

*From the YTA Office,*  
**The Wednesday Fax**  
**November 27, 2019**

**TRAVEL BONUS FOR RURAL MEMBERS:** Did you know you can claim a travel bonus each year? Article 30 of your Collective Agreement outlines the criteria. **Make sure to claim it!**

**WOMEN'S SYMPOSIUM:** YTA will send one member to the CTF-FCE's annual Women's Symposium being held in Ontario, April 19-21, 2020. The symposium will focus on the future, inspiring the next 100 years of women in education and is open to all those who identify as women. Deadline to submit your name is December 31, 2019.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE SEMINAR:** The Canadian Teachers' Federation is bringing together a small group of teachers, in March 2020, who are interested in pursuing human rights, social justice, and/or global citizenship projects in the classrooms, schools, teachers' organizations and communities.

Those selected will:

- meet and connect with other educators across Canada;
- be introduced to organizations, programs, and resources related to these themes and topics as well as the CTF/FCE social justice advocacy priorities;
- create a forum for sharing questions, ideas, and effective practices to plan social justice projects that they will do in their classrooms, schools, teachers' organizations, and communities;
- share their new learning and project plans with colleagues in their home schools, teachers' organizations, and communities.

**Requirements:**

- teach students in Grades 5 to 10;
- have shown leadership or have taken initiative in social justice/human rights activism at the local, provincial, national, or international levels;
- have experience with the implementation of social justice projects; would be open to learning about the CTF/FCE's social justice advocacy priorities as well as the UN's Sustainable Development Goals;
- be a 1ST time participant in CTF/FCE activities; and,
- represent equity-seeking groups.

If interested, submit a letter which outlines how you meet the requirements. Send your letter to [admin@yta.yk.ca](mailto:admin@yta.yk.ca) by Friday, **November 29 at 5pm.**

**OUT OF TERRITORY IS OUT OF \$:** The Out-Of-Territory PD category has been accessed by many members early this year for events that will take place throughout the school year. The PD Committee is looking at a variety of options so that more members can benefit from OOT events. The PD Committee welcomes suggestions from the membership; don't hesitate to email the Chair at [pd@yta.yk.ca](mailto:pd@yta.yk.ca).

**CALL FOR  
NOMINATIONS!**

YTA is seeking nomination of the position of **Membership Chair**. If interested, fill out a nomination form located on the YTA website under "Executive" and send to the YTA office. **Deadline is TODAY at 5pm**

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