

**NLSD No. 113 BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING HIGHLIGHTS
JANUARY 2010**

The NLSD No. 113 Board of Education held their regularly scheduled meeting with Senior Staff reporting.

I. Community/Schools:

- School Community Council meeting minutes from Pinehouse, St. George's Hill, Timber Bay, and Uranium City were presented. Some highlights from the SCC meeting minutes:
Pinehouse – a draft Discipline Policy was presented; the community has developed the Circle of Courage model. **Uranium City** – the school and community are raising funds for new playground equipment.
- A reminder about the Junior Students Games being held on March 7th to 12th in La Loche. The communities that will be participating are: Beauval, Buffalo Narrows, Cumberland House, Green Lake, La Loche, La Ronge (Churchill, Gordon Denny and Pre Cam), Pinehouse Lake, Sandy Bay, Stony Rapids and Uranium City.
- A reminder as well is the NLSD #113 Annual General Meeting that will be held on February 24, 2010 in Buffalo Narrows at 7:00 p.m. There will a community meal served at 6:00 p.m. and there will be door prizes. Everyone is welcome to attend.
- Julie Pearson, Grade 9 teacher from Churchill Community High School will be traveling to Vancouver to take part in the 2010 Olympics. She is part of the Indigenous Youth Gathering delegation that includes aboriginal youth from across Canada.
- Four students from Churchill will be traveling to Ottawa with **Encounters with Canada**. They are Dustin Holinaty, Chase Heimbecker, Adam Senft and Chad Towill.

II. Programs:

- **Housing Projects:** NLSD #113 in partnership with Sask. Housing is involved in the construction of three houses in the communities of La Ronge, La Loche and Pinehouse. When the houses are completed a family from each of the communities will have the privilege of living in the home. The students from the housing project in La Ronge recently gathered to celebrate their success.

BACK ROW (L to R): Zac McKenzie,
Taron Natomagan, Tyson Stabner, Jordan
Hancheroff, Joshua Olson, William
Durocher

MIDDLE ROW: Jeremy Charles, Mathew
Mirasty, Ragnar Robinson, Jordan
McPhail, Keegan Bird, Mr. Hamm

FRONT ROW: Carson Carr, Sekwin
Trottier, Sierra O'Reilly Parsons, Deborah
McCloud, Dylan Fleury, Mr. Menz



III. Business Administration:

- Review of financial activity to December 31, 2009.

V. Other:

- Rosalena Smith and Phyllis Smith of Pinehouse gave a presentation on the planned Special Olympics for the school division for June 2011. They informed the Board of Education that Pinehouse has been designated as an official Special Olympics site. The Special Olympics Committee of Saskatchewan granted the designation to the community. Anyone from Northern Saskatchewan with intensive needs can register. The School Division is working closely with the community in the design and construction of the track. They've been fundraising and have received some sponsorship however they continue to seek additional resources. Inquiries may be directed to Rosalena at 884-4951 and Phyllis at 884-5677.