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# **BOARD HIGHLIGHTS**

**Regular Meeting** 

April 16, 2024

For Immediate Release

# NGPS Motto

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# 2024-25 School Year Calendar

The <u>2024-25 School Year Calendar</u> was approved for use by the Board of Trustees and may be viewed online at ngps.ca.

## Locally Developed Courses

The Board approved the use of locally developed courses for use in NGPS schools::

Traditional Land Based Learning 25 and 35

# Board Policy – Ward Boundaries

Motion that the Board direct Administration to prepare a by-law that:

- 1. Maintains a nine (9) person Board of Trustees in the next term;
- 2. Adjusts ward and subdivision boundaries to align more directly with transportation areas;
- 3. Provides for the amalgamation of Ward 1, Subdivisions 3 and 4, with two Trustees to be elected at-large; and,
- 4. Provides for the amalgamation of Ward 3, Subdivisions 2 and 3, with two Trustees to be elected at-large.

Motion Carried.

#### Division welcomes new Principal at Mayerthorpe Jr/Sr High School

NGPS is please to announce that Mrs. Kariann Rosko has accepted the Principalship at MHS, effective August 2024. Read the <u>Press Release</u>.

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## Valleyview shows Support for New School

NGPS Superintendent Kevin Bird and Valleyview trustees met with representatives from the Town of Valleyview and the Municipal District of Greenview last month. Both the Town and MD have committed generous support to the new school project with the Town setting aside funds to improve road access to the the new school when it is built, and the MD providing support for wireless connectivity. We appreciate the support and commitment from our municipal partners.

## School Tours

Trustees have been visiting all Division schools as part of their annual school tours. Trustees have appreciated their time in different schools sharing that students and staff have been very welcoming.

#### Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Board is scheduled for May 7, 2024, at the Division Office in Whitecourt, commencing at 10:00 a.m. Members of the public are invited to attend or watch the Meeting live on our YouTube channel, <u>NGTV</u>.



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