

MOUNTAIN VIEW SCHOOL DIVISION



Keeping Learners at the Centre

February 26, 2018

NEWS DIGEST

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Board Approved

- That a By-Law for the borrowing of \$ 1,546,800. for projects related to the MacKenzie Middle School Phase II Major Renovation, MacKenzie Middle School Roof Replacement, D.R.C.S.S. Glazing Walls Upgrade, and Lt. Colonel Barker V.C. School Lift and Elevator Upgrade/Addition was passed and given final reading
- That the 2018-2019 School Calendar was approved

Board Information

Celebration of Learning

- Roblin Elementary School Student Voice Presentation – Presenters Wendy Lawrence, Principal, students Marshall Vermette, Damon Malashewski, Brooklyn Hramalak, Emma Palmeruk

Finance Committee

- Finance Committee Meeting Minutes February 12, 2018 were received
- Finance Committee Meeting Minutes February 20, 2018 were received

Superintendent/CEO Report

Strategic Directions

- Mental Health Division Plan Status Report was shared
- Safe and Caring Schools Division Plan Status Report was shared
- Literacy Division Plan Status Report was shared

Administration

- Tootinaowaziibeeng Meeting Minutes February 16, 2018 were received
- Mid-Year Division Website Report was shared
- Reports received on University de Saint-Boniface Career Symposium held on January 23rd, Brandon University Career Fair held on February 1st, and University of Manitoba Career Fair held on February 21st

Correspondence

- Darryl Gervais, Director, Instruction, Curriculum and Assessment, Manitoba Education and Training, Re: Skills Strategy Equipment Enhancement Fund 2017-2018, February 2018
- Darryl Gervais, Director, Instruction, Curriculum and Assessment, Manitoba Education and Training, and Marcel Berube, Director Pedagogical Services Branch, Re: History 30F will be a compulsory credit for students graduating in 2020-2021 with the Senior Years Technical Education Program, February 2018
- Joanna Kaptein and Todd Long, Co-Chairs, Manitoba Council for Exceptional Children, Re: Recipients from Mountain View School Division, January 26, 2018

Secretary-Treasurer Report

Finance and Administration

- Finance Report to the end of January was shared
- Public Budget Forum scheduled for March 5, 2018, 7:00 p.m.

International Education

- 2017-2018 Updated Enrolment Report was shared

Correspondence

- Darren Thomas, Risk Manager, M.S.B.A., Re: Information related to the availability of Radon testing kits through the M.S.B.A. Office, February 14, 2018

Assistant Superintendent Programs and Planning

Administration

- Class visits of new teachers to Mountain View School Division were shared
- University of Manitoba Teacher Recruitment Report February 21, 2018 was shared
- Indigenous Education Committee Report February 12, 2018 was shared

Student Services

- Student Services Resource Meeting February 8, 2018 was shared
- Student Services Funding Review Committee Meeting February 13, 2018 was shared

Around the Division

- Around the Division Newsletter February 2018 was shared

Conferences

- M.S.B.A. Annual Convention, Winnipeg, Manitoba, March 15 and 16, 2018
- 23rd National Congress on Rural Education in Canada, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, March 25 to 27, 2018

- Peace Literacy: Skills and Leadership Workshop with Paul Chappell, Canadian Museum for Human Rights, April 26 to 27, 2018
- C.S.B.A. National Trustee Gathering on Aboriginal Education and Annual Congress, Halifax, Nova Scotia, July 4 to 7, 2018

Future Meeting Dates

March 5, 2018, 5:30 p.m.	Community Relations Committee Meeting
March 5, 2018, 7:00 p.m.	Public Budget Forum
March 12, 2018, 5:00 p.m.	Board Supper and Study Session
March 12, 2018, 5:30 p.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
March 12, 2018, 6:30 p.m.	In-Camera Meeting
March 12, 2018, 7:00 p.m.	Regular Board Meeting
March 19, 2018, 5:30 p.m.	Board Development Committee Meeting



MOUNTAIN VIEW SCHOOL DIVISION 2018 – 2019 SCHOOL CALENDAR (195 School Days)

Monday, September 3	Labour Day
Tuesday, September 4	Administration Day Grades K-12 (No Students Present)
Wednesday, September 5	School Begins for Students
Monday, October 1	Divisional Professional Development Day Grades K-12 (No Students Present)
Monday, October 8	Thanksgiving Day
Friday, October 19	M.T.S. PD Day (No Students Present)
Sunday, November 11	Remembrance Day
Monday, November 12	Administration Day Grades 1-8 and Professional Development Day Grades K, 9-12 (No Students Present)
Friday, November 23	Administration Day Parent-Teacher Interviews Grades K-12 (No Students Present)
Friday, December 21	Last Day of Classes before Christmas Break
December 24 - January 4	Christmas Break
Monday, January 7	Classes Resume after Christmas Break
Friday, February 1	Professional Development Day Grades 1-8 and Administration Day Grades K, 9-12 (No Students Present)
Monday, February 4	Semester 2 Begins (Grades 9-12)
Monday, February 18	Louis Riel Day
Monday, February 25	Divisional Professional Development Day Grades K-12 (No Students Present)
Friday, March 15	Administration Day (Parent-Teacher Interviews) Grades K-8 and Professional Development Day Grades 9-12 (No Students Present)
Friday, March 22	Last Day of Classes before Spring Break
March 25 – March 29	Spring Break
Monday, April 1	Classes Resume after Spring Break
Friday, April 19	Good Friday
Friday, April 26	Administration Day (Parent-Teacher Interviews) Grades 9-12 and Professional Development Day Grades K-8 (No Students Present)
Monday, May 20	Victoria Day
Thursday, June 27	Last Day of Classes
Friday, June 28	Administration Day Grades K-12 (No Students Present)

Contact Superintendent/CEO Department, Mountain View School Division for further information