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Board Meeting Highlights – October 2017

DATES TO REMEMBER

Next Board Meeting

**Wednesday,
November 15
10:30 a.m.**

STAR Central Office
4906 50 Ave., Leduc, AB
*The public is welcome at
all Board meetings.*

Board of Trustees

Michelle Lamer

Chair
Leduc

Henry Effon

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Sandra Bannard

Drayton Valley

Shaun Meaden

Leduc

Liz Taylor-Sirois

Beaumont

Dan Svitich

Ponoka

Donna Tugwood

Lacombe

New Board sworn in

The new STAR Catholic Board was sworn in at its organizational meeting held Oct. 23, 2017. Catholic Trustee Commissioning was also administered at the regular meeting by Deacon Leo Farley of Sacred Heart Parish.

First meeting of new Board

This was the first meeting of the new STAR Catholic Board. STAR Catholic's Board is served by seven trustees representing six communities: Board Chair and Leduc Trustee Michelle Lamer, Board Vice Chair and Wetaskiwin Trustee Henry Effon, Drayton Valley Trustee Sandra Bannard, Leduc Trustee Shaun Meaden, Beaumont Trustee Liz Taylor-Sirois, Ponoka Trustee Dan Svitich, and Lacombe Trustee Donna Tugwood.

FNMI Learning Day

The Board received a report regarding Learning Day, which focused on FNMI culture and learning outcomes. It was a division-wide event held this year at St. Augustine School in Ponoka, with Maskwacis and community partners.

Scholarship development

The Board directed administration to examine scholarship proposals for students, based on a donation from the Alberta Summer Games, held in Leduc.

Annual MLA Meetings

The Board reviewed the agenda for upcoming meetings with MLAs representing STAR Catholic communities.

Enrollment numbers

The Board received an updated report on the Division's latest enrollment numbers, with Division enrollment at 4,095.

Accountability Pillar Results

The Board received an update on the Accountability Pillar Results showing STAR Catholic student excellence in diploma and PAT results, and Division results above provincial averages in the vast majority of measured categories.

Wetaskiwin Leaders of Tomorrow

The Board continued its scholarship support for the Leaders of Tomorrow program in Wetaskiwin for 2018.

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