

Lethbridge School Division

Community Engagement Committee

NOTES



Date: Thursday, June 13, 2024

Meeting started at 6 p.m. and ended at 7:15 p.m.

1. Update ICE Scholarship

The Winners of the 2024 ICE Scholarships were confirmed, after presentations from finalists on Thursday, June 13. The committee thanked all sponsors of the scholarship who support student impact through innovation, creativity, and entrepreneurship. The Committee also thanked Christine Lee and Garrett Simmons for their dedicated work in facilitating this Division-wide opportunity. The winners will be presented at the June 25 Board Meeting.

2. Annual Work Plan

A draft annual workplan for 2024/2025 was presented and reviewed by the committee. Dates were selected for 2024/2025 ICE scholarship and committee that if confirmed in September by the new chair, would facilitate the work of the committee.

3. Terms of Reference and Committee Review

The committee discussed the questions from the Board Committee Assessment from the May Board Motion, and reviewed the terms of reference with the aim of encouraging a more effective and meaningful committee.

4. One Division, One Book

This project is mentioned in the Terms of Reference of this committee. The recommendation from the committee is that the Chair put a call out in September of 2025 to identify if there are enough interested staff to begin the project (a multi-year planning committee).

5. Tech in Schools Survey

The committee was asked to gather more information about tech in schools, and since this motion the Division has gathered information from: (1) Town Hall responses, with feedback and recommendations from this committee; (2) Alberta Government technology survey and (3) feedback from students and school communities who have engaged different approaches under the current technology survey in the 2023/2024 school year. The committee recommended the board review that provided information and to move to further stages of policy review.

Next meeting: To be determined