



# CITY SCOOP

## NSTU Halifax City Local

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**September 30<sup>th</sup> is Truth and Reconciliation Day. The National Center for Truth and Reconciliation has many resources for educators. See link below:**

**Resources for Educators from NCTR**

**DEADLINE: Truth and Reconciliation Project Grant (Halifax City Local) September 30, 2025 (see our website or click link above)**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

\* **Social-Member Engagement October 8, 2025**

World Teacher Day is October 5<sup>th</sup> and in celebration we invite you to **Big Leagues-120 Susie Lake Crescent #12** (Bayer's lake) for a drink and appetizers. It is a great time to meet colleagues and feel appreciated. There will be prizes as well!

\* **Professional Associations Conference Registration Link**

Registration only available to NSTU members with username and password until October 3, 2025  
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## Message from the President

Dear Members,

Thank-you to everyone who attended our first local meeting. It was wonderful to see so many new faces and to welcome back those of you who have been dedicated unionists. Congratulations to Allison Sydney who was voted in as local secretary.

This week everyone will be starting off with PD and then on Tuesday we recognize the atrocities of the residential school system and the ongoing trauma it has caused generations of Indigenous people. As educators, we commit to acknowledging this truth and understand there is no reconciliation without action.

Please feel free to contact me anytime with questions, suggestions or concerns.

In solidarity,

Nancie de la Chevotière President, NSTU Halifax City Local

## City Shout-Out-Celebrating our members!!!!

### Why the Shout-Out?

**Natalie DeWare** from **St. Joseph's-Alexander McKay Elementary** is this week's recipient because Natalie has been an amazing communicator and support to her colleagues. Natalie shares information and is ready to seek out answers when needed. SJAM has been waiting FIVE long years for a new school so keeping morale up is a challenge. Natalie sees SJAM as a family and says you can feel the hug when you are with the school community. Thank you, Natalie.. We appreciate you!



## Reminders

- **Join a Halifax City Local Committee.** Sign up on our website or you can apply to [Join now](#).
- **Asking Package Submissions**  
Due: October 15, 2025 Send your ideas to [Asking.package submission](#)
- **New members** enroll in dental by October 15th. Contact: 902-453-9543 or [insurance@nstu.ca](mailto:insurance@nstu.ca) or [GroupBenefitsNS@belairdirect.com](mailto:GroupBenefitsNS@belairdirect.com)