

FROM THE BOARD

Highlights from the LPSD Board of Education Meeting

February, 2017

LPSD DATA WALL WALK

The Board was presented with mid-year data reflection during its February meeting.

Here are some highlights:

- As of January 2017, 80% of our Grades 1-3 students are reading at or above grade level. This on par with the province's goal of having 80% of students reading at or above grade level by the year 2020.

- 82.6% of all LPSD students in the 2014-15 cohort are on-track to graduate in June 2017.



The LPSD Board of Education and Senior Administration donned their pink shirts during the board meeting on Feb. 15

ESSP PLAN FINALIZATION CYCLE 3

During the regular Board Meeting on Feb. 15, trustees were given an update on the Education Sector Strategic Plan, which aligns the work of all school divisions and the Ministry of Education. The provincial Leadership Team met on Feb. 1 to finalize the ESSP. The ESSP was then presented to the Board Chairs Council on Feb. 2 and was received with no critical question from those in attendance.

There are no substantive changes

to the plan, but rather a continued focus on the goals that were established in Cycle 1.

GRADES 7-12 CHROMEBOOKS AND CARTS

As the Grade 7-12 student laptops and carts located around the division have been in use since 2013, the Board of Education authorized administration to issue a RFP during the Nov. 23, 2016

regular meeting. During February's meeting, the board accepted a proposal, which would will see 430 Chromebooks and 12 carts brought into the division.

BARR COLONY SCHOOL ROOF REPLACEMENT

Barr Colony School's roof will be getting a face lift, as the Board approved a tender for its replacement. This project start time will be March 17, 2017.

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