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RE: Schwesinger appointed Principal of Rocky View Learning Connections

Rocky View Schools' (RVS) Superintendent of Schools Greg Bass is pleased to announce the appointment of Craig Schwesinger as Principal of Rocky View Learning Connections effective August 26, 2010.



“Craig will be a wonderful addition to the Rocky View Learning Connections,” said Bass. “A veteran administrator in our system, Craig’s track record is outstanding. He’s a proven leader, collaborator and innovator.”

As principal of the Learning Connections, Schwesinger will be responsible for managing Rocky View’s outreach programs in Airdrie, Chestermere, and Cochrane, its home-based learning program, Hutterite colony programming, and establishing a middle school outreach program. He, and RVLC staff, will work closely with the new Learning Principal, Todd Kiernan, who will head up the jurisdiction’s new directions in blended

learning and weConnect environments.

Currently the principal of Meadowbrook Middle School in Airdrie, Schwesinger has worked with the jurisdiction since 1982. Over the years he has served as a teacher, an assistant principal, or a principal in several schools across the jurisdiction. Prior to arriving in Rocky View, Craig worked as a teacher in other school jurisdictions in both Alberta and British Columbia.

Schwesinger holds a Masters in Educational Administration and Curriculum from the University of Gonzaga, and a Bachelor of Education from the University of Calgary. He has served on several jurisdictional committees including principal leadership development, human resources, budget and allocation, operational efficiencies, and most recently leadership in technology infusion.

“On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I extend my congratulations to Craig,” said Board Chair Sylvia Eggerer. “We look forward to his continued leadership and know he will excel in this new role.”

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