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Willow Park School Reopens

For Immediate Release

CALGARY — The Calgary Board of Education is pleased to announce that Willow Park School will reopen to students on Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2014.

Willow Park School was badly damaged in a fire in early October. Repair work to the building is now complete and students will return to their school next week.

Willow Park School students will not have class on Friday, Feb. 21 or Monday, Feb. 24, as those days will be used to move the school's equipment and supplies and allow staff to set up classrooms and prepare for students to return to the building.

Willow Park School students have been attending class together at the Viscount Bennett Centre since the fire in October.

The CBE would like to thank everyone involved in the restoration of the school, Viscount Bennett Centre staff and students, and Willow Park School students, staff and families. We are thrilled that students are returning to a school that is safe, clean and better than ever.

Event Details

Date: Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2014

Time: 8:45 a.m.

Place: Willow Park School – 343 Willow Park Dr. S.E.

Willow Park School Principal, Leslie Robertson, as well as parents and students from Willow Park School will be available to speak to media.

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Note: Principals have a responsibility to limit media coverage only to students approved for interviews. Reporters attending an event are requested to receive permission from a CBE contact before interviewing or photographing students. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter, and for joining us in celebrating public education.

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