

# NOTEBOOK

Issue #10 February 29, 2024



## Job Share, Part-Time Work, Intra-District Exchange Information Meeting

Thursday, April 4 – 4:00 pm  
Location: NVTA Office  
240-233 West 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
North Vancouver

**This meeting is for Continuing Contract teachers only.**

**Pizza will be provided.**

Please **RSVP** to confirm your attendance (and any dietary restrictions) to:

Beth Triggs/Terrie Hendrickson, NVTA Office Managers, by email at [beth@nvta.ca](mailto:beth@nvta.ca) or phone the office at 604.988.3224

## NORTH VANCOUVER TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

### Annual General Meeting Wednesday, May 8, 2024 *First Call for Candidates!*

The following NVTA Executive Committee and Standing Committee Chair positions are available for the 2024-2025 school year. All are one-year terms, unless otherwise indicated.

#### Executive Committee:

President  
Local Representatives (two or three elected; the President may choose to be an LR automatically)  
Alternate Local Representative  
First Vice President  
Second Vice President  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Member-at-Large – Indigenous (two-year term)  
Member-at-Large – Racialized (two-year term)  
Member-at-Large – 2SLGBTQIA+ (two-year term)  
Member-at-Large – First Five Years (two-year term)  
Member-at-Large – One two-year term  
*Three Members-at-Large will be continuing in their second year*

#### Committee Chairpersons:

Bargaining  
Professional Development  
Social Justice

**Nominations will be accepted** from the floor of the AGM, however, in order to have a Candidate Statement included in the AGM booklet, and to be included in the NVTA All-Candidates' Forum immediately following the April 17, 2024 Rep Assembly, a **completed nomination form and statement must be received by Monday, April 15, 2024.**

For more information or to receive a nomination form, please email [beth@nvta.ca](mailto:beth@nvta.ca).

## Have a Great Spring Break!

The NVTA Office will close for spring break on Friday, March 15 and will reopen on Tuesday, April 2, 2024



Please contact the BCTF if you have questions during that time

## TTOC Meeting

April 15, 2024 @ 3:45pm

NVTA Office

240-233 W. 1<sup>st</sup> Street

This meeting will be an opportunity to share your concerns and questions with NVTA Table Officers, and to connect with your TTOC colleagues.

Please RSVP to the NVTA office at [beth@nvta.ca](mailto:beth@nvta.ca)

### COMMITTEE CALL-OUT!

*Pro D 2025 Conference Committee*

The time has come to start organizing the next NVTA District-wide Pro D Conference, coming in February 2025! If you would like to be a part of the planning process, please contact the NVTA Pro D Chairperson, Angelee Bulsara, at [prodchair@nvta.ca](mailto:prodchair@nvta.ca).

### March Rep Assembly

March 13, 2024 @ 4pm, Sutherland Library

BCTF AGM Delegates will attend to review the Reports & Resolutions prior to the BCTF AGM

## NVTA CALENDAR

### MARCH

13 NVTA Representative Assembly meeting with BCTF AGM Delegates

**Mar 16, 2024 - Apr 1, 2024 - SPRING/EASTER BREAK**

16-19 108<sup>th</sup> BCTF AGM

### APRIL

2 Schools reopen

4 Job Share/Part-time/Intra-District Info Meeting

15 TTOC Meeting

15 Deadline – NVTA AGM Candidates' Statement

17 NVTA Representative Assembly

### MAY

3 District-wide Professional Development Day

8 NVTA Annual General Meeting & Social  
- elect NVTA Executive & Chairs for 2024-2025

15 NVTA Representative Assembly

**20 Victoria Day**

24-25 BCTF Spring Representative Assembly

### JUNE

10 Retirement Tea (Seymour Golf & Country Club)

19 NVTA Representative Assembly

27 Last day of school

28 Administration Day

## “Understanding your Benefits and Pension Income in Retirement” CPP, OAS and Group Benefits: An Essential Workshop from BCRTA

The important decisions that will determine your retirement lifestyle should not be made at the last minute as you fill out your forms. This seminar will prepare you to confidently make choices that are right for you.

- April 3, 2024 @ 7pm
- May 9, 2024 @ 7pm
- May 29, 2024 @ 7pm

The agenda includes: Teachers' Pension Plan, Canada Pension Plan, Old Age Security, and voluntary group benefits. As you will no longer have access to your health benefits from the employer, we include information about choosing your group benefits (dental, extended health and travel), and show some of the differences between the plans to equip you to select the plan that best suits your needs.

All teachers age 50+ should plan to attend one of BCRTA's Pre-Retirement online (Zoom) workshops. The workshops are free. You get great planning materials along with answers to questions you have about your retirement. Please pre-register at <https://bcrt.ca/workshop>.