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TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Darrel Robertson, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: Bereavements

ORIGINATOR: Angela Anderson, Managing Director, Human Resources

**RESOURCE
STAFF:** Funmi Chris-Oberiko

REFERENCE: [AEBC.AR Acknowledging Student, Staff and Trustee Deaths and Bereavements](#)

Mr. Jonathan Blair passed away on June 16, 2016, at the age of 42 years. Mr. Blair was hired to the District as a substitute teacher in September 2011, and obtained a temporary contract from April 2015 to June 2015 at Weinlos School. He is survived by his wife, Joanne. His funeral took place on July 19, 2016.

Ms. Fong-Kiew Thien passed away on June 30, 2016, at the age of 60 years. She started her career with Edmonton Public Schools in November 1999, as a teacher assistant at Caernarvon School where she served for seventeen years. In January 2009, her position title was changed to educational assistant. Ms. Thien is survived by son, Anthony and daughter, Elizabeth. A funeral was not held.

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