



Council of School Councils

Feb. 6, 2019



**Calgary Board
of Education**



Acknowledging the land where we gather

We would like to acknowledge the traditional territories and oral practices of the Blackfoot Nations, which includes the Siksika, the Piikani, and the Kainai. We also acknowledge the Tsuut'ina and Stoney Nakoda First Nations, the Métis Nation (Region 3), and all people who make their homes in the Treaty 7 region of Southern Alberta.



learning | as unique | as every student

Tonight's Agenda



7:00 p.m. Introductions, housekeeping items

7:05 p.m. Chief Superintendent Usih remarks

7:20 p.m. Q&A

7:40 p.m. Transportation update

7:50 p.m. Q&A – Sli.do

8:00 p.m. Propellus presentation - volunteering

8:55 p.m. Meeting evaluations

9:00 p.m. Meeting adjourns



Trina Hurdman
Chair, Wards 1 & 2



Althea Adams
Trustee, Wards 3 & 4

Regrets



Marilyn Dennis
Vice-Chair, Wards 5 & 10

Regrets



Lisa Davis
Trustee, Wards 6 & 7



Richard Hehr
Trustee, Wards 8 & 9



Julie Hrdlicka
Trustee, Wards 11 & 13



Mike Bradshaw
Trustee, Wards 12 & 14

Regrets



Christopher Usih
Chief Superintendent
of Schools

A bit about myself...



Our commitment



- Listening, openness and transparency
- Providing the information you need about your child's progress
- Parent Concern Protocol – how to address issues involving your child
- Engaging you, sharing information, making decisions - *Dialogue* framework

Transportation – Past



2015-16

- Transportation Engagement
- School Bus Consultant Full Technical Review
- Deficit \$6M
- Fee \$300/yr



2016-17

- Deficit \$10M
- Fee \$335/yr



2017-18

- Provincial Operational Review
- Bill 1 Implemented
- Transportation service level adjustment year 1
- Deficit \$6M
- Fee \$335/yr

Transportation - Present



2018-19

- Transportation service level adjustment year 2
- Deficit \$3M
- Fee \$350/yr



Transportation – into the future



2019-20

- Bill 28 Student Transportation Regulation changes
- Increasing costs
- Increasing specialized transportation need
- Fee increase recommendation \$15 (4.3%) from \$350 to \$365/yr





Welcome to... Propellus

Volunteer Engagement

Our Time

- Volunteer Engagement Landscape
- Getting Humans On Board
- Keeping Them There
- Making Sure Everyone Enjoyed the Trip
- Anything else?

Hello! It's Me...



Jump rope coach

Farm-raised in southern Ontario

Ball thrower for Scout

Caffeine consumer

Stress baker

10 years in the public and non-profit
sector building relationships

3 things

- Volunteer engagement is not a science.
- Volunteers are human beings.
- My hope for tonight!

Volunteering and You!





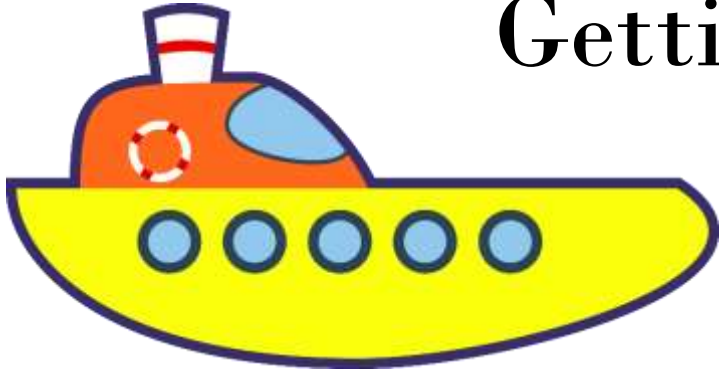
Volunteerism Landscape

Stats Can 2013
Propellus, 2017
Brene Brown, 2018

- 2/3 of people engage looking for interpersonal relationships
- 161 hours per year
- \$3.9 billion to the Calgary economy
- 5 minutes and 33 seconds on the Volunteer Connector
- Loneliness increases the risk of mortality more than smoking, excessive drinking or sedentary lifestyle
- Family
- 8 in10 Canadians participate in informal volunteering

Does this change
anything for you?

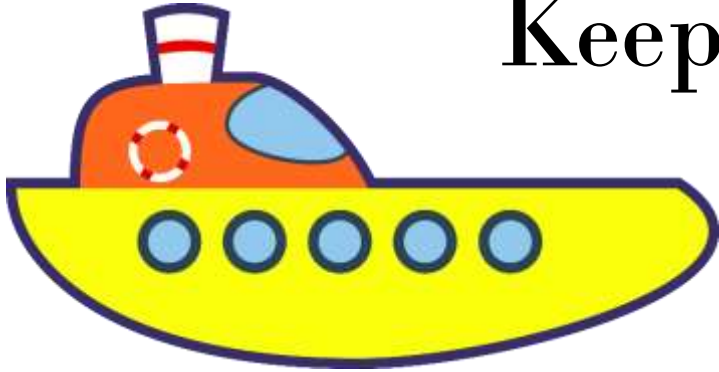
Getting Humans On Board



- IMPACT
- Think not about what you need, but about what people want
- Chunk the work up
- Make it fun!
- Make it flexible!

How have you been
successful at
rallying people?

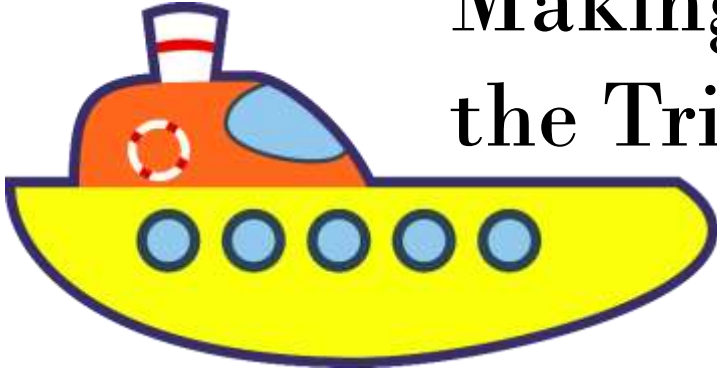
Keeping Them There



- No such thing as a forever volunteer
- Be clear about expectations (hourly, monthly commitments)
- Appreciate the humans
- It is not you, it is them...

Has anything
worked in keeping
people engaged?

Making Sure Everyone Enjoyed the Trip...



5 Love Languages

- Words of Affirmation
- Acts of Service
- Receiving Gifts
- Quality Time
- Physical Touch (fist bump)

Appreciation!

Thank You

Impact

How do you show appreciation for each other and/or for those people who give their time, passion, energy?



Anything Else?

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Volunteer Connector

Post an Opportunity

Browse opportunities

Browse organizations

Volunteer login

Organization Login

FAQ

Resources

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Sign up to hear about new opportunities from your favourite volunteer organizations.

Use the VolunteerConnector to
volunteer with friends

Use the filters to find a volunteer opportunity just right for you.

Showing results from:

CALGARY

Filter by:

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Hi! We have a 5 minute volunteer opportunity for you:
Help us out by telling us how you feel about volunteering!

Want to find opportunities nearest you, or by coming soon? Do it here.



Meeting Evaluations

- Please fill out the meeting evaluations at your table
- Thank you!

Next meeting: **Thursday, April 11**