

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS



November 24, 2021

Trustees (left to right): Vice Chair Melissa Copley, Linda Wagers, De Anne Hutchison, Sherry Cooper, Chair Holly Bilton, Terry Leslie, Jackie Swainson, Kathy Kemmere, Gord Kerr.

Approval of Audited Financial Statements:

Following a presentation from Treasurer Susan Roy, a public member from the Audit Committee, and the independent auditing firm which conducts the Chinook's Edge audit, the Board approved the audited Financial Statements for the year ended August 31, 2021. The Board reviewed details from each school and department. The senior auditor, who is part of the independent MNP team that conducted the detailed review, acknowledged the cooperation and assistance they received from staff and management throughout the audit process. In summary, the statements show revenue of \$129 million and expenses of \$129 million. The Audited Financial Statements will now be filed with Alberta Education and posted to the website under Plans and Reports. The auditing firm, Superintendent Kurt Sacher and the Board of Trustees thanked Treasurer Roy and the Financial Services team for their work and expertise throughout the year, which resulted in another successful audit. The process verified to Trustees that the Board priority of directing resources to student learning is being met, as was further evidenced through the presentation of the 2020-2021 Annual Education Results Report. This report will also be filed with Alberta Education and posted on the division website.

Today's virtual Board of Trustees meeting provided Trustees with the opportunity to thank Treasurer Susan Roy for investing nearly 30 years with Chinook's Edge. Once she concluded this last official task of her long career, Superintendent Kurt Sacher presented a gift of thanks while Trustees congratulated Mrs. Roy on her retirement.



Under the Education Act, School Board responsibilities are to govern, advocate and promote. For more information please visit <u>About the Board</u>.

The next meeting of the Board of Chinook's Edge School Division is scheduled to take place on Wednesday, December 15, 2021

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