

CATHOLIC INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS DIOCESE OF PRINCE GEORGE

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING Tuesday March 12, 2024 – 5:00pm Pastoral Centre Board Room & ZOOM

MINUTES

In Attendance:

Absent

Bishop Stephen Jensen President (Chairman)

Via ZOOM Charmaine Moeller Member, Northern Representative

Richard Klein Bishop-appointed member

Excused Gregory Krabes Bishop-appointed member

Fr. John Garden Secretary/Treasurer

Bina Tucker Member, Western Representative Lorenzo Sia Member, Central Representative

Fr. Terry Brock Vicar General

Administration Chris Dugdale Superintendent of Schools

Laurie Hooker Executive Assistant (Recording)

1. Call to Order - The meeting was called to order at 5:02pm

Prayer – Bishop Jensen – Prayer for the sick.

2. Acceptance of Agenda

The Agenda for the Board meeting of March 12, 2024 was accepted, noting an *In Camera* meeting will take place

3. Approval of the Minutes from January 30, 2024

Motion: CISPG BOD 2024.03.12.01

M/ Richard Klein S/ Bishop Jensen

That the Minutes of the Board meeting of January 30, 2024 be approved as circulated.

CARRIED

4. CISPG Financial Statements (report provided)

Motion: CISPG BOD 2024.03.12.02

M/ Charmaine Moeller S/ Richard Klein

To receive the January 2024 CISPG financial statements as presented.

CARRIED

5. Report from Superintendent of Schools – Chris Dugdale (report provided)

Chris asked for continued prayer for the 2024-2025 hiring season. The competition is fierce with applicants getting multiple offers across the country.

CISPG is investing in early learning literacy resources and materials related to the UFLI program. Each school will be able to start the purchase of materials while others that have already been using the program will be able to increase their materials and resources.

St. Mary's university in Calgary has practicum placements available to our schools. They are placed from mid-October to mid-December. We will seek sponsor teachers and then find a homestay placement for the 8-week period.

Please share the St. Mark's invitation to catholic educators for their upcoming sessions – There are scholarships available, and the Religious Education Trust fund is also available to assist.

Learning Resource Teachers are asking for more support by way of professional development specific to their needs.

6. Prepared Director Reports

At this time BC does not have a Rep at the CCSTA level – A reminder this opportunity is available should anyone be interested.

Regional Reports

- **6.1** Northern Representative Charmaine Moeller (Report provided)
- **6.2 Central Representative Lorenzo Sia** (No report)
- **6.3 Western Representative Bina Tucker** (No report)
- 7. Adjournment at 5:18pm
- 8. In-Camera meeting held

Next CISPG Board meeting

Tuesday May 14, 2024 BOD – 5:00pm