

**SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 5 (SOUTHEAST KOOTENAY)**

**2020 TRUSTEE STANDING COMMITTEES**

POLICY COMMITTEE	Wendy Turner (co-chair) Trina Ayling (co-chair) Patricia Whalen Doug McPhee	Diane Casault
FINANCE/OPERATIONS/PERSONNEL COMMITTEE	Kathryn Kitt (co-chair) Chris Johns (co-chair) Bev Bellina Krista Damstrom	Alan Rice
ADVOCACY/EDUCATION COMMITTEE	Patricia Whalen (co-chair) Bev Bellina (co-chair) Trina Ayling Wendy Turner	Jason Tichauer
STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE	Doug McPhee (co-chair) Krista Damstrom (co-chair) Chris Johns Kathryn Kitt	Diane Casault

- All Trustees on 2 committees

- All Trustees a co-chair

The Board Chair will attend as many meetings as possible.

The Superintendent will be ex-officio Administrative Representative for all Committees.

The Chairperson will be ex-officio Trustee Representative for all Committees.

<b>AD HOC/Community Appointments</b>	<b>TRUSTEE REPS</b>	<b>ALTERNATE</b>
Aboriginal Council on Education	Doug McPhee	Patricia Whalen
B.C.P.S.E.A.	Krista Damstrom	Bev Bellina
B.C.S.T.A. Provincial Council	Bev Bellina	Trina Ayling
CFTA Bargaining Support Team	Krista Damstrom	Doug McPhee
CFTA Grievances	Frank Lento	Doug McPhee
Chamber of Commerce (Cranbrook)	Chris Johns	Cranbrook Trustees
Communications/Media Committee	Trina Ayling	Kathryn Kitt
CUPE Bargaining Support Team	Wendy Turner	Kathryn Kitt
CUPE Grievances	Chris Johns	Krista Damstrom
DPAC	Wendy Turner	Patricia Whalen
DSAC	Bev Bellina	Patricia Whalen
Early Years Committee (Cranbrook)	Patricia Whalen	Cranbrook Trustees
Early Years Committee (Elkford)	Kathryn Kitt	Bev Bellina
Early Years Committee (Fernie)	Krista Damstrom	Bev Bellina
Early Years Committee (Sparwood)	Bev Bellina	Kathryn Kitt
Fernie Leisure Services	Frank Lento	Exempt Staff (Fernie)
French Advisory Committee	Patricia Whalen	
Humanity Network	Doug McPhee	Trina Ayling
Key City Theatre	Doug McPhee	Trina Ayling
Legacy of Learning	Chris Johns	
MBSS Building Replacement	Chris Johns	Cranbrook Trustees
Social Planning Society	Patricia Whalen	
Trustee/Board Evaluation	Krista Damstrom	

## FRIENDLY REMINDERS

- Trustees wear two hats; their constituency hat (Cranbrook, Elkford, South Country, Sparwood, Fernie) and their Board hat. All voting at the Board table requires Trustees to wear their Board hat.
- As always, it is governance by majority and Trustees agree to respect the decision of the majority.
- Attending Board and Committee meetings regularly requires a commitment of time, effort and energy.
- Trustees have the responsibility, power and obligation of someone else's money (taxpayers) that requires complete trust, good faith and total honesty.
- Trustees must hold high expectations of themselves before they can hold them for others.
- Differences among Trustees on issues are not only to be respected but encouraged.
- Trustees should agree or disagree with motions – not with people.
- Standing and Ad Hoc Committees of the Board recommend or advise the Board.
- Asking questions will challenge the status quo. The better the questions we ask, the better the answers we will get.
- Direct, Indirect or Potential Land, Legal or Personnel matters must not be reacted to on Social Media. The appropriate forum as always is to get clarification at In Camera sessions.
- How Trustees choose to represent themselves through Social Media as a Public Trustee is important to the Board, the Corporation and the District.
- All School District meeting agendas (Board, Committee, District, School, PAC) should have the following thought prior to Adjournment:

**“What have we done at this meeting to help our students become more interested in school and to support them in their personal learning journey?”**

**2020 VICE CHAIRPERSON**

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
SCHOOL DISTRICT 5 SOUTHEAST KOOTENAY**

	<b>Vice Chair</b>	<b>Alternate</b>
January	Chris Johns	Krista Damstrom
February	Patricia Whalen	Kathryn Kitt
March	Bev Bellina	Doug McPhee
April	Wendy Turner	Trina Ayling
May	Krista Damstrom	Chris Johns
June	Kathryn Kitt	Patricia Whalen
July	Doug McPhee	Bev Bellina
August	Trina Ayling	Wendy Turner
September	Chris Johns	Krista Damstrom
October	Patricia Whalen	Kathryn Kitt
November	Bev Bellina	Doug McPhee
December	Wendy Turner	Trina Ayling

**SCHOOL DISTRICT 5 SOUTHEAST KOOTENAY  
TRUSTEES  
2020 SCHOOL ASSIGNMENTS**

---

<b>CRANBROOK</b>	Amy Woodlands	Doug McPhee
	TM Roberts	Trina Ayling
	Highlands	Chris Johns
	Mount Baker	Chris Johns
	Pinewood	Trina Ayling
	Alternate Programs (KES/KDS)	Doug McPhee
	Parkland	Doug McPhee
	Gordon Terrace	Wendy Turner
	Kootenay Orchards	Wendy Turner
	Laurie	Patricia Whalen
	Steeple	Patricia Whalen
<b>FERNIE</b>	Isabella Dicken	Frank Lento
	Fernie Secondary	Frank Lento
	Kootenay Discovery: DL	Frank Lento
	Fernie Learning Campus	Frank Lento
<b>SOUTH COUNTRY</b>	Jaffray Elem. Jr. Secondary	Krista Damstrom
<b>SPARWOOD</b>	Frank J. Mitchell	Bev Bellina
	Sparwood Secondary	Bev Bellina
<b>ELKFORD</b>	Rocky Mountain	Kathryn Kitt
	Elkford Secondary	Kathryn Kitt

\*The Chairperson will attempt to visit all schools.