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ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE 2008-2009 SCHOOL YEAR RELEASED

A busy and successful year has been recapped in the Annual Report for 2008-2009, released today by Prairie Valley School Division.

The 2008-2009 school year accomplishments focused on continuing to develop a unified and high performing organization centered on student success.

Highlights of the Annual Report for 2008-2009:

- Development of 310 minute calendar to increase teacher-student contact time
- Signing of an Aboriginal Employment Development Agreement with First Nations partners and setting Terms of Reference for the First Nations and Métis Advisory Committee
- Introduction of a Learning Improvement Plan process to set, monitor and report on school-specific goals using data driven decision making
- Investment in infrastructure and planning for facility renewal across the Division and for a second school in White City

These accomplishments set the stage for initiatives underway in the current school year, including direct service delivery to schools providing specialized expertise, implementation of Learning Improvement Plans, program enhancements for more students as well as more program options, and improved transportation services, school buildings and equipment.

The Annual Elector's meeting will be held January 20, 2010 at Indian Head High School. The public is invited to attend to learn more about the Annual Report, as well as other Prairie Valley achievements and successes from the 2008-2009 school year.

Copies of the annual report are available at www.pvsd.ca, or by contacting the Division office.

Prairie Valley School Division serves approximately 8,000 students in 38 schools throughout southeast Saskatchewan. In support of the vision "Leadership in Learning and Life", the Division strives to ensure a high-quality education that provides students with the tools to reach and exceed their potential.

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