

Board Meeting Highlights February 3, 2020

1. Global Sports Academy

The Board approved the establishment of a partnership with Global Sports Academy to offer high performance youth development for SRPSD. The partnership is expected to begin at Carlton in September 2020 to enable participating students to earn high school credits while receiving elite-level training in athletics, nutrition, sport psychology and leadership. Parent and student information nights will likely be advertised in the coming weeks.

2. Saskatchewan Rivers Student for Change (SRSC) will Present at National Conference

SRSC students and Board trustees have been invited to present at the National Congress on Rural Education to share the story of how the SRSC came to be and how it has impacted the lives of students. There is growing support and interest in this Board initiative that began several years ago and now is expanding its impact in the division and beyond. The event (<https://selu.usask.ca/ruraled/>) is in Saskatoon on March 29 & 30 and welcomes parents, SCC members, educators and administrators from across the country.

3. Budget and Strategic Plan Consultations

Trustees are anticipating the opportunity to meet with staff, parents and community members beginning in February. The Board is developing its budget and will be renewing the Strategic Plan so trustees look forward to meetings to gather input from all stakeholders. It is an opportunity to learn about the budget development process, to provide input and direction for that process and also to spend some time discussing the long term goals and direction for the division. Trustees hope to see you at one of the upcoming gatherings.

The Board hopes that this brief update can provide information and promote two-way communication. If you have want further details about the Board and its meetings, you can find information at this link [SRPSD Board Information](#), but you are also encouraged to contact your local trustee:

We look forward to the connection!

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