



NCDSB From the Board Room

OCTOBER 18, 2023



St. Patrick Catholic School, Cobalt, was highlighted as the October *School of the Month* in the school's video presentation which can be found by clicking [here](#).

Policy

The following policies passed second and third reading at this month's Board meeting:

- B-15 Advertising
- E-18 Community Involvement and Christian Service
- I-6 Hand Held (Mobile) Wireless Devices
- T-11 Replacement of a Trustee

These updated policies can be found by visiting www.ncdsb.on.ca/policies.php



Ministry Visit

The Northeastern Catholic District School Board also celebrated a recent visit from the Honourable Stephen Lecce, Minister of Education, and MPP George Pirie. They were joined by a number of Board and community members at St. Joseph School in South Porcupine for a media announcement relating to the child care expansion project currently underway at the school.

The NCDSB would like to gratefully acknowledge the Ministry of Education in providing 5.4 million dollars in funding for the completion of this exciting project!



2023-24 Board of Trustees

Back Row (L-R): Glenn Sheculski (Chair), Denis Lincez, Steve Malciw, Stan Skalecki, Martin Drainville, and Fred Salvador
Front Row (L-R): Sahayma Omenye (Student Trustee), Colleen Landers, Elizabeth King (Vice-Chair), Paula Del Guidice, and Elena Lionello (Student Trustee)

Aussie Experience

Superintendent of Education Daphne Brumwell had the opportunity to learn from our Australian partners over the summer. Daphne shared her key learnings from the experience and identified next steps for consideration across the NCDSB to improve literacy outcomes.

Student Trustees' Report

This month's student trustees' report highlighted a number of OHS events and activities including, sports, visual arts, Link Leader activities and Thanksgiving Mass. The student trustees also shared several interviews where students and staff shared their thoughts and perspective in regards to the strengths and needs at OHS. It was great to hear directly from the school community!

Staffing News

This month the NCDSB welcomed new permanent staff:

- 4 support staff
- 4 teaching staff

Best Wishes
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The board also accepted 3 resignations including the December retirement of Principal Lori Hurtubise, St. Patrick School, Cobalt. Congratulations Lori!

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Next Meeting

Annual Board Meeting, November 15, 2023