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TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Darrel Robertson, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: Edwin Parr Teacher Award

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ISSUE

Each year, principals are invited to nominate first year teachers for the Edwin Parr Teacher Award which is sponsored by the Alberta School Boards Association (ASBA). One nominee is selected to represent the Division at the zone level.

BACKGROUND

Eight first year teachers were nominated by their principals for the 2023 ASBA Edwin Parr Teacher Award. A committee of Division leadership staff met on Friday, February 3, 2022, to review and assess the nominations relative to the selection criteria established by ASBA. Results from the committee's assessment, as well as points awarded based on scholastic achievement and student teaching evaluations were compiled. Based on the selection criteria, six nominees were invited to a meet and greet with representatives from the Division Support Team.

CURRENT SITUATION

Each of the following nominee semi-finalists will be introduced:

Nominee	School
Alexandra Warawa	Eastglen School
Braeden Watson	Queen Elizabeth School
Camryn Gau	Lymburn School
Krysta Florence	Rutherford School
Megan Hermary	Soraya Hafez School
Samantha Almeria	Ekota School

KEY POINTS

The Division nominee for the Zone 2/3 2023 Edwin Parr Teacher Award will be announced by the Superintendent of Schools and will be presented with an engraved plaque.

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