

The Board of Education of School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap)

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REPORT TO BOARD OF EDUCATION

Event Date: Feb. 9, 2023

Conference/Meeting attended: All Board Chairs Meeting, Vancouver BC

Sessions:

Speaker/Chair	Background/Title	Highlight
Carolyn Broady	BCSTA President	Call to Order & Welcome – Indigenous Acknowledgement
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Suzanne Hoffman	BCSTA CEO	Celebrity Interview – Trustees Alan Chell & Carolyn Broady – Slido questions about the work of a trustee – interactive.
Lisa Zwarn	Parliamentarian	Roberts' Rules 101 & Board Chair Tips
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Jennifer McCrea Suzanne Hoffman	Ministry of Education and Child Care with BCSTA	Anti-Racism Updates – current and what one can expect in the next few months
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Dr. Jerome Cranston	Dr. Cranston is a professor and dean in the Faculty of Education at the University of Regina which is located on Treaty 4 Territory on the traditional homeland of the Métis.	"Contributing to a society we can each thrive in: dismantling systemic racism in education"
Dr. Jerome Cranston, continued.	Bonus question/answer period with keynote speaker	BCSTA Open Dialogue & Wrap-up
Suzanne Hoffman & BCSTA Board of Directors	Summary of the day. Networking with BCSTA Directors and CEO.	

Value of Conference/meeting:

Plenty of updates from the BCSTA and Ministry of Education and Child Care. Looking forward to the roll-out of the Anti-Racism Committee. Inspirational, thoughtful discussions with Dr. Cranston.

Questions/Concerns about Roberts' Rules Meeting Protocols – some meeting participants may opt for more culturally-sensitive procedures.

Materials available for other trustees (upon request)

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Submitted by: Marianne VanBuskirk, Chairperson SD83 Date: Feb. 14, 2023