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ALICE ELSTON AWARD – WHO ARE YOU NOMINATING?

Eligibility: any person whose contributions to the Association or education warrant special recognition. It is expected that such persons would have served education in at least one of the following:

- as an elected member of the YTA Executive
- as a professional educator
- as staff of the YTA or other territorial/provincial/national teacher organizations
- as a community advocate for education or children's rights

For more information, please contact Denise at admin@yta.yk.ca or 867 668 6777 ext 0

EMPLOYEE AND FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM: Whether you're going through a crisis or want guidance on your work-life balance, sometimes it is helpful to talk to a trained professional. EFAP is available 24/7; their services are available in person, over the phone and by video conference. They also provide access to self-guided online resources. *YTA members have 7 hours per year they can access or share with their family, for free.* Call 668 3327 or 1 800 667 0993

DID YOU DO/ATTEND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT? Have you filled out the online PD expense claim form? PD clerk Teresa Pacheco must receive your form within 30 days of completion/attendance in order to process your reimbursement.

ATTENTION MUSIC TEACHERS: The goal is to draw attention to the exceptional work of music teachers in this country, to reinforce the importance of music in a well-rounded education, and to have kids learn Canadian music in the classroom. Each year music teachers must pick one pre-approved Canadian songs and have their class learn a cover version. Register by Nov. 26 - for more details visit www.cbcmusic.ca/musicclass.

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1-866-668-2097**



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