

**TO LEARN. TO GROW.  
TO BUILD A BETTER WORLD.**

**2019**

## **SEPTEMBER BOARD HIGHLIGHTS**



## **SCHOOL SHARING PRESENTATION**

**George Davison School** presented to the board, indicating their vision and strategies for meeting students' unique needs and an intentional focus on growth in academic achievement and social emotional well being. Teachers and admin are getting students excited about learning and providing families with tools and supports to build positive relationships between the school and home.

## **ITEMS FOR ACTION**

Oct 5 is celebrated annually as World Teachers' Day. This year Oct 5 is a Saturday, so we will celebrate on Friday. The board approved the delivery of a card and fruit basket to all MHPSD schools in appreciation of teachers.

## **ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

- The PSBAA 2019 Fall Events will be held in Edmonton on Oct 16-18, 2019.
- The ASBA Fall Event and General Meeting will be held in Edmonton on Nov 17-19, 2019.
- The NSBA Annual Conference & Exposition will be held in Chicago on Apr 4-6, 2020.

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

Thank you cards have been received from MHPSD students that have been awarded scholarships.

### **Thelma Berkeley Robinson Scholarship:**

Haley Gader, Baley Gosse, Justin Maser, Miranda Buchholz, Dani DaRosa, Matthew Birtle, Shauna Jensen, Nicholas Belanger, Emily Hess, Ishma Kazé, Nick Sweeney.

### **Harold Storlien Memorial Scholarship:**

Josh Hower

### **Safe Grad 2019:**

Zach Campbell

## RECOGNITION & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Vice Chair, Catherine Wilson presented a plaque to Rick Massini from the Public School Boards Association in recognition of his tireless advocacy and commitment to the values of public education, creating a legacy for children attending Alberta's public schools.



(From left) Chair, Rick Massini receives an award from Vice Chair, Catherine Wilson on behalf of PSBA. Congratulations Rick!

## TREATY 7 LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the Blackfoot Confederacy and the people of Treaty 7 Region in Southern Alberta. We honour and acknowledge the homeland of the Métis people. We are grateful for the traditional Knowledge Keepers and Elders who are still with us today and those who have gone before us.

## FIVE UNIVERSAL GOALS

1. Provide **optimal learning environments** to all learners
2. Approach all people with an **inclusive mindset**
3. Foster a **culture of wellness**
4. Develop **leadership skills** among all members of the school community
5. Determined **focus on First Nation, Métis and Inuit student success**

# MHPSD, WHERE KIDS COUNT!

## NEXT BOARD MEETING – OCT 22, 2019

**5:30 p.m.** School Sharing Presentation from **Ross Glen School**  
**6:00 p.m.** Regular Board Meeting

Board meetings are held in the MHPSD Central Office - Board Room, 601 1<sup>st</sup> Ave SW.

