

To: ETFO Thames Valley Teacher Local Members
From: Craig Smith, President, ETFO Thames Valley Teacher Local (ETFO TVTL)
Date: April 11, 2025
Regarding: **Weekly Update 27 / Federal Political Action Update 3**

The 45th General Election: What Has Been Shared

Links to the following information regarding the 45th General Election have been sent to all Teachers:

- Detailed information about when, how, and where to vote will be found through the Elections Canada website.
- Websites of the four (4) federal political parties represented in the House of Commons, and their respective and platforms.
- Student Vote Canada.

The nominated candidates of political parties regionally represented in the House of Commons are as follows:

Oxford

Cheryle Baker (Green)

Matthew Chambers (New Democrat)

David Hilderley (Liberal)

Arpan Khanna (Conservative)

Elgin-St. Thomas-London South

Paul Goodwin (Liberal)

Andrew Lawton (Conservative)

Paul Pighin (New Democrat)

Middlesex-London

Jim Johnston (Green)

Kent Keenan (Liberal)

Taylor McIntosh (New Democrat)

Lianne Rood (Conservative)

London Centre

Peter Fragiskatos (Liberal)

Stephen Gallant (Conservative)

Mary Ann Hodge (Green)

Dirka Prout (New Democrat)

London Fanshaw

Kurt Holman (Conservative)

Lindsay Mathysen (New Democrat)

Najam Naqvi (Liberal)

Bill 124 Remedy and CRA T1198 Tax Forms

A link to the TVDSB message regarding portal access to CRA T1198 tax forms accompanies this update.

Upcoming Events

- Why Poverty? Workshop – April 15, 2025
- Local Annual Meeting – April 23, 2025
- Red Dress Day – Beading Workshop – May 5, 2025 – FULL
- ETFO Evening of the Arts – Space still available for Improv
- ETFO Golf Tournament – May 24, 2025

Communication Protocol

Teachers are reminded that the **Communication Protocol** remains in effect, **from** Friday, April 11 at 6:00 p.m. **until** Sunday, April 13 at 6:00 p.m.

The Board's **Disconnecting from Work Employee Procedure** came into effect on Thursday, June 2 in compliance with the **Working for Workers Act, 2021**.

Violations of the **Communication Protocol** and the **TVDSB Disconnecting from Work Procedure** must be reported to the Local office immediately.

Duty of the Local

- Defend the **Collective Agreement** and the rights of Teachers under it.
- Ensure that the provisions of the **Occupational Health and Safety Act** are enforced.
- Bring to the attention of TVDSB ongoing Teacher concerns, with the expectation that these concerns will be taken seriously and resolved quickly.
- Communicate with Teachers in a clear, concise, and timely manner

Enjoy a safe and peaceful weekend.

For more information regarding this *Communiqué* please contact the Local office by phone at 519-474-3150, or by email at etfotvtl@etfothamesvalley.com