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“We strive to be a respectful and enthusiastic school community,
dedicated to quality education for all”

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS – January 10, 2011

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By-Law No. 3-2010

The second and third readings for the borrowing of \$71,100.00 for glulam beam work were passed. The funds to repay this debenture are reimbursed by the Province.

December Concerts and Feasts

The Superintendent, Secretary Treasurer and the Members of the Board all expressed their pleasure with the many excellent concerts and feasts held by the schools. They were very well done and congratulations go out to the organizers, workers and participants. It was especially nice to see the large number of parents, relatives and community members who came out to these events.

Grants

MBCI and ESBMS both received \$1000.00 Grants for a Manitoba Scientists in the Classroom Project.

2011/2012 Budget

Planning is underway for next year's budget. A public meeting will be held Wednesday, February 9, 2011 at 7:00pm in the Library of Margaret Barbour Collegiate. The public is encouraged to review the priorities and make suggestions. Your input is important.

Committee Reports

The Policy Committee presented its report. Policy changes from the last meeting were minor word changes to reflect current practice and names.

The Finance Committee reported that Division finances are on track to the budgeted amounts. The budget process was reviewed and the dates clarified.

Minister's Announcement

Minister of Education, Nancy Allen, formally announced the major renovation project for Margaret Barbour Collegiate to begin this summer. The renovation for the older part of the school will involve a new roof, including structural renovations. The project will also include work on the exterior wall and windows, as well as, mechanical systems. The roof area over the 1972 addition will also be redone.

Public School Finance Board

Several projects have been approved for Kelsey School Division including roof repairs at Kelsey Community School. The Public School Finance Board has also given the go ahead to develop a new daycare space at Margaret Barbour Collegiate in the North end classroom spaces. This will replace the existing daycare and expand the placements from the current numbers. These projects will be debentured with costs covered by the Province.

If you have any questions about the highlights or other business of the Division, call one of the trustees or the Division office. The numbers are posted for your convenience.