



"Together We Learn"

School District No. 23
(Central Okanagan)

BOARD OF EDUCATION BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Date: **Wednesday, November 13, 2013**

Recognition:

1. Dennis Kirkey, Teacher – Mount Boucherie Secondary School

The Board of Education recognized Dennis Kirkey, teacher at Mount Boucherie Secondary School, for receiving the BC Association of Mathematics Teachers' – Outstanding Secondary Teacher Award.

Declaration:

1. National Bullying Awareness Week – November 17 to 23, 2013

The Board of Education declared November 17 to 23, 2013 as "Bullying Awareness Week" in School District No. 23.

Action Items:

1. Annual Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Report

The Board of Education accepted the Annual Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Report as the Annual Report required in Policy 620 – Site Maintenance.

2. Policy 470 – Transportation Services Management and Regulations 470R – Transportation Services Management (*Regulations*)

The Board of Education affirmed Policy 470 – Transportation Services Management with no recommended changes, and also approved the amendment to Regulations 470R – Transportation Services Management (*Regulations*).

3. Property Bylaw No. 125 – Disposal of a Statutory Right-of-Way

The Board of Education gave first, second and third readings, approved and adopted School District No. 23 (Central Okanagan) Property Bylaw No. 125 (Disposal of a Statutory Right-of-Way).

4. Amendments to Board Policy 351 – Respectful Workplace and Regulations 351R – Respectful Workplace

The Board of Education approved the amendments to Board Policy 351 – Respectful Workplace and Regulations 351R – Respectful Workplace with the caveat that the Policy be forwarded to the District's Human Resources and Staff Services Committee for further examination and possible amendments.

5. Amended Policy 542 – Proposals for Educational Programs with External Partnerships

The Board of Education approved the amendments to Policy 542 – Proposals for Educational Programs with External Partnerships.

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Information Items:

1. Chute Lake Elementary School Enhancement Project – Freestanding Message Board

Chute Lake Elementary School has funding available and will pay all costs associated with the supply and installation of the freestanding sign with digital message board. The Board agreed to enter into an Enhancement Agreement with Chute Lake Elementary School for this electronic freestanding information message board.

The following items were reviewed by the Board:

1. Field Trips 2013/2014
2. General Statements

Next Regularly Scheduled Board Meeting Date:

Regular Public Board Meeting
Wednesday, November 27, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.
School Board Office
The public is welcome to attend.

Regular Public Board Meeting and Annual General Meeting
Wednesday, December 11, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.
School Board Office
The public is welcome to attend.

Next Board Standing Committee Meeting Dates:

Wednesday, November 20, 2013
1:00 p.m. Finance and Legal Committee (at School Board Office)
6:00 p.m. Planning and Facilities Committee (at Mount Boucherie Secondary School)
(Please note: Staff recommendations regarding proposed Westside catchment areas will be presented at this meeting.)

For comments, please contact:
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