

South Okanagan Similkameen Teachers' Union

Assignment Questions?

- General leave and reduction of assignment deadlines have passed.
- Admin should have discussed your preferences for assignments for next year. Postings will start during the 3rd week of April.

If you are looking for more FTE, you must apply to the postings.

- Continuing teachers may apply for temporary positions but there are conditions. Email me your questions!

SOSTU President Nominations

- **SOSTU must elect its president in April before the remaining executive positions are filled, as per our constitution**

- If interested, a nomination form for the position of president is attached and must be submitted to sostu@telus.net by Thursday, April 25th, 2024
- **This is the 1st call for nominations for the position of SOSTU President. / There will be 3 calls (emails) for nominations over the next 2 weeks.**
- Nominations will close at the end of the day on Thursday, April 25th, 2024
- If necessary, an election would follow and be conducted before April 30th, 2024
- I will let my name stand for SOSTU President for next year (2024-2025)

* Other SOSTU positions will be determined by / at May 16th, 2024 AGM

What is this?

Welcome to SD No. 53 Community Voice!

Community Voice is a space for our community to share ideas, discuss important topics, provide feedback on policy, planning and contribute to the future of our school district.

Join your community and have your say

SD#53 Budget Consultation Survey

The survey can be found on the online engagement platform: [SD 53 Community Voice](#) and is available for your responses until April 26th.

Link at bottom of email.



Main BCTF Fee stays the same at 1.69%

SIP Fee decreases to 2.02% of your salary (teachers are reimbursed 2% for this)

Clint Johnston elected as President

Main Decision: SIP rolled into its own trust separate from the BCTF and will have its own Board of Governors / Trustees

Provincial Bargaining Priorities Conference May 23-24

DON'T FORGET!

72% of contract teachers responded

Last chance to complete the Bargaining Survey on Prov. Priorities

Sent from this address
sostubargaining@gmail.com via SurveyMonkey

If you did not receive a survey, email sostu@telus.net