School Enhancement Program, Carbon Neutral Capital Program, and Playground Equipment Program. The 2023/24 Minor Capital Plan submissions can be viewed in the September 7, 2022, [public agenda package](#).

Audited Financial Statements

The board approved the *Audited Financial Statements June 30, 2022*. The audited financial statements are available online at <http://www.sd42.ca/financial-information/>.

Summer Learning

Assistant Superintendent Ken Cober provided the board with an update on Summer Learning 2022, noting that, for the fourth year in a row, summer learning included programming for multi-grade students from Katzie Nation, hosted at the Katzie Health Centre. Additionally, 463 students from grades 1-6 engaged in classroom learning at Laity View Elementary; 108 Grade 7 students participated in a secondary transition program at Thomas Haney Secondary; 92 students participated in the grade 8-9 skill-building programming at Thomas Haney; and 412 students participated in the grade 10-12 secondary level summer learning courses. Summer learning opportunities were also provided to train and trades students to accelerate successful completion of academic graduation requirements.

Superintendent's Update

Superintendent Dhillon updated the board on school start-up, opening with an expression of gratitude to custodial, grounds, and facilities staff for work completed over the summer break, and to all staff for their dedicated and skillful work in preparing district schools and the system as a whole for a safe return of students. Superintendent Dhillon also reminded the board that highlights from the 2021/22 school year are included in the annual [District Highlights magazine](#).

Good News

In the good news portion of the evening, trustees noted the following items: trustee Murray congratulated trustee Trudeau on her new appointment as chief executive officer for Métis Nation British Columbia; trustee Dumore spoke about Pride in the Park event, which took place in July and which the Youth Planning Table committee helped organize; and trustee Carreras spoke about the excitement of children returning to schools after summer break. Trustees also acknowledged the strong leadership at all levels of the school district, expressed appreciation for the work and commitment of their colleagues on the board, and wished everyone well during the election period.

The next Board of Education meeting will be at 6 pm on November 16, 2022.