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You are the #PowerOfPublicEducation



The Education Workers of Pine Glen P.S. showing off their *Power of Public Education* t-shirts

Thank you for all the orders for t-shirts and the pictures of you wearing them. It was an incredible response. In all there are 440 CUPE t-shirts in the schools and worksites across all CUPE 997 buildings. Remember to keep wearing your shirts on Education Worker Wednesdays in the new school year.

Have a look at all of your Power of Public Education pictures on our website or by clicking here

Last 2 PA days of 18-19 for Educational Assistants

The PA days on June 27 (Secondary only) and June 28 (both panels) are optional for Educational Assistants. Permanent and Temporary EAs who attend will be paid for the full day regardless of their regularly scheduled hours. You should attend at your current school even if you are moving for September.

Stay in Touch over the summer:

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STRIKE VOTE

Save the Date - Saturday September 7

Over the summer keep an eye out for further information about a Special Meeting to conduct a Strike Vote. The meeting will be held on Saturday September 7 and all CUPE 997 members are encouraged to plan to attend. This includes all Permanent, Temporary and Supply employees.

CUPE 997 Student Bursary Winners!

Congratulations to our 2019 CUPE 997 Student Bursary winners. The 2 winners of the \$500 awards were drawn at the May 4th General Membership Meeting and were Kari Burnett, daughter of Julie White, Elementary Secretary Leslie Frost P.S. and Aidan Macro, son of Lynn Macro, Virtual Learning Centre Secretary. Congratulations to both Kari, Aiden and their proud parents.



Planning a Summer Road Trip Through Canada on a Budget

Canada is known worldwide for its natural beauty. With rolling hills, sparkling blue waters, boreal forests, natural parks and mountain peaks, Canada really has it all.

If you're looking to explore more of this beautiful country over the summer without breaking the bank, follow this helpful guide of national attractions you can visit that won't cost you much more than the gas required to take you there.

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