



Red River Valley School Division Community Report

Items of Interest from the December 2009 and January and February 2010 Regular Board Meetings:

1. The Board received regular updates at each meeting on the H1N1 pandemic, including its affect on our schools and The Red River Valley School Division as a whole. Daily absenteeism reporting continues on the Division's webpage.
2. The Board of Trustees nominated a Morris School student for the Manitoba School Boards' Association Citizenship and Young Community Leader Award (2009 – 2010).
3. The Senior Administration provided several Monitoring Reports to the Board on priorities that were set in the Board Strategic Plan. Reports included qualitative and quantitative data on Priority 1 – To plan and provide quality education for the future of our students; Priority 2 – To continue to recruit and retain dedicated and highly competent employees; Priority 3 – To provide safe and friendly environments; and Priority 4 – To be leaders in education.
4. The Board discussed their participation in "I Love To Read" month, as well as tours of selected schools in the Division.
5. The Board received information about the DARE presentation at Starbuck School, Olympic celebrations at JA Cuddy School and Macdonald Headingly, and the École St. Malo School Celebration Day.
6. The Board approved the Ward Boundary Revision by-law. This affects Wards 1 through 6.