



BOARD

March 28, 2024



Board of Trustees with Student Success presenters (left to right): Patrick McFeely, Dwight Dibben, Karen Belich, Kate, Madison, Calleigh, Taylor, Doug Algar, Lyle Albrecht

Edwin Parr Nomination

The Board is pleased to announce that Kaden Doerksen is BRSD's Edwin Parr nominee and will be recognized at the Edwin Parr Awards Ceremony on May 27. Read the [story](#) here.

Capital Plan Approval

The Board has approved BRSD's three year capital plan to be submitted to Alberta Education. CW Sears School, École Charlie Killam School (ÉCKS), Hay Lakes School, and a new Camrose middle school are listed in the report for priority projects. Included with ÉCKS is a request for pre-planning funding to allow the school division to identify the best option to meet the long-term needs within the City of Camrose. The [capital plan report](#) is available on the website.

International Trip

The Board approved an international student trip for a group of students from Viking to go to Greece in March 2025. International travel provides students valuable learning experiences; [AP 261 International and National Travel Study](#) indicates our Board's support for student learning experiences that relate to the curriculum.

Summer School Fees

The Board approved for 2023-24 summer school student fees to remain at the same rate as in the previous year: \$45/course (BRSD); \$65/course (non-resident)

New Division Office

The first Board meeting was held at the new Division Office on March 28 and staff shared in a potluck lunch to celebrate. The new address is: 4302 38 St., Camrose AB T4V 4B2.

Board Policy Work

This month, as part of its role in governance, the Board reviewed: Policy 7: [Role of the Vice-Chair](#)

Events and Meetings

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

Student Success

At the Board meeting, the Board received information from Tofield students, Katie, Callie, Taylor and Madison, about the SOARING project being planned by Tofield students on the Youth Engagement committee. An FCSS SOARING grant was received through AHS for youth led initiatives to help youth live healthy, safe, and active lives. In alignment with project objectives, the youth involved decided to focus their project on awareness of Mental Health and Physical Wellness.

Attendance Boundary Review

Motions made and carried at the March 28 meeting:

#32/24: K BELICH – That the Board amends the attendance boundary so that the Viking attendance area be extended west to the centre of Section 24-49-15-W4M, northward to the north side of section 12-50-15W4M, and then continue eastward along the County of Beaver boundary (sections 7,8,9,10, and 11 of 50-14 W4M)

#33/24: K BELICH – That the Board amends the attendance boundary so that the Sedgewick attendance area be extended to include the NE and SE quarters of Section 31-45-11-W4M and the NW and SW quarters of Section 32-45-11-W4M.

#34/24: K BELICH – That the Board amends the attendance boundary so that the Daysland attendance area be extended northward along range road 165 to the midpoint of Section 8-48-16-W4M and then continue eastward to the centre of Section 12-48-15-W4M.