

The Alberta Journal of Educational Research

Volume 60, Number 4, Winter 2014

Small Rural Schools Theme Issue

Guest Editor: Michael Corbett

Introduction

- Michael Corbett* **619** From Shinjuku to River John: The Neoliberal Juggernaut, Efficiency, and Small Rural Schools

Articles

- Andrew Kristiansen* **629** Teachers as Rural Educators
- Hernan Cuervo* **643** Problematizing The Relationship between Rural Small Schools and Community: Implications for Youth Lives
- Carol Harris* **656** Schools that Don't Close: Possible Places and Spaces for Progressive Teaching, Learning, and Research
- Barbara Barter* **674** Education Reform: The Effects of School Consolidation on Teachers and Teaching
- Michael Corbett, Jennifer Tinkham* **691** Small Schools in a Big World: Thinking About a Wicked Problem
- Dawn C. Wallin, Paul Newton* **708** Teaching Principals in Small Rural Schools: "My Cup Overfloweth"
- Jennifer Tinkham* **726** We're Small Enough to Close but Big Enough to Divide: The Complexities of the Nova Scotia School Review Process

Book Reviews

- Ashley Pullman* **741** Work and Learning: An Introduction (2013) by Bruce Spencer & Jennifer Kelly
- Heather Elizabeth McGregor* **745** The Last Stand: Schools, Communities and the Future of Rural Nova Scotia (2013) by Paul W. Bennett
- Danielle E. Lorenz* **748** Participatory Visual and Digital Methods (2013) by Aline Gubrium & Krista Harper
- Shea Matthew Betts* **751** Fragile Majorities and Education: Belgium, Catalonia, Northern Ireland, and Quebec (2013) by Marie McAndrew
- Joanne S. Lehrer* **755** Re-Situating Canadian Early Childhood Education (2014) Veronica Pacini-Ketchabaw & Larry Prochner, editors