



Retirement Workshops

We are very excited to announce that as part of our association with OTIP we are once again able to offer our members access to retirement workshops hosted by OTIP. [Information on the workshops can be found by clicking here](#) or by going to www.CUPE997.ca and selecting the calendar on the home page.

For those interested in attending, pre-registration is required. Please register at: www.otip.com/events

These workshops are popular and space is limited so register early!

The workshops are as follows:

Date	Location	Time
Tues. Nov 14	Muskoka Education Centre - Bracebridge	4:30 to 7:30pm
Wed. Nov 15	Haliburton Highlands S.S.	4:30 to 7:30pm
Thur. Nov 16	Days Inn 134 Angeline St. S. Lindsay	4:00 to 7:00pm

0.5% Lump Sum Payment

The October 13, 2017 pay includes an amount equivalent to 0.5% of each member's earned wages during the 2016-2017 school year. This payment applies to all CUPE members covered by our Collective Agreement (Permanent, Temporary and Supply) who were employed or on an approved leave, paid sick leave or statutory leave as of September 5, 2017. For example, for earned wages of \$38,000 the lump sum would be \$190.00

Investments in System Priorities

The Extension Agreement that was ratified provincially and locally in January 2017 included CUPE negotiated funding for the purposes of hiring new permanent CUPE positions in school boards.

The chart below shows how the negotiated money was spent in Trillium Lakelands DSB to create more positions for CUPE 997 members.

Custodial Maintenance
1.0 FTE Custodian Floater at IEWSS
1.0 FTE Custodian Floater at FFSS
1.0 FTE Custodian Floater at BMLSS
0.5 FTE Lead Hand Custodian at GHS
0.5 FTE Head Custodian at Honey Harbour PS (increase from half time to full time)
Office Clerical
E - Learning Secretary (from 10 month to 12 month)
0.5 FTE Computer Operator GHS (Increase from half time to full time)
0.5 FTE Monck PS - Elementary Assistant Secretary
1.0 FTE Payroll Officer 1
1.0 FTE Accounting Clerk Payable
0.4 FTE HR Clerk
0.2 FTE Riverside PS. - Elementary Assistant Secretary/Library Clerk (increase from 8 to 15 hours per week)
Educational Assistants
5.0 FTE Behaviour/Autism Itinerant EAs (3 assigned to Lindsay & 2 assigned to Bracebridge)
12 - 0.5 FTE School Based EAs assigned to various schools

