

Board HighLights

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Students at École Beauséjour celebrated Pink Shirt Day on February 22 to fight bullying.

Policy 5.0 - Student and Staff Health and Wellness

Policy 5.0 - The Health and Wellness of Students and Staff - passed first reading. This policy follows the goals of the *Vers 2025* education plan. It is intended to be a foundation document for the workplace and school wellness initiatives that are in development. The policy is based on the premise that well-being is defined in several dimensions and holistically. When these dimensions are in balance, an individual develops a sense of well-being. Another important principle is that health and well-being are both an individual and a collective responsibility. The policy is out for consultation before the 2nd and 3rd readings and will be available on our News page, on our website.

Schools Calendars 2023-2024

After consulting with our school communities, the superintendent presented a new draft calendar for the 2023-2024 school year. The calendar attempts to respect the wishes of parents to align major holidays with those of neighboring boards while still allowing CSCE to accomplish its goals. In order to meet Ministry of Education requirements, we must offer at least 178 days of instruction given the length of our school days. Calendars will be shared with the school community shortly.

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Infrastructures Investment

CSCE proposes to develop outdoor learning areas for high schools as well as the development of the École Beauséjour playground base using IMR (Infrastructure Maintenance Renewal) and CMR (Capital Maintenance Renewal) deferred revenue. These projects will be completed by the end of summer 2023.

Changes - Meeting Dates

A formal meeting in May will be scheduled with the school council chairs. Some changes have been proposed to the meeting schedule for elected trustees due to professional development activities for some members of the management team. The superintendent and board chair will be attending the National Education Summit on April 27 and 28 in Ottawa. For logistical reasons, taking into account the time difference, the regular April meeting is cancelled.

Board Representation

Trustees Colette Borgun and Jennifer Leclerc participated in the Ever Active School - Shaping the Future Forum, a forum focused on wellness, diversity and inclusion, held at Lake Louise from February 1 to 4.

The Board of Trustees Expense Disclosure Report for the first semester (September 2022 to January 2023) is now available online, on the Board's page.

<https://centreest.ca/accueil/en/about/school-trustees/>



The École du Sommet graduates raised \$2300 at the cake auction on February 16.

Graduations 2022-2023

Sommet, Beauséjour and Beaux-Lacs will be holding their graduation ceremonies on Sunday, June 4, 2023. Voyageur will celebrate its graduation on Sunday, June 25.

Important Dates

- March 23, 2023 : Day in lieu - Parents Meeting
- March 23, 2023 : CSCE Board of Trustees Meeting**
- March 24, 2023 : Day Off
- March 27-31, 2023 : Spring Break (Sommet)
- April 3-6, 2023 : Spring Break -EBL-EBJ-EVO-ESC

Next Meeting

The next Board meeting will be held on Thursday, **March 23, 2023 at 5:00 pm**. To attend, online, visit CSCE's website www.centreest.ca.

If you wish to make a presentation to the Board, please contact the Corporate Secretary, Virginie Dallaire vdallaire@centreest.ca