



# TrailTalk Bulletin

## PTTA Substitute Information Meeting

DATE: Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025

TIME: 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Virtual

RSVP: [ptta@mymts.net](mailto:ptta@mymts.net)

We look forward to presenting updated information and hearing your concerns, questions and ideas.

## Joint PD Application Cut-off Dates for 2024 - 2025

- February 20, 2025
- April 22, 2025
- May 27, 2025

N.B: When applying for Joint PD, please connect with your Principal for authorization.

All you need to know about Joint PD Category 1 in 90 seconds:

<https://youtu.be/QhcNbQDUV1E>

## Retired Teachers' Association of Manitoba (RTAM) Pre-Retirement Seminar

DATE: Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Virtual

[www.rtam.mb.ca](http://www.rtam.mb.ca)

Registration will close on Tuesday, January 21st, 2025.



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## MTS Provincial Executive Election 2025:

### Nominations Now Open

Provincial Executive members have had a profound influence on the welfare of teachers and status of the teaching profession.

Interested in joining the Provincial Executive? The following positions must be filled for 2024 - 2026:

- President
- Vice President
- Five (5) positions for Members-at-Large

The cut-off date for nominations is **Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.**

Information about elections and nominations can be found in the:

[MTS Provincial Executive Election Guide 2025.pdf \(mbteach.org\)](#)

### Notice of Call

This notice is provided in compliance with Bylaw II of The Manitoba Teachers' Society.

The 106<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Provincial Council of The Manitoba Teachers' Society will be held beginning at 9:00 AM on May 22, 23 and 24, 2025, at the RBC Convention Centre.

The Provincial Council consists of members of the current Provincial Executive and representatives named by Locals, the Council of School Leaders and the Éducatrices et éducateurs francophones du Manitoba. The number of delegates per Local entitled to attend Provincial Council is determined by the rules outlined in Bylaw II, Part I (1.7).

Glen Anderson  
Interim Executive Director

[Notice Of Call 2025.pdf \(mbteach.org\)](#)

# PTTA NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN

## NOTICE OF CALL

### **Nominations are now open for the PTTA Executive for 2025 - 2026**

All the Executive positions are a one-year term except the President position, which is a two-year term. Also note that the Past President position is appointed.

Executive positions are up for election for 2025 - 2026. Any PTTA Member of the Association may be a candidate for any Executive position.

- Vice President CB
- Vice President PD
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Member at Large A
- Equity and Social Justice
- Employee Benefits
- Public Relations
- Wellness/Social
- Member at Large B

### **Nominations must be submitted by 5pm Saturday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

If you are interested in letting your name stand for a position on PTTA Executive, please send your name and the position that interests you to [ptta@mymts.net](mailto:ptta@mymts.net) attention PTTA Nominations Chair. If you submit after **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025**, you will need endorsement signatures from **ten PTTA Members**.

#### **Timelines/Process:**

- **Tuesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025:** Any position that has no candidates will be identified at the February 25th Council Meeting
- **Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025:** full list of candidate names provided to all PTTA
- **Saturday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025:** Final date to submit candidacy without endorsement signatures
- **March 2<sup>nd</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025:** submissions require ten endorsement signatures from PTTA Members
- **Saturday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 5:00 PM:** Nominations close

**If more than one Member puts their name forward for any of the positions, an election will be called and will take place between April 7<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025.**

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## **2024/2025 PTTA EXECUTIVE**

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Jennifer Paszkat	Vice President CB
Nicole Lavallée	Vice President PD
Michael Pauley	Secretary
Sarah Prach	Treasurer
Daniel Mitchell	Employee Benefits
Amber Clemons	Equity & Social Justice
Blue Jay Bridge	Public Relations
Tim Dittrick	Wellness/Social
Sheridan Vinci	Member-at-Large
Megan Restall-Conan	Member-at-Large



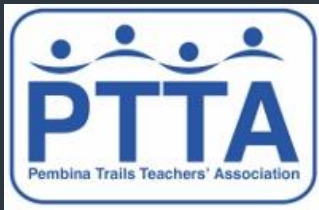
## **Retirement / Resignation Dates**

**The deadlines to submit  
your resignation or  
retirement notice are:**

April 30, 2025 if you were  
hired after December  
2004.

May 31, 2025 if you were  
hired before December  
2004.

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Teachers' Association  
represents approximately  
1400 professionals who  
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Pembina Trail School  
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interested in making a  
submission to a future  
newsletter should email  
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