



# Souls Seeking Christ

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## Board Meeting Highlights - September 2022

### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

#### **Next Board Meeting**

**Wednesday,**

**October 19, 2022**

STAR Central Office

4906 50 Ave., Leduc, AB

*The public is welcome to stream all Board meetings.*

#### **Board of Trustees**

##### **Henry Effen**

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##### **Michael Linner**

Drayton Valley

##### **Dawn Miller**

Leduc

##### **Liz Taylor-Sirois**

Beaumont

#### **School Start-up Update**

The Board received an update on current enrollment numbers highlighting an increase in enrollment in 10 of our 11 schools with an overall increase of approximately 4 % throughout the division.

#### **Father Lacombe School Update**

The Board received an update on the progress of Father Lacombe Catholic School. Trustees were informed that the project has been delayed to November 29, 2022. Factors impacting the delay were reviewed as well as potential transition planning for the move were shared.

#### **Mental Health Grant Submission**

The Board received information regarding the new Alberta Education grant focusing on Mental Health. Highlights of the grant submission were shared, including the multiple community partnerships.

#### **Archbishop/Parish/Principals/Board Dinner Meeting Agenda**

The Board finalized the agenda for their upcoming dinner meeting with Archbishop Smith, Parish Priests, Principals and Senior Administration. The meeting is scheduled to take place on Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup>.

#### **ACSTA**

The Board received information regarding ACSTA's theme of "Walking Together in Catholic Education." Positive feedback was shared regarding STAR Catholic's contribution toward Toonies for Tuition.

#### **Financial Report**

The Board received and discussed the fourth quarter financial report. Early indications show a positive financial position.

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