## January 12 System Parent Meeting with Trustees

All parents are invited to attend the second System Parent Meeting of the year to be held as follows:

Date: Wednesday January 12, 2011Time: 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. (6:30-7:00 mingling, 7:00 presentations begin)Place: Learning Commons, Henry Wise Wood High School, 910 - 75 Avenue S.W.Details: Agenda

This meeting will be a different format from previous meetings. We will have table seating, rather than theatre seating to facilitate small group discussions and provide opportunities for parents to share ideas and provide input.

We plan to offer a webinar option to allow people who are not able to attend this meeting

Issue: January 7, 2011

School Councils are a very important part of the CBE.

Together, School Councils and the CBE work together to promote the well-being and effectiveness of the entire school community and enhance student learning.

**CBE Quick Links** 

Other Resources

CAPSC

Alberta EducationSchool Council
Resource Manual

Alberta School Councils'
Association

in person to participate. If you wish to participate in this way, please let us know so that a link can be sent to you prior to the meeting to give you web access. I want to participate in the webinar.

Those participating in person and from home should be aware of who their Trustee is prior to the meeting. If you do not know who your Trustee is or what Ward you are in, click here.

If you plan to attend in person, please RSVP to <u>Karen</u>

<u>Drummond</u>.

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We are always looking for ways to improve communication so if you have any suggestions or comments, please feel free to contact me.

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nominating an outstanding
teacher or principal for an
Excellence in Teaching Award.

Learn more.

## Kindergarten Registration Begins January 10

If you or other parents you know are registering children for Kindergarten for the 2011-2012 school year, registration begins on January 10, 2011.

All the information you need about Kindergarten can be found on our website.

Learn more.

January 19 CAPSC
Meeting to Inform
Parents About Changes

#### to Special Education

Alberta Education is in the midst of changing special education by rolling out its "Action on Inclusion" initiative, based on feedback collected and priorities determined through the "Setting the Direction for Special Education" work done last year. You are invited to the Calgary Association of Parents and School Councils (CAPSC)'s upcoming meeting to learn more about these changes.

CAPSC will be hosting
Alberta Education's Dianne
McConnell (Director, Action
on Inclusion) and Anne
Davidson (Project Manager,
Action on Inclusion). Bring
your questions and
feedback!

The meeting takes place Wednesday January 19, 2011, 7:00 – 9:00 PM at AE Cross Junior High School.

All are welcome.

# Meet with Education Minister Regarding Fine Arts Education on January 25

Have a voice in guiding the future of Fine Arts Education in the revised curriculum scheduled to be introduced this spring.

Learn more.

### **Area Meetings**

The first Area meeting of the new year will be held on February 2 for Area V. The other Area meetings will follow in March and May. Be sure you mark your calendars by checking dates and times on the Meetings Page.

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