

**Trustee Reports
May 9, 2018**

Every week, trustees are kept very busy supporting schools and students, as well as representing district interests in the community. The following is a summary of the most recent trustee activities on behalf of the district.

Trustees attended events at the following schools:

- Open House at the New Ecole Salish Secondary
- Earl Marriott Secondary's production of *Little Shop of Horrors*
- *Willy Wonka Junior* at Betty Huff Elementary; and
- The art show at M. B. Sanford Elementary

Trustees also attended the following District events and events in the community:

- Grade 8 Band Revue at the Bell Centre
- South Fraser Regional Science Fair grades 7-12 Surrey and Delta Students held at Kwantlen Polytechnic University
- Classroom Champions Surrey Community Event at Bear Creek Elementary
- RCMP Youth Academy Graduation at Stillwood Camp
- District Dance Festival at the Bell Centre; and
- Green Champions Open House at the Resource and Education Centre

The Board attended the British Columbia School Trustees Association AGM and the Surrey Principals and Vice Principals Association conference.

Trustees participated in several meetings:

- IDEAS 36
- Policy Committee
- Budget Committee
- Board/Students Liaison
- BCSTA Chair and Vice Chair
- BCSTA Provincial Council
- BCSTA Legislative Committee
- BCSTA Metro Branch
- District Parents Advisory Council
- Surrey Crime Prevention Society
- Trustee In-Service
- French Immersion Advisory Committee
- Intensive Fine Arts Advisory Committee; and
- Summer Learning Vice Principal Selection Committee
- Food Action Coalition
- Surrey Board of Trade Social Policy Team
- Surrey/White Rock Community Partnership – Make Children First; and
- Board/Executive Strategic Planning

The Chairperson and Vice Chairperson met with the Minister of Education to discuss the education funding formula, capital funding and portable costs.

Trustees attended a Ministry capital funding announcement at Sunnyside Elementary. Premier John Horgan and Minister of Education, Rob Fleming announced government funding for the following projects: Site #180 Douglas-area elementary school, Frost Road and Coyote Creek Elementary School additions and Sunnyside-area land acquisition.