

Board of Trustees: Patrick McFeely, Lyle Albrech, Dwight Dibben, Karen Belich, Doug Algar

Excess Property Disposal

The Board has approved that BRSD surplus properties acquired through regionalization, many being former school sites, may be listed and advertised for sale by tender.

International Travel

The Board approved an international student trip for a group of students from Tofield to go to Italy in March 2025. Additionally, The Board approved an international student trip for a group of students from New Norway to go to Greece in March 2025. The New Norway students will be joined by a group of Viking students.

International travel provides students valuable learning experiences; <u>AP 261</u> <u>International and National Travel Study</u> indicates our Board's support for student learning experiences that relate to the curriculum.

Adult Student Fees and International Student Fees

The Board approved adult student fees and international student fees for the 2024-25 school year.

Alternative Learning

The Board was informed of a new middle years program that will support students at BRACE.

Joint Use and Planning Agreement

The Board has approved the Joint Use and Planning Agreement (JUPA) between BRSD and the Town of Bashaw, the Village of Rosalind and Flagstaff County.

Budget, 2024-25

Preliminary budget discussions have begun.

Bus Purchases

At the meeting, the Board approved bus purchases according to budget allowances.

Student Success

At the Board meeting, the Board was provided with a glimpse into the significance of education within the Viking Colony community through a video presentation highlighting where they are currently learning as well as the construction of their new school.

The Board also heard from students Saphira, Alex, and Janaya, who shared practical applications of their learning of measurement and geometry. These students are thriving and learning both within the classroom and outside, actively engaging in hands-on experiences.

Board Policy Work

This month, as part of its role in governance, the Board reviewed: Policy 8: <u>Board Operations</u>

<u>Appendix A, Trustee Equipment</u>

Schedule A, Trustee Remuneration Schedule B, Trustee Honoraria

Events and Meetings

Council of School Councils meeting: Tuesday, May 21 at Division Office in Camrose from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Every Student, Every Day, a Success.