



## **CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS - BOARD COMMITTEE REPORT**

### **Education and Student Services Committee Public Meeting**

**Wednesday, May 20, 2020, 6:00 pm  
Via Zoom**

Board of Education: Trustee N. Bowman, Chairperson  
Trustee C. Desrosiers, Committee Member  
Trustee A. Geistlinger, Committee Member  
Trustee M. Baxter

Staff: Terry Beaudry, Deputy Superintendent of Schools  
Kevin Kaardal, Superintendent of Schools/CEO - *Absent*  
Ryan Stierman, Secretary-Treasurer/CFO  
Yvonne Hildebrandt, Executive Assistant (Recorder)

Partner Groups: Lori Dawson Bedard, COTA 1st Vice-President  
Teri Wishlow, CUPE Vice-President  
Raquel Steen, COPVPA, Past President  
Brady Ibbetson, COPVPA Member

*There were no representatives from COPAC.  
There were no representatives from the District Student Council.*

**The Central Okanagan Board of Education acknowledged that this meeting was being held  
on the unceded, Traditional Territory of the Okanagan People.**

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### **AGENDA**

May 20, 2020 Committee Agenda - approved as presented.

### **REPORTS/MATTERS ARISING**

#### **Education and Student Services Committee Report - January 8, 2020**

January 8, 2020 Committee Report - received as distributed.

#### **Education and Student Services Committee Report - February 19, 2020**

February 19, 2020 Committee Report - received as distributed.

## **PRESENTATION**

### **Continuity of Educational Opportunities**

Jon Rever, Assistant Superintendent; Jamie Robinson, District Principal - Leadership in Learning and Innovation; and Jordan Kleckner, District Principal - Learning Technology, presented the Together We Learn Continuity of Educational Opportunities website. The website was designed in collaboration with the District's various consultant departments and members of the senior education team in response to the current pandemic and the need to support remote instruction and continued learning at home. Digital resources and the District's Together We Learn newsletters on the District website provide educators with opportunities to network with each other as well as create and share learning resources.

The Deputy Superintendent of Schools shared that the Continuity of Educational Opportunities Team recently received Provincial recognition from the Ministry of Education and that the website is available to educators in other Districts to access high quality, on-line learning resources.

## **PUBLIC QUESTION/COMMENT PERIOD**

There were no public questions/comments.

## **COMMITTEE MEMBERS QUERIES/COMMENTS**

There were no Committee member queries/comments.

## **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

### **Proposal for Substantive Change - Basketball Academy (École KLO Middle School)**

Ashley Ragoonaden, Principal – École KLO Middle School, and Michael Sodaro, Teacher – École KLO Middle School, presented the Proposal for Substantive Change - Basketball Academy at École KLO Middle School. The Basketball Academy is designed to improve leadership, increase connection with the entire school, foster a sense of responsibility, improve fine motor skills in the sport of basketball, and develop an understanding of basketball's unique skills. Students are encouraged to apply strategies for healthy living, increase their knowledge and skills in the sport of basketball, practice sportsmanship, play basketball outside of school time, and be positive role models and representatives of École KLO Middle School. The Basketball Academy is an equity-based program where all ability levels and students are welcome.

### **Outcome:**

**The Committee recommended that the Board of Education approve the Proposal for Substantive Change - Basketball Academy (École KLO Middle School), as attached to the Agenda, and as presented at the May 20, 2020 Education and Student Services Committee Meeting.**

## **DISCUSSION/INFORMATION ITEMS**

### **Academies Offered in the Central Okanagan Public Schools**

The Deputy Superintendent reviewed an updated list of academies offered in the Central Okanagan Public Schools during 2019-2020.

### **Draft Program Review Cycle and Meeting Schedule 2020/2021**

The Deputy Superintendent reviewed the Draft Program Review Cycle and Meeting Schedule for 2020/2021.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS/REFERRALS TO THE BOARD/COORDINATING COMMITTEE/OTHER COMMITTEES**

### ***Public Board Meeting Action Item – June 10, 2020***

- *Proposal for Substantive Change – Basketball Academy (École KLO Middle School)*

## **ITEMS FOR FUTURE EDUCATION AND STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

June 17, 2020

- Enhancing Student Learning Framework  
*Superintendent of Schools/CEO (K. Kaardal)*
- Equity of Opportunity Supplement Report

## **REVIEW LEGEND**

### **Level One Review**

- District-wide surveys involving all stakeholders
- Focus Groups
- Interviews with key staff and clients

### **Level Two Review**

- Surveys to a representative sample group of stakeholders
- Optional Focus Groups and personnel interviews as appropriate

### **Level Three Review**

Limited or no surveying and/or interviews to gather informal feedback

## **FUTURE EDUCATION AND STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

June 17, 2020

**MEDIA QUESTIONS** - There were no questions from the media.

**ADJOURNMENT** - The Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 7:49 pm.

### **Questions - Please Contact:**

Trustee Norah Bowman, Chairperson at [Norah.Bowman@sd23.bc.ca](mailto:Norah.Bowman@sd23.bc.ca)

Terry-Lee Beaudry, Deputy Superintendent of Schools at 250-470-3225 or [Terry.Beaudry@sd23.bc.ca](mailto:Terry.Beaudry@sd23.bc.ca)

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Norah Bowman, Chairperson