



Revelstoke Board of Education

Aboriginal Education Advisory Committee Wednesday, October 7th, 2009 Minutes

In Attendance: Margaret Verhaeghe, Doug Hamilton, Brenda Percell, Lynne Barisoff, Michelle Cole, and Shan Jorgenson-Adam

Regrets: Anne Cooper and Jannica Hoskins

1. Agenda Additions:

Suggestion was made that meetings be held every second month – November 4th, 2009, January 6th, 2010, March 3rd, 2010 and May 5th, 2010 and that we return to receiving written reports from both the Supervisor of Aboriginal Student Services and Elementary Aboriginal Student Assistant at each meeting.

2. A review of the minutes (June 11th, 2009 attached). Minutes were accepted as presented.

3. Supervisor of Aboriginal Student Services – written report handed out

4. Aboriginal Enhancement Agreement

- a. Feedback from Ministry – Shan shared the feedback that was received from Victor Jim and Ted Cadwallader.
- b. Signing Celebration – it was agreed that the Sign Celebration should be planned for the spring of 2010. Suggested dates included: March 19th, 2010, March 22nd, 2010 or March 26th, 2010. Anne and Shan will draft a signature document.
- c. Lynne and Shan will share the final Enhancement Agreement with the high school students.
- d. Michelle broached the idea using the signing celebration to develop more local awareness. It was also suggested that we post the Aboriginal Education Advisory Committee minutes on the website.

5. Adjournment

Next Meeting: November 4th, 2009