

MHPSD WHERE KIDS COUNT!

2019

FEB 26 BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

RECOGNITION & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The board showed gratitude to Medicine Hat High School for their production of *It's a Wonderful Life* and Crescent Heights High School for *Newsies*. The commitment and hard work of the teachers and students involved in these productions certainly shows.
- Medicine Hat Public School Division is fortunate to have an outstanding group of first year teachers nominated for the Edwin Parr Award. This nomination is for first year teachers who demonstrate superior instructional practice and model outstanding professionalism.

2019 NOMINEES:

Natalia Wenzel Crestwood School

Travis Rapuano Alexandra Middle School

Megan Getz Medicine Hat High School



The board has nominated **Travis Rapuano** to represent MHPSD at the Zone 6 Edwin Parr Awards.



Elm Street School grade 1 students learn about the FNMI culture during story time.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Board received a number of thank you cards from students receiving division awards and scholarships.

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

- An overview of the ASBA Zone 6 Executive Meeting held on February 20, 2019 was provided.
- The PSBC Zone 6 Meeting was held on February 7 and 8, 2019. An overview of this meeting was provided.

ITEMS FOR ACTION

- The board gave final approval for the Crescent Heights High School field trip to San Francisco and Los Angeles, California for the period Apr 15 - 24, 2019.
- The board gave final approval for the Medicine Hat High School field trip to New York City for the period Mar 8 - 13, 2019.
- The board approved the reallocation of \$250,000 from capital reserves to cover the cost of re-engineering the sound and visual components in the Medicine Hat High School Hub and gymnasium, as well as visual equipment in the east gymnasium at Crescent Heights High School.

FIVE UNIVERSAL GOALS

- 1) Provide optimal learning environments to all learners
- 2) Approaching all people with an Inclusive Mindset
- 3) Fostering a Culture of Wellness
- 4) Developing Leadership skills among all members of the school community
- 5) Determined focus on First Nation, Métis and Inuit student success



Southview School ELP student learns about letters by writing in flour.

NEXT BOARD MEETING

SchoolSharing Presentation

MARCH 12, 2019 - OUTREACH SCHOOL

Regular Board Meeting

MARCH 26, 2019

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 17, 2019 DISTRICT COUNCIL OF SCHOOL COUNCILS MEETING WERE PRESENTED FOR INFORMATION.

