

Board Highlights from the December 11, 2023 Regular Meeting of the Christ the Teacher Roman Catholic Separate School Division Board of Education. The next meeting is scheduled for January 16, 2024.

MLA DIALOGUE

Thank you to MLAs Greg Ottenbreit and Warren Kaeding for joining the Board and engaging in some excellent dialogue regarding the education sector generally and the division's priorities, successes, and challenges specifically.

DIVISION STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE - FAITH FORMATION AND MENTAL HEALTH & WELL-BEING PRIORITY UPDATES

Deanna Pellatt, Religious Education Consultant for the division, presented the Board with an update of the recent actions and events related to the Faith Formation Priority. In addition to updating the Board on services, grade-level activities, and events, Mrs. Pellatt shared work the division has initiated related to curriculum and permeation of instruction and activities with Catholic values and virtues. Thank you to our staff, Religion Liaisons, parish priests, and all who have been involved in leading and coordinating faith experiences this year.

Division actions to date related to the Mental Health and Well-Being Priority were provided by Superintendents of Education Trevor Baker and Chad Holinaty. Actions within this priority are intended to support and address the mental health and well-being of students and staff. Highlighted actions include recent and upcoming training and professional development sessions and an overview of community agencies and services available to support this priority.

FIRST QUARTER BUDGET UPDATE

Delmar Zwirsky, Chief Financial Officer, presented the Board with an interim financial update for the 1st quarter of the 2023-24 fiscal year.

GOOD NEWS AND CONGRATULATIONS

Several "Good News" updates were discussed – including Sacred Heart High School's outstanding musical production of *The Sound of Music*. As well, congratulations went out to participants and teams who wrapped up elementary volleyball seasons and at Sacred Heart High School's Fall Athletics Awards Banquet, various school-level Advent celebrations and service projects, and Band and Choir Concerts.

On behalf of the Christ the Teacher Roman Catholic School Division Board of Education, we wish everyone a joyful Advent season, a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year!



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