



In Motion

Highlights from regular meetings of the Halton District School Board

October 2011

New school names being considered for Oakville and Milton secondary schools

At the October 19, 2011 meeting of the Halton District School Board, Trustees had their first look at the shortlist of names for the two new secondary schools – in Milton, and in Oakville.

The committee (with trustee, staff, parent, and school administrator participation) shortlisted four names for each school from a compilation of suggestions received from the community.


The shortlisted names for the Milton school are:

Michael Ledwith High School
Odenhaa High School
Gordon Krantz High School
Craig Kielburger High School


For the Oakville high school, the following names have been shortlisted:

Garth Webb High School
Joyce Burnell High School
Oak Trails High School
Oakville Concordia High School

For more information on the shortlisted names, and process, please visit the Halton District School Board website www.hdsb.ca

The matter comes to the Board for decision on November 16. 

Transportation Committee

At the October 5 Halton District School Board meeting, trustees established a Transportation Advisory Committee to review transportation related topics, including, but not limited to policies, procedures and practices. 

Upcoming Meetings

Board meetings are usually held on the first and third Wednesday of each month; committee meetings are held on alternate Wednesdays.


The next regular Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 16 with public session beginning at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, December 7, will be the next regularly scheduled Halton District School Board meeting, also beginning at 7 p.m. (Public Session). This meeting will include the “Annual Organizational” component where elections will determine the Chair and Vice-Chair roles for the upcoming year.


January’s meetings will be held on Wednesday, January 11 and Wednesday, January 25, 2012.

All meetings are open to the public, and are held at the JW Singleton Education Centre, 2050 Guelph Line, Burlington.

All copies of the Board agenda, minutes and reports for the Halton District School Board meetings are posted on the Board’s website at: www.hdsb.ca under Boardroom and Trustees>Board Agenda and Minutes.

The documents are posted on the Friday prior to the meeting. The agenda package includes minutes from the previous meeting. 

IB Report coming in February

A trustee motion to seek provincial funding options for the International Baccalaureate (IB) program has been deferred, pending a report on the program (including recommendations) to be received in February 2012.. 

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