



My name is Sandy Welbergen and I'm running to be your Vice-President - Professional Development of the Pembina Trails Teachers' Association.

For the last four years I've served as a member of the Management Committee of the Divisional Joint PD Fund, assisting with application approvals, revising and editing the Fund brochure, reviewing the FAQ document, and proposing Category 6 which was created in response to the pandemic. This experience makes me uniquely qualified for this position and, importantly, I've established positive working relationships with the Pembina Trails Senior Administration Team.

In addition to being on the Management Committee of the PD Fund, I've also served as PTTA's Wellness/Social Committee Chair since 2015. Since 2003, I've been an active member of our association serving in many capacities including member of the PTTA PD Committee member, Council Representative, and MTS Provincial Council delegate, and of course the PTTA Executive.

As Wellness/Social chair on the PTTA Executive, I planned events, organized outreach activities, attended board meetings, and helped colleagues campaign for MTS Executive positions. I'm proud to have served our PTTA members in such critical roles.

Education in Manitoba is facing much uncertainty and we need strong leadership with local experience. In my years of working with - and for - PTTA members, I've gained that knowledge and experience needed to lead us into the future.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to talk further about the PD portfolio. Thank-you for your support.