

**SUPERIOR-GREENSTONE DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
Special Education Advisory Committee**

Tuesday, April 8, 2008 @ 6:30 p.m.

Videoconference Sites:

Board Office, Marathon
Geraldton Composite High School, Geraldton
Lake Superior High School, Terrace Bay
Manitouwadge High School, Manitouwadge
Nipigon-Red Rock District High School, Red Rock

MINUTES

<u>Voting Members</u>	<i>Attendance Mode: On-site (OS); Teleconference (TC); Videoconference (VC); Absent (A); Regrets (R)</i>										
	OS	TC	VC	A	R		OS	TC	VC	A	R
Audia, Jessica					X	Keenan, Darlene		X			
Bartlett, Bette (<i>Alternate</i>)					X	Notwell, Kathy (<i>Alternate</i>)		X			
Brown, Cindy	X					Nelson, Theresa					X
English, Jennifer (<i>Chair</i>)	X					Souckey, Leslie	X				

<u>Resource Members</u>	<i>Attendance Mode: On-site (OS); Teleconference (TC); Videoconference (VC); Absent (A); Regrets (R)</i>				
	OS	TC	VC	A	R
Pella, Patti: <i>Director of Education</i>					X
Patterson, Heidi: <i>System Special Education Resource</i>					X
Kappel, Colleen: <i>Superintendent of Education</i>	X				
Newton, Valerie: <i>Student Success Coordinator / Assistant to the Superintendent of Education</i>					X

1.0 Call to Order at 6:38 p.m.

In Jennifer's absence, Leslie Souckey agreed to chair the meeting.

2.0 Approval of Minutes

Moved by: Cindy Brown Seconded by: Darlene Keenan

✓ ***That, the SEAC [Minutes of February 20, 2008](#) be approved as presented.***

3.0 Additions to the Agenda

4.0 Business Arising from the Minutes

4.1 Review draft of School to Community Transition Information Brochure - C. Kappel
Revisions for the brochure were discussed and further editions will be made given suggestions and recommendations. The brochure will be shared with appropriate staff in all schools and will be provided to schools so that schools can direct parents/students to various community resources and supports.

5.0 Correspondence

No correspondence.

6.0 New Business

6.1 Special Education Board Plan Update

- C. Kappel

The Special Education Board Plan is currently being updated and will be brought to the next SEAC meeting for approval.

7.0 Information Items

8.0 Agenda Items: Next Meeting Date/Time/Venue

It was suggested that the next SEAC meeting be held as a face-to-face in Marathon. Leslie Souckey will look into a presentation regarding respite services.

Bruce will also attend the next meeting to present budget information. Heidi Patterson, Special Education Coordinator, will also provide an update on special education.

9.0 Adjournment

Moved by: Cindy Brown

Seconded by: Kathie Notwell

✓ ***That, the SEAC Meeting be adjourned at 7:04 p.m.***