




# LTA News

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*We acknowledge with gratitude and respect that LTA members have the privilege of working on the unceded ancestral territory of the Coast Salish peoples, the Kwantlen, Katzie, Matsqui and Semiahmoo who have cared for this land for thousands of years, and who continue to care for this land.*

Dear Colleagues,




I'm writing to invite all members to the upcoming Virtual Special General Meeting on Wednesday April 15, 2025, starting at 4:00 PM. If you would like to attend, you must register virtually [https://us02web.zoom.us/joining/register/gDL8KQG\\_SFwRQTFt09rICg](https://us02web.zoom.us/joining/register/gDL8KQG_SFwRQTFt09rICg)

This SGM will have only one agenda item, a motion to increase of 0.2FTE Table Officers. Please look for the poster with details for this important SGM.

Furthermore, nominations for the LTA Executive Committee for the 2025-2026 school year will commence on Wednesday, April 17, 2026. An Elections Bulletin will be sent out weekly with the list of positions with descriptions, a current list of nominated candidates' names for positions, and contact information on how you can put your name forward. Elections will be held at the Annual General Meeting on May 6, 2025. Have a great month ahead!

Sincerely, ,  
Taylor Fauteux  
LTA President



Langley Teachers' Association

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## SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

### Wednesday, April 15, 2026 @ 4pm

### Virtual Only

**AGENDA**

**1. LTA Released Officer Policy Recommendations**

**Cook/Silva that the following policy motions be approved as endorsed by the LTA Executive Committee.**

- i) that the LTA increase Released Officer time from 3.8 to 4.0 FTE.
- ii) that Released Officer VP4 be increased from 0.2 to 0.4 FTE.

**LTA Special General Meeting Live Binder Link:**  
<https://www.livebinders.com/b/2623092>  
**email reception@langleyteachers.com for Live Binder Password**

## Everyone is Welcome

**Each attendee will be entered into a GRAND PRIZE draw for \$600 (LTA Dues) to be awarded after the AGM in May 2026**

### Are you retiring this year? Do you know someone who is retiring?

The Langley Teachers' Association will be hosting our Retirement Dinner on Wednesday, June 3, 2026 at the Fort Langley Golf Course in honor of our members who are retiring this year.

If you know of anyone on your staff who is retiring or has retired since July 1, 2025, please submit their name to the LTA office no later than Thursday, May 14th in order to ensure that information and tickets can be sent to the retirees and other participants.

Please notify us by  
email at: [mail@langleyteachers.com](mailto:mail@langleyteachers.com)

### Calendar of Events

April 15	Special General Mtg, Virtual 4pm
April 16	Joint ProD Mtg
April 20	ECT/TTOC Parlour Chats, 4pm LTA Office
April 21	EC Meeting, Hybrid 4pm
April 26	LTA Movie Day, 1pm Colossus Langley
April 28	AB Ed/Social Justice Book Club
April 29	ECT/TTOC Cmt
May 1	Scholarship Deadline
May 4	Staff Rep Mtg, Hybrid 4pm
May 5	EC Meeting, Hybrid 4pm
May 6	Scholarship Cmt meeting, LTA Office

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LANGLEY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION  
EARLY CAREER TEACHERS & TTOC

# Parlour Chats

## Pottery, Postings, and More

Join us at the Union Office from 4pm-6:30pm for a relaxed afternoon of pottery, painting and practical Q&A. While you design your own mug or plate, we'll walk through postings, leaves, and key collective agreement questions in a supportive, LTA-hosted space for Early Career Teachers in their first five years (in the district or in general) and TTOCs

20 April, 2026  
At 04:00 pm

Connect, create, and leave with both answers and a handmade keepsake!



<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/parlour-chats-tickets-19846388971877?aff=oddtcreator>

### \$20 Registration Includes:

- One mug or plate to paint
- Coffee & Tea
- Sandwiches and pastries

**RSVP:** Eventbrite by April 13, 2026



### Meet Your Executive

Robin Brenner — District ELL Teacher and LTA Treasurer



I have the privilege of serving as a District ELL teacher in Langley, supporting English learners from every corner of the globe. My work with students and families is deeply meaningful to me, and I am continually inspired by the resilience, curiosity, and determination that multilingual learners bring to our schools. Alongside my teaching role, I serve as treasurer of the Langley Teachers' Association, contribute to several local union subcommittees, and act as the staff representative for my school—responsibilities that keep me closely connected to educators' lived experiences in Langley.

At the provincial level, I serve as a trustee for the BCTF Salary Indemnity Plan and as a member of the BCTF Finance Committee, where I help strengthen and advocate for meaningful supports for teachers across British Columbia. This work allows me to contribute to the broader professional landscape and to champion systems that uphold the well being and dignity of educators.

Across my 31 years in education, I've had the privilege of teaching learners from age 3 to 85—spanning preschool, university, and professional business English. These experiences have shaped my commitment to creating inclusive, accessible learning environments that meet English learners where they are and empower them to build confidence as they navigate life in a new country. I also volunteer my time tutoring autistic college and university students, supporting them as they develop the academic and communication skills needed to thrive in post secondary settings.

Outside of work, I spend my time with my two amazing kids—my son, 18, and my daughter, 15—who keep me grounded, curious, and continually learning.



LANGLEY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

# MOVIE DAY

26TH  
APRIL

AT 1:00PM

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20090 91A AVE,  
LANGLEY



**FREE ENTRY FOR  
LTA MEMBERS**  
\$10 TICKETS FOR  
ADDITIONAL  
GUESTS TO A  
MAXIMUM OF 6  
TICKETS

BOOK TICKETS AT:



[HTTPS://WWW.EVENTBRITE.CA/E/LTA-MOVIE-DAY-TICKETS-1984071514309?AFF=ODDTCREATOR](https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/lta-movie-day-tickets-1984071514309?aff=oddtcreator)

FEATURED FILM:



## BCTF

Registration is open for The Well Teacher Groups

The Well Teacher Groups focus on supporting educators in developing tools and skills related to vitality and resiliency. This holistic approach to wellness equips teachers to make lifestyle changes that positively affect their physical, mental, and emotional well-being. All groups are confidential and facilitated by trained health consultants.

Groups are composed of 10 to 15 participants and meet virtually once a week for 6 weeks. The following dates and times are being offered this spring (all times PT):

- Group 1—Tuesdays, April 21–May 26, 3:30–5:30 p.m.
- Group 2—Tuesdays, April 21–May 26, 4:30–6:30 p.m.
- Group 3—Wednesdays, April 22–May 27, 4:30–6:30 p.m.
- Group 4—Wednesdays, April 22–May 27, 4:30–6:30 p.m.
- Group 5—Thursdays, April 23–May 28, 4:30–6:30 p.m.

To register, click on the session above that you would like to join or visit the [Well Teacher Groups information and registration page](#).