

CANDIDATES FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

Dale Lambe

Complete details about me, including my story, can be found at <https://www.dalelambe4nltavp.com/>

My reputation as an educator and as a leader in our system is one that speaks of energy, enthusiasm, genuineness, authenticity, and passion. These are the qualities that I will bring to the position of NLTA VP should I be fortunate enough to gain your support. Please follow my social media platforms that are listed below to see my creativity and ability to connect. These are skills that will add tremendously to our Association's approach from 2023-25.



Personal Story

Born and raised in Marystown, Newfoundland, I have been fortunate enough to have enjoyed 25 years in the education field here in our beautiful province. With a blend of rural and urban experience, I have been blessed to create lasting relationships with teachers across the island. I am currently the proud Principal of Villanova Junior High in Conception Bay South. It would be an honour and a privilege to serve the teachers of Newfoundland and Labrador in the role of NLTA Vice-President.

Né à Marystown, Terre-Neuve et Labrador, j'ai eu la chance d'avoir passé 25 ans dans le milieu de l'éducation ici, dans notre belle province. Avec un mélange d'expériences rurale et urbaine, j'ai eu la chance de développer plusieurs relations avec des enseignants à travers l'île et Labrador. Je suis présentement le fier directeur de Villanova Junior High à Conception Bay South. Ce serait un honneur et un privilège de servir tous les enseignants de T-N-L dans le rôle de vice-président de la NLTA.

Be sure to vote from December 12-16, 2022. Assurez-vous de voter du 12 au 16 décembre 2022.

Professional Background

1998-2004:

- St. Joseph's Central High, Bay de Verde
- Fatima Academy, St. Bride's
- Ascension Collegiate, Bay Roberts
Language Arts, French and Technology Teacher

2004-2013:

- St. Catherine's Academy, Mount Carmel
- Brother Rice Junior High, St. John's
- St. Paul's Junior High, St. John's
Assistant Principal (Teaching)

2013-Present:

- Hazelwood Elementary, St. John's
- Villanova Junior High, Conception Bay South
Principal

A PASSIONATE AND RESPECTED VOICE FOR TEACHERS

- Involvement with NLTA Special Interest Council, School Administrators' Council (SAC) since 2004, including:

- SAC President, since 2020
- Member of the NLESD-SAC Liaison Committee, since 2017
- Member of SAC Provincial Executive, since 2015
- Organized SAC Provincial Conference in 2012
- Canadian Association of Principals (CAP) Conference 2018, Registration and Sponsorship Co-Chair
- Provided written submission and verbal response to the Education Action Plan Committee (SAC Executive)
- Newfoundland Representative on CAP (2019-22)
- Vice-President (Elect) on CAP in 2022
- Provided written submission to Teacher Allocation Review Committee (SAC President)

VISION AND POINTS OF INTEREST AS NLTA VP

Recruitment and Retention for teachers.

- Creativity and Ingenuity are crucial. Incentives are necessary to recruit and retain in rural communities.

Forging Partnerships with all stakeholders to improve Professional Learning for Teachers.

- We need to work together to make our learning opportunities equivalent to those of other public sectors.

Teacher Wellness and Well-Being.

- Personal focus and values center around these elements of work.

Class Size and Composition.

- My involvement in the teacher allocation review process will serve as the foundation for future work in this area.

Advocating for efficient and effective hiring practices for teachers.

- Directly tied to my in-depth analysis of teacher allocations, this advocacy will be critical in seeking the elimination or amelioration of partial units.

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