

Upcoming Events / Meetings

CUPE President & Executive attend on your behalf

(Except where noted)

SEPTEMBER 2018

- 03rd – Labour Day – Picnic –
Transfer Beach, Ladysmith, BC
– EVERYONE WELCOME!
- 04th – School's Open
- 05th – Education Committee Mtg
- 06th – Introduction of HR Manager
- 07th – Payday
- 10th – CUPE Executive Board Mtg
- 12th – 6 – 9 p.m. Business
Committee Mtg.
- 18th – Central H&S Prep
- 19th – Central H&S Mtg
- 19th – JEIS
- 21st – Payday
- 22nd – CUPE Executive Board Mtg
- 24th – K-12 Provincial Bargaining
- 25th – K-12 Provincial Bargaining
- 26th – 6 – 9 p.m. Regular Board
Mtg



OCTOBER 2018

- 3rd - 6-9 p.m. Education
Committee Mtg
- 4th – Non-instructional Day
(Curriculum In-service Day)
- 5th – Non-instructional Day
(School-based)
- 5th - Payday
- 8th – Thanksgiving Day (STAT)
- 10th – 6 p.m. Business Committee
- 16th – Central H&S Prep
- 17th – Central H&S Meeting
- 19th – CUPE Pro-D Day (District
wide)
- 19th – TENTATIVE CUPE UNION
MEETING
- 19th – Payday

President's Message

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Welcome back to a start of a new school year.

It is hard to believe that the summer break is over, and we are all returning to our regular duties. I hope everyone had a safe and happy summer. To those support staff employees who worked this summer my hats off to you for doing such a wonderful job in getting the schools and other sites up and running for the new year. Without your commitment these things would not get done. Thanks again, for all the hard work and accomplishments you achieved.

As we enter into this school year your elected executive members are looking forward to working together in assisting all members in trying to make this year a safe and enjoyable time for all. We have a busy agenda in front of us this year, as we will be involved in electing new School Board Trustees in October; negotiating a new collective agreement and maintaining our commitment to work with the Employer on resolving issues and sitting on numerous committees that help shape our working environment.

In closing, I would like to ask all of the support staff employees to take the time to get involved in the local elections, your vote counts on who you get elected to be your bosses. The right Trustees can make a difference.

In solidarity,

Rob Zver, President



CUPE LOCAL 606 EXECUTIVE

June 2018 Annual General Meeting election results:

CUPE Local 606 Executive List

NAME	POSITION
Rob Zver	President
Steve Fielden	General Vice-President
Jeff Virtanen	General Vice-President
Jamie Smith	Treasurer
Laurie Jenks	Recording Secretary
Ken Best	Sgt.-At.-Arms

CUPE 606 Trustees

3-year term – Jason Ritchie

2-year term – Gabe Cartwright

1-year term – Patti Churchill

Please note: An updated Executive/Steward list will be sent to worksites after the Executive Board Meeting on Monday, September 10, 2018.



Bonnie Bestwick

Education Assistant – 28 years of service

20 years of service on your CUPE Executive Board

We would like to thank Bonnie for those years as an activist for her fellow members and her dedication to the Union.

You will be missed!



CUPE Local 606 would like to welcome the following NEW members hired in 2018

If we missed anyone please contact the Union Office (250) 729-0842 and we will make sure you are added to our next newsletter.

Member Name	Appointment Letter Date	Position
Melinda Keith	Jan. 8, 2018	Education Assistant
Leslie McEvoy	Jan. 12, 2018	Education Assistant
Karishma Dsilva	Jan. 17, 2018	Education Assistant
Teagan Medves	Jan. 17, 2018	Education Assistant
Kyle Morton	Jan. 17, 2018	Grounds Horticulturist
Diane Caldwell-Demmon	Feb. 1, 2018	Education Assistant
Heather Hurst	Feb. 7, 2018 - rehire	Aboriginal Outreach Worker
Fira Pierce	Feb. 7, 2018	Aboriginal Outreach Worker
Nicole Forrest	Feb. 9, 2018	Education Assistant
Baylee Frissell	Feb. 9, 2018	Aboriginal Outreach Worker
Alena Piper	Feb. 13, 2018	Education Assistant
Susan Williamson	Feb. 13, 2018	Education Assistant
Colleen Wyse	Feb. 15, 2018	Aboriginal Education Assistant
Angeline Gladstone	Feb. 16, 2018	Payroll Specialist
Julie Bjork	Feb. 26, 2018	Education Assistant
Louise Miller	Feb. 26, 2018	Education Assistant
Jessica Giesbrecht	Mar. 6, 2018	Aboriginal Education Assistant
Kathy Domina	Mar. 8, 2018 – rehire	Education Assistant
Andrea Lyle	Apr. 4, 2018	Education Assistant
Erin McPherson	Apr. 4, 2018	Education Assistant
Benjamin Bollich	Apr. 5, 2018	Education Assistant
Madison Elander	Apr. 18, 2018	Education Assistant
Siobhan O'Neill	Apr. 23, 2018	Education Assistant
Cathy Aniceto	Apr. 27, 2018	Education Assistant
Wanda Pauze	Apr. 27, 2018	Education Assistant
Amie Collins	Apr. 30, 2018	Education Assistant
Vanessa Jones	May 1, 2018	Education Assistant
Theora Brandner	May 2, 2018	Clerical
Anke McGuire	May 2, 2018	Education Assistant
Krista Schnell	May 2, 2018	Education Assistant
Lisa Holland	May 3, 2018	Education Assistant
Tara Pfeifer	May 3, 2018	Education Assistant
Alana Foster	May 15, 2018	Education Assistant
Destiny Cox	May 16, 2018	Aboriginal Education Assistant
Aaron Storey	June 12, 2018	Labourer
Nathan Agonis	June 26, 2018	Carpenter
Kurtis Norum	June 26, 2018	Custodian

Veronique Chalmers	July 1, 2018	CYFSW
Andy Barclay	July 11 2018	HVAC Refrigeration Technician
Kimberley Hendren	July 11, 2018	Bus Driver
Denny Probizanski	July 11, 2018	CYFSW
Meurig Murray	Aug. 1, 2018	Custodian
Tracie Begbie	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Krystle Booker	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Tara Cleveland	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Tracey Cochrane	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Elyse Cornish	Aug. 22, 2018	Aboriginal Education Assistant
Amber Foss	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Rachel Fritz	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Hannah Launk	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Elaine McGuinness	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Lisa Schlegel	Aug. 22, 2018	Education Assistant
Juan (Julia) Kang	Aug. 27, 2018	Mandarin Support Worker

SEPTEMBER 2018

Sudoku
Puzzle
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