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

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS – March 14, 2011

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Superintendent*

*Jeannette Freese,
Secretary
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Budget

The Board of Trustees approved the 2011-2012 budget for the school division for a total of \$18,572,014.00. The board of Trustees decided to accept the Tax Incentive Grant which allowed them to balance their budget without raising local taxes.

Celebrations

The Board extended congratulation to all the participants at the recent Kelsey School Division Science Fair. The Junior Varsity Girls Basketball team was recognized for the efforts at the Provincial competition. Their sportsmanship on and off the court was noted by the Park West School Division Assistant Superintendent.

Committee Meetings

The Education and Liaison Committee met with the MBCI Student Council. The students shared their successes and challenges. A wide variety of activities have been held to boost school spirit. The students were encouraged to continue to promote their school and their community.

The Business Community Committee reported they had met with representatives of the RCMP to discuss issues of common concern. The RCMP indicated they will continue to assist the schools with requests as needed. The Committee had recently met with the Executive of the Chamber of Commerce. This contact led to Kelsey School Division rejoining the Chamber of Commerce.

The Negotiations/Personnel Committee reviewed the staffing costs and planned changes. The current costs are within the budgeted amounts.

Manitoba School Boards Association

The annual conference is being held in Winnipeg this week and several Trustees will be attending. Keynote speakers include Dr. Avis Glaze – Excellence with Equity and Sheldon Kennedy and Wayne McNeil on Respect in School. Jamie Wilson – Treaty Commission of Manitoba and Kevin Chief – a shared vision will also be providing keynote addresses.

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.