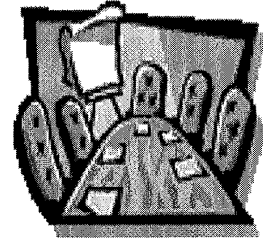


**THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 19 (REVELSTOKE)**

TO: All Trustees
FROM: Mike Hooker, Superintendent of Schools
DATE: October 2nd, 2013
ACTION: Revelstoke Performing Arts Centre – Update on
Serving Alcohol at Theatre Events



As trustees will recall, at the September 11th, 2013 school board meeting, trustees passed the following resolution:

“THAT the Board of Education philosophically approve the use of alcohol in the Revelstoke Performing Arts Centre subject to conditions satisfactory to the Superintendent and the District being met.”

The following conditions address concerns previously raised with respect to the interaction between school use and theatre events where alcohol may be made available:

- Only approved groups will be permitted to apply for the license
- A designated area, where alcoholic beverages may be served, will not be in space shared with other events or school activities
- Audience members must display their performance ticket to enter the designated area
- Alcohol will only be available 30 minutes before a show and during an intermission which will be limited to 20 minutes; no alcohol will be served after events
- All containers, glasses etc. will be cleaned up and removed from the school after the intermission
- School district staff will review each individual request for licensing

As trustees are aware, school board policy *4.15 Property Control Bylaw* prevents the use of alcohol on school property. At this time, I would recommend that the Board make provision for the Superintendent or designate to allow an approved group to serve alcohol under the above-noted conditions on a trial basis. School district staff will then assess the effectiveness of the conditions and advise of any changes or further considerations at that time.

Recommendation:

“THAT the Board of Education approve the service of alcohol in the Revelstoke Performing Arts Centre on a trial basis only, subject to the conditions approved by the Superintendent.”