



BOARD OF TRUSTEES KEY MESSAGES

Following are the Key Messages from the Board of Trustees Regular Meeting held on Monday, March 25, 2024. Each month the Board Key Messages are shared at School Council Meetings. See your school's website for information about upcoming meetings and agendas.

- 1) **Regional School Council Terms of Reference** - The ASCA Conference and AGM is an important tool for parents to have a voice at the provincial level. Parents and/or delegates attending the annual general meeting vote on resolutions, sometimes also by proxy. This years ASCA Conference and AGM is being held April 26-28, 2024 in Edmonton. The Board of Trustees moved to pay for the Chair of the Regional School Council to attend the ASCA Conference and AGM in person, if there is a school council member attending. If the chair is unable to attend, another Trustee may attend in their place, with preference given first to the other Regional School Council Committee member. For more information on the ASCA Annual Conference/AGM please see the [Alberta School Councils' Association website](#).
- 2) **Livingstone Range School Division Three Year Capital Plan** – The Board of Trustees approved the updated Livingstone Range School Division Three Year Capital Plan to be submitted to Alberta Education by April 1, 2024.
- 3) **Edwin Parr Nomination** - F.P. Walshe School teacher Michael McTighe is Livingstone Range School Division's nominee for the 2024 Alberta School Boards Association's Edwin Parr Teacher Award. The award honours outstanding first-year teachers in Alberta. The Board of Trustees would like to congratulate Michael on his well-deserved nomination.
- 4) **Instructional Funding Allocation** - The Instructional Funding Allocation is the way in which divisional resources are allocated out to schools, departments and initiatives. Mr. Jeff Perry, Associate Superintendent, Business Services, shared with the board a summary of the proposed allocation approach. The Board of Trustees approved the Instructional Funding Allocation as presented for the 2024-2025 school year.
- 5) **Granum 4 Day School Week** - Granum families have voted in favour of a 4-day school week. Based on the results of a vote, Granum School will proceed with a 4-day school week beginning in the 2024-2025 school year. Livingstone Range School Division continues to work with childcare providers to create childcare solutions beginning in the 2024-2025 school year. More information will be shared with Granum School Parent Council by mid-April.

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The Livingstone Range School Division will continue engaging other schools and communities to explore the potential implementation of a 4-day school week option throughout the division. The Board of Trustees will discuss a 4-day school week stakeholder engagement plan at their April 2025 Regular Board Meeting.

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