

BRANCH PRESIDENTS' WORKSHOP

October 16–17, 2026 • Fern Resort

AGENDA – Day 1

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2026	
9:15 am – 9:55 am	Registration / Light Refreshments
10:00 am – 10:05 am	Land Acknowledgement, Equity and Anti-Harassment Statement
10:05 am – 10:15 am	President's Opening Remarks Michelle Teixeira , OSSTF Toronto President
10:15 am – 10:35 am	Ice-Breaker!
10:35 am – 11:35 am	Educating, Organizing & Mobilizing
11:35 am – 12:05 pm	Provincial Address Martha Hradowy , OSSTF/FEESO President
12:05 pm	Lunch
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm	Legal Update Anna Goldfinch, Naomi Greckol-Herlich, & Sabrina Sukhdeo <i>Goldblatt Partners LLP</i>
2:15 pm – 2:45 pm	Meet your EOs
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm	Break
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Your Branch & You: Navigating Leadership in Your Branch
6:30 pm	Dinner
8:30 pm – 11:00 pm	Hospitality Suite <i>Location: Mary Lou's</i>

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AGENDA – Day 2

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2026	
8:00 am	Breakfast
9:30 am – 10:30 am	Sandra Huh <i>Toronto Education Action Network / Ontario Autism Coalition / Fund Our Schools Campaign</i>
10:30 am – 10:45 am	Alana Gould , Educators Financial Group
10:45 am – 11:00 am	<i>Break</i>
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	What's the Union's Position On...? <i>Understanding Positions vs. Contractual Rights</i>
12:00 pm	Lunch
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm	Leading Through Strike Action: <i>Essential Guidelines for Branch Presidents</i>
2:15 pm – 2:45 pm	Meet Your Health & Safety Inspectors
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm	Wrap-Up

IMPORTANT WORKSHOP NOTES & REMINDERS

- Please wear your workshop name badge at all times for meals and session access.
- Digital copies of workshop materials and resources can be accessed at: <https://linktr.ee/BPworkshop> or scan the QR code at right.
- **Group photo on Saturday - Please wear your sweater!**

