



## **Pembina Hills Regional Division No. 7**

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### **BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS September 25, 2013 Regular Board Meeting**

**PLEASE NOTE: The following highlights are not an official record of the meeting of the Board of Trustees of Pembina Hills Regional Division No. 7. They are intended to provide a brief overview of the Regular Board Meeting. For a complete record, please refer to the official [minutes](#) of the meeting.**

- As part of the Board's commitment to host Regular Board Meetings once per month at Community Schools, the September 25, 2013 Regular Board Meeting was held at Barrhead Composite High School.
- Principal David Garbutt presented the Barrhead Composite High School Report as well as the following teachers, who highlighted new/re-vitalized programs at the school:
  - Sports Fitness – Kyle Becker
  - Engine Performance – Dan Sribney
  - Health Care Aide Program – Nicole Bondarchuk
  - Band Program – Kerri-Lee Kostiw
- The following 2013-2014 rates were approved by the Board:
  - Non-Union Support Staff grids, inclusive of a 0% general salary increase
  - A provision in Administrative Procedure 40-23 Unpaid Personal Leave for bus drivers who take 0 days of unpaid personal leave, in any given school year, to receive a payment of \$100 at the end of the school year
  - Contract Caretaking rates, inclusive of a 0% increase
  - Contract Grasscutting rates, inclusive of a 0% increase
  - Contract Bus Operators, inclusive of a 0% increase
- The Board received an information report on the 2013 High School Completion Program & Results
- The Board received a report on the 2012-2013 Provincial Achievement Tests and Diploma Examinations Results during their In Camera session. According to the joint protocol between the Alberta School Boards Association and Alberta Education, the results will be released to the public by the Minister of Education on October 2, 2013. The Pembina Hills results will be released at the October 9, 2013 Regular Board Meeting.
- The next Regular Board Meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. on October 9, 2013 at Dunstable School. The public is welcome to stop by during the meeting.
- Please refer to the Pembina Hills website ([www.phrd.ab.ca](http://www.phrd.ab.ca)) for a complete listing of 2013-2014 Regular Board Meeting dates and locations.