

# Member News

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## *Renfrew County Teachers' Local Executive 2018-2020*

At our Local Annual Meeting last week, elections were conducted to fill the final spots on the 2018-2020 RCTL Executive. The results are as follows:

Allison Ryan, President

Kelly Melanson, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President

Sherri Madore, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-President

Trish Turner, Treasurer

Lisa Conway, Secretary

Chuck Fraser, Collective Bargaining Committee

Crystal Crown, Collective Bargaining Committee.

The remaining positions for

Executive Advisors will be filled by appointment of the Executive from the applications received and will be filled at our June executive meeting.

The provincial election is on June 7<sup>th</sup>. Please familiarize yourself with the party platforms and vote!

## *Virtual Rally*

On May 30<sup>th</sup> ETFO is encouraging members to meet, talk about the importance of the upcoming election, and to take to social media to participate in a virtual rally.

This activity will serve to mobilize members to vote and to raise awareness about public education the week prior to the vote. Check with your steward for the date of your meeting.

## *Upcoming Dates*

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### May 23

Kindergarten Workshop,  
5:30 pm Nishku Room

OTIP Retirement Workshop

Notification of Surplus and  
Redundancy

### May 30

Information meeting for  
staffing process

### June 1

Tentative Staffing  
Assignments

### June 6&7

SRPC meeting for staffing

### June 7

Election Day

### June 8

PA Day, Assessment and  
Evaluation

### June 29

PA Day, Last day of school

## **Tickets- Blue Jays and Redblacks**

Tickets are still on sale for the Toronto Blue Jays on July 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:07 pm. Tickets are \$90.00 each for field level bases.

Tickets are also on sale for the Ottawa Redblacks on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$41.50 each and are on the south side.

Please contact Allison Ryan at [allieryan@gmail.com](mailto:allieryan@gmail.com) to reserve your tickets as there are a limited number of tickets for each game. Sales for both games will wrap up at the end of June so that I can distribute tickets and collect payment.

## **Staffing**

Members who have been declared surplus to their school or potentially redundant to the Board will receive notice tomorrow. If you are deemed surplus to your school it means there is a job for you within the Board, it just isn't at the school you are currently teaching. If you are deemed to be potentially redundant it means the Board doesn't anticipate having a job for you next year. There will be an information meeting next week (May 30) for anyone involved in staffing. Please let me know by the end of the day on Thursday if you plan to attend.

Teachers who are declared redundant will not participate in staffing on June 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> but will have recall rights to apply to any jobs that are posted. Teachers who are

surplus or in danger of being surplus will participate in staffing. It is VITAL that the committee be able to get a hold of you during the placement meeting. If you are not going to be in your school on that day, please ensure you have contacted me to let me know and that I have a current cell phone number for you. If you can't be reached on that day, you will not be placed. A list of vacancies will be sent to you on June 5<sup>th</sup> and phone calls will be made on June 6 & 7.

Teachers who have requested a transfer will know by the end of the day on June 6 or 7 if their request was granted.

## **Class Trips**

'Tis the season for classes to be taking to the outdoors and to be planning class trips.

Please know that you are not obligated to plan a class trip- there is no curricular requirement to do so.

Colleagues please don't make a co-worker feel guilty for not planning a trip. If you are feeling pressure from a colleague or parent to plan a trip, please contact the Local Office for support. If your trip falls on a day that you have supervision, you are to notify your principal that you will be away. It is up to the principal to make changes to the supervision schedule to accommodate field trips.

## **Facebook**

Find us on Facebook! Search Renfrew County Teachers' Local and request to be added to the group!

## **Twitter**

Follow me on Twitter  
[@rctl\\_etfo](https://twitter.com/rctl_etfo)

## **Websites of Interest**

[www.etfocb.ca](http://www.etfocb.ca)  
[www.etfo.ca](http://www.etfo.ca)  
[www.etfo-elhtbenefits.ca](http://www.etfo-elhtbenefits.ca)  
[www.renfrewteachers.ca](http://www.renfrewteachers.ca)  
<http://www.otffeo.on.ca/>  
[www.buidlingbetterschools.ca](http://www.buidlingbetterschools.ca)  
[www.edvantage.ca](http://www.edvantage.ca)  
[www.otipservices.ca](http://www.otipservices.ca)  
[www.otip.com](http://www.otip.com)  
[www.oct.on.ca](http://www.oct.on.ca)  
[www.educatorsfinancialgroup.ca](http://www.educatorsfinancialgroup.ca)

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