



Palliser District Teachers' Convention Association

Minutes Hi-lights for All Teachers

September 2017

Website: www.pdtca.org

Convention 2018 – February 22nd and 23rd

- **Keynotes Speakers - <http://www.pdtca.org/thursday-morning.html>**
 - **Dr. Kris Wells**
 - **Big Daddy Taz**
 - **TBA**

- **Featured Speakers - <http://www.pdtca.org/other.html>**
 - Greg Jeffery: ATA President
 - Wayne Arthurson, Navaid Aziz, Susan Carter, Carrie Karsgaard, Tad Malmine, Amanda Oling

- **Time - 8:30 am – 4:00 pm on Thursday and 8:30 am – 2:15 pm on Friday**

- **Alternate Professional Development:** Application deadline: **January 10, 2018**
 - <http://www.pdtca.org/alternate-pd-request.html>

- **Pension Interviews:** the link on our website will open on **December 2, 2017**. Blocks are 15 min in length. Link: <http://www.pdtca.org/book-pension-interview.html>

- **Booking Hotel:** Convention website has the link for the **Hyatt Hotel and the Fairmont Palliser Hotel**
Hotel Rates 2018:
 - Hyatt Hotel - Single/Double: \$239.00 plus tax <http://www.pdtca.org/hyatt.html>
 - Palliser Hotel – Single/Double: \$240.00 plus tax <http://www.pdtca.org/fairmont-palliser.html>Or call direct at:
 - **Hyatt Hotel: 717-1234** **Palliser Hotel: 262-1234**

- **Electronic Booklet: Website** will have **full session descriptions** and will be the most up to date source of information www.pdtca.org

- **2017 Convention Online Evaluation Draw Winners:**
 - Steve Whalley - Christ the Redeemer School Division
 - Lisa Homan - Three Drums of Wheat School Division

- **Honorary President 2018 – Cindy Gerodo – Retired teacher from the Three Drums of Wheat Local.** A write up on Cindy Gerodo will be available on the website soon.

- **Questions???** Try the frequently asked questions link on the website, or contact a convention representative from your local. See the website for board member names.