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Prairie Valley School Division Annual Meeting

The 2009-2010 Annual Meeting of Electors of Prairie Valley School Division will be held on Wednesday, February 9th in Kipling.

The meeting, which will be held at the Kipling School from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., provides an opportunity to discuss with ratepayers the many Prairie Valley School Division accomplishments of the past year. These include significant investments in staff, programming and facilities during the 2009-2010 school year.

In addition, the evening will feature entertainment by Prairie Valley students and displays hosted by Division staff, including Science, Math and Literacy, Arts Education, Student Services and First Nations and Métis Education.

“Our energy was focused on eliminating the achievement gap between our students by targeting our resources to those in most need,” says Ben Grebinski, Director of Education/CEO for Prairie Valley School Division.

Highlights include

- Implementation of the Direct Service Delivery model, which introduced specialists and resources in math, language arts, science and various student support services to meet individual student needs.
- Implementation of the 310 Minute Calendar, which brought all schools into a unified school calendar. The calendar assists with the Division’s goal of increasing instructional time and promoting awareness of protecting instructional time and reducing interruptions.
- Investment of \$4 million in school equipment, in areas such as math, science, computer technology and physical education and more than \$10 million in school facility upgrades.

The complete Annual Report and Financial Statements for 2009-2010 are available at www.pvsd.ca.

Also, on February 9th, the Board of Education will also hold its regular February Board meeting, open to the public, at the Kipling Town Hall, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

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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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