June 14, 2018

Dear Students and Parents/Guardians,

**Reminder: Regular Program School Designation for Students Residing in Cranston**

This is a notice to *remind* parents that transportation from the residential district of Cranston to McKenzie Lake School will end on June 30, 2018. This change was initially communicated in a notice to parents on April 5, 2016.

With the opening of the new middle school, Dr. George Stanley School, we are able to accommodate all Cranston students within their community in either Cranston School (kindergarten to Grade 3) or Dr. George Stanley School (grade 4-9).

In the April letter it was indicated that transportation services would continue for the 2016-2017 school year and there would be no mid day transportation provided if parents chose to register a child in Kindergarten for that school year.

Due to an oversight in the CBE administration process a follow up letter was not sent during the 2016-2017 school year reminding parents of the decision. As a result, transportation services were provided for the 2017-2018 school year. CBE is unable to continue to offer this service for the 2018-2019 school year.

**Students currently attending McKenzie Lake School**

For the upcoming 2018-2019 school year students from Cranston attending McKenzie Lake School can remain at McKenzie Lake School but no transportation services will be provided. Students can also choose to transfer to Cranston School or transfer to Dr. George Stanley School.

**Transportation Services to designated schools**

Students are eligible for transportation to their designated school if they live beyond the walk zone. Information regarding transportation services and fees is available on the CBE website [www.cbe.ab.ca](http://www.cbe.ab.ca) and at the schools. The designated schools for the Cranston community are Cranston School (kindergarten to Grade 3) or Dr. George Stanley School (grade 4-9).

If you have questions, concerns, or require additional information, please contact the Area 5 office at 403-777-8412 (extension 0).

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