



2021 - 2022 Langley Teachers' Association Executive Committee



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LTA News . . .

Local Bargaining Ratification Vote

The LTA will host an online Q & A session via Zoom on Monday, June 13th from 4 - 5 pm. We'll present the package of locally negotiated items (Agreement in Committee) and you'll have a chance to ask questions in advance of the vote.

BCTF uses the Simply Voting platform. They will send an email containing the secure link to the address they have on file for you. The question will read "Do you support the package of locally negotiated items?" The link will be live from 7 am Tuesday, June 14th to 7 pm Thursday June 16th.

If you haven't already done so, please create a user profile on the BCTF portal bctf.ca with your personal email address. If it's been some time since you've logged in, please check to make sure your account is active.

If you are unable to access the link, you can vote by phone on Thursday June 16th. Call Ellen Bornowsky at the LTA office to register your vote between 8:30 and 4:30 pm on Thursday, June 16th. For security reasons, you'll need to provide your BCTF ID number or your street address. This is to ensure you can't vote online and by phone.

There can be no
reconciliation
without **truth.**

Honouring National
Indigenous Peoples Day
June 21 | 2022



NGO seeks teacher volunteers for displaced Ukrainian students

David Falconer, a former BCTF member and current Volunteer Recruitment Co-ordinator for a Ukrainian NGO connecting teachers with displaced Ukrainian students for virtual lessons. David is a retired Kootenay Lake School District teacher who is now working as a principal in Nunavut.

He would greatly appreciate our support with helping to spread the word about this opportunity. Below and attached you'll find an article (also linked [here](#)) by the Alberta Teachers' Association describing the opportunity in further detail.

Yesterday, one of our many displaced Ukrainian students in Ukraine emailed and said, "Hello, I'm from Irpen. Me and mom were hiding in the basement when the bombs went up. And the

roof in front blew off. There's such big hole, sorry I can't take a picture. Thanks for the lessons!"

From the beginning, when I started, the need for volunteers has been significant, however, we've entered a critical moment where we need to keep the program going, so we need to increase the number of volunteers. For these children, volunteers represent hope, compassion, a lifeline to their future. There's also another need arising and that is providing PD to Ukrainian teachers. If there are any BC teachers who would be interested, or even BCTF itself, to provide PD in the areas of literacy, math, inclusion, differentiation, etc, please let me know.

Potential volunteers or School Districts can contact David at the following email address for an introduction to the program: smartosvitacanada@gmail.com

LTA Teacher Appreciation Event

July 8, 2022 @ 6pm

Calling all Shakespeare Fans ... & Wine Lovers!

The Langley Teachers' Association, Bard in the Valley and Well Seasoned have teamed up to provide you with a fun family friendly event at Township 7 Winery.

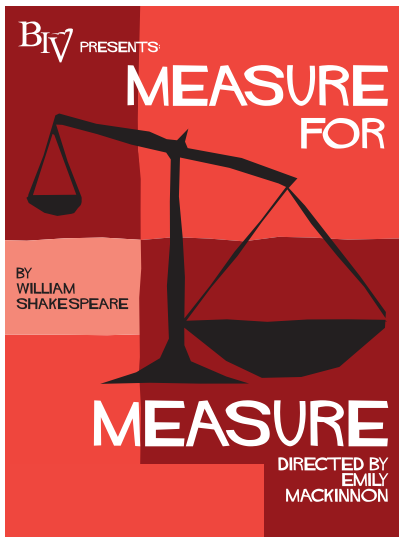
With Langley alumni and Langley teachers working behind the scenes and on stage, this will be an unforgettable experience!

Tickets can be purchased by cash or cheque at the LTA office for \$10 with a maximum of 4 tickets per member
*email reception@langleyteachers.com



Picnics can be arranged for delivery to Township 7 Winery
Place your order here:
<https://wellseasoned.ca/products/picnic-packs>

Include Date of Show & Cell Number in Order notes. USE CODE BARD22 for free delivery. Orders must be placed 48 hours prior to performance.



2022 Summer Pro-D application Deadline
Tuesday, June 14, 2022 view application form

LTA Calendar

- June 13 Local Bargaining Ratification Vote Q & A via Zoom
- June 14 Executive Meeting, 4PM - Hybrid (Zoom and inperson)
- June 15 2022 Retirement Dinner, 5PM Langley Golf & Banquet Centre
- June 16 Final 2021-2022 Joint ProD Meeting, 9AM
- June 28 2021-2022 Executive Year End, 5pm
- July 8 LTA office closes for summer break
- Aug 29 LTA office re-opens for the 2022-2023 School Year

LTA Remedy Deadline - All claims received on or before **June 13, 2022 at 9am** will be paid and mailed before the end of June.
The LTA will resume accepting claims in late September 2022.

BCTF On Line Pension Seminars (Zoom)
June 14, June 21 & June 28 @ 4PM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87344950598?pwd=YVYqNkVvN25mRDBJTTA4aUJSZ1h3QT09>



LTA Members ENTER TO WIN

Langley Teachers' Association is sponsoring one foursome to participate in the School District #35 Foundation **15th Annual Golf Tournament on August 31st at the Newlands Golf & Country Club.**

Included: golf for 4, power cart, great prizes, hearty tailgate lunch - burger & a beer (or pop), delicious buffet dinner, contests, prizes and more! (\$780.00 value) Drinks will be available for purchase on the course. Golf club rentals and any other purchases can be arranged through the Pro Shop.

Make up your own LTA Team foursome
Email us your name and your three colleague names (must be LTA Members) to enter into our draw.
reception@langleyteachers.com

Draw Date: June 28th at 5PM

reEmergence & reConnection

SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR UNION WOMEN

This comprehensive three-day leadership institute consists of skill-building workshops, cultural activities, and political action and education sessions designed to expand our understanding of solidarity and rebuild connections across our region. Summer Institute for Union Women includes leaders and activists from unions, labor studies programs, apprenticeships, and worker organizations from across British Columbia, the western US, Hawaii, and Alaska. SIUW is for all our cis and trans union sisters, as well as our non-binary siblings who are comfortable in a space that centers the experiences of women.

The registration fee is \$50. For more information, click on the link below.
[Summer Institute for Union Women \(SIUW\)](#)

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