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**TO:** Board of Trustees  
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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 District at the zone level.

**BACKGROUND**

Eight first year teachers were nominated by their principals for the 2012 ASBA Edwin Parr Teacher Award.

A committee of district leadership staff met on Thursday February 16, 2012 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, four finalists were selected and invited to a luncheon with the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendents.

**CURRENT SITUATION**

Each of the following nominee finalists will be introduced:

| <b>Nominee</b> | <b>Principal</b>                                |
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| Georgia Davies | Sandra Dyck-Stoddard, Abbott/R. J. Scott Campus |
| Jordan Dunn    | Kathy Muthlethaler, M. E. LaZerte School        |
| Kelly Hobbs    | Jean Stiles, Jasper Place School                |
| Lisa Mol       | Dan Beharry, Parkview School                    |

The district nominee for the Zone 2/3 2012 Edwin Parr Teacher Award will be announced by the Superintendent and will be presented with an engraved plaque.

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