

NOVEMBER 15, 2017



# DISTRICT COUNCIL

## CPAC REPORT

### I. COMMUNICATIONS

#### 1. District Communications

- Please continue to keep you Branch Membership e-mail lists up-to-date. Please contact Carolyn Caldwell at [office@osstfd10.ca](mailto:office@osstfd10.ca) if there are any changes.

#### 2. Provincial Communications

- Latest D/BU Memos found in the *myOSSTF* section of the Provincial website are:  
DBU051 - Ontario College of Teachers Fee Increase  
DBU045 - OPSEU Strike and College Co-op Students  
DBU042 - 100 Year Anniversary - Call for Writers  
DBU041 - Applications to the Environmental Advisory Work Group
- Latest Benefits Bulletin found in the *myOSSTF* section of the provincial website is: OSSTF BENEFITS Claims Review and Appeal Process - Members (v3)

### II. POLITICAL ACTION

#### 1. Provincial Election Preparedness

- Election Day is scheduled for Thursday, June 7, 2018.
- First Election Readiness Consultation was held on Friday, October 20th. Election Platform ideas were generated by participants and this month the C/PA Department is developing a draft OSSTF Education Platform. The Provincial Executive will approve the Education Platform in mid-December.
- Local lobbying with nominated candidates to happen between January 29th and February 21st of 2018. Looking for Members to participate. Please forward names of Members you think may be suitable for lobbying.
- Second Election Readiness Consultation will be held on February 22, 2018.

#### 2. Student Achievement Awards

- Deadline for school-winning entries to get to the D10 Office is Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup>.
- District winners will be notified in early December.

#### 3. Labour Council

- The Chatham Kent Labour Council meets on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm. Need an OSSTF D10 Representative to attend meetings. Please forward names.