



## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

May 21, 2019 Board Meeting

1. **SRO Vacancy:** The Rocky Mountain House R.C.M.P. have informed us that they have identified a suitable candidate for our Rocky Mountain House SRO position that will become vacant at the end of June. This is good news. Hopefully the new SRO will be ready to start in September.
2. **ASBA Youth Summit** - The Alberta School Boards Association is partnering with the Mental Health Commission of Canada (MHCC) to bring **HEADSTRONG** to students from across the province for a two day Provincial Youth Mental Health Summit in Red Deer Alberta on June 3-4, 2019. We have one student from West Central High School and one from Frank Maddock High School planning to attend.
3. **Health & Safety Committee (HSC) update** - We are very close to having our HSC variance request approved by the Ministry of Labour. Our remaining steps include:
  - a. Submit the names of our 8 committee members (4 workers and 4 management)
  - b. Submit the names of the co-chairs for the committee (1 worker and 1 management)
  - c. Submit the names of our Health & Safety Representatives from each of our sites (all workers)

We hope to have all of these positions confirmed and submitted by May 31, 2019. We hope to have an initial start-up meeting for the HSC in June and then quarterly meetings starting the 2019-20 school year. For more information, please see our [HSC Terms of Reference](#).

4. **WRSD Technology:** On March 26 in San Jose, California, Cisco hosted a panel of experts to film a video to be played during their global launch for a new product called Wi-Fi 6 technology. Because of the relationship WRSD has with Meraki and Cisco, the WRSD Director of Information Technology was invited to participate on this panel to share our vision for Wi-Fi 6 technology. See the following article for details: [Cisco/Meraki Case Study & WRSD](#). The video has had over 1 million views since it's airing on April 29th! Mr. Lefebvre's portion begins at minute 59, just click the "[watch recording](#)" button on Cisco.com.

- 5. Learning Services Presentation:** The Director of Instruction and Learning Services Coordinator were selected to present at ULead, one of the foremost international events for school and system leaders in the world. They shared about the New Curriculum planning, implementation and collaboration process so far. The presentation is [here](#).
- 6. Provincial PowerSchool User Group:** The WRSD SIS Coordinator was one of the lead organizers of the provincial PowerSchool User Group annual conference May 6-7. She also helped organize the PowerSchool User Group training in October of 2018 and the upcoming provincial training in October of 2019. This provincial involvement gives Wild Rose School Division more contacts and collaboration opportunities to continue to improve and grow our SIS.
- 7. Condor Sensory Room Grant:** Condor School was successful in acquiring grant monies from the Children's Ability Fund to support the creation of a Sensory Room, specifically a Sensory Magic Starter System Kit.
- 8. Honouring Spirit: Indigenous Student Awards:** These awards celebrate exceptional students nominated by members of their education communities, based on their exemplary leadership, honour, courage, and commitment to their cultures and education paths. We are pleased to announce that Armen Smallboy, a student at West Central High School, has received honorable mention and will receive an honourable mention certificate signed by the Alberta School Boards Association President as well as an Indigenous Advisory Circle member.