



BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

Sept 7, 2016 Board Meeting

Trustees: (back row) Sherry Cooper, Ron Fisher (Vice Chair), Colleen Butler (Chair), Superintendent Kurt Sacher, Connie Huelsman (front row) Sheldon Ball, Trudy James, Jackie Swainson, Holly Bilton, Gordon Kerr

Oath of Office:

At the annual Organizational Meeting of the Board of Education, Trustees reconfirmed the roles of Colleen Butler as Board Chair and Ron Fisher as Vice Chair. As well, Trustees voted Sherry Cooper and Sheldon Ball to the position of Second Vice Chair, each for a term which will be rotated halfway through the 2016-2017 school year. This position will act on behalf of the Board Vice Chair in the latter's absence and shall have all the duties and responsibilities of the Board Vice Chair.

Board Committee Structure:

The Board of Education confirmed Trustee representation on all Board Committees and Ad Hoc Committees. A complete list is available on the Board section of the Chinook's Edge website.

Summer School:

The Career High schools in Sylvan Lake, Innisfail and Olds each hosted Summer School programming again this year, where a total of 155 students took the opportunity to further their learning goals. This included 38 Diploma-level courses.

Dossier Information System overview:

Karyn Barber, Associate Superintendent of System Services, provided an overview of a data management and analytics system which Chinook's Edge is utilizing. The extensive system is designed to bring data together from multiple sources which leads to success for students, schools and the division as a whole.



Welcome:

The Board extended a warm welcome to new staff in Division Office, whose efforts affect students and staff throughout Chinook's Edge.

The next meeting of the Board of Chinook's Edge School Division No. 73 is scheduled to take place on Wednesday, October 12, 2016.

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