



Dear Members,

We are hugely excited to welcome you for our upcoming SAC Provincial Leadership Conference between the 28th and 30th May 2024 at the wonderful Port Blandford Resort. This will be the first provincial gathering of educational leaders in the province since 2020. This will be a wonderful opportunity to meet your fellow administrators and build lifelong relationships that are critical to administrator growth and wellness.

We will begin on Tuesday 28th May at 9am with a 50 person Pre Conference with the amazing Jen Schwanke (@JenSchwanke) with a focus on instructional leadership, and guiding our buildings forward through the power of relationships.

Our main conference event will begin on the evening of the 28th May at 7pm and will continue through the 28th and 29th finishing up around 2pm. We are excited to welcome speakers including Jen Schwanke as our keynote speaker, along with Dr. Pamela Osmond Johnson (Dean of the Faculty of Education at MUN), and various other experts from around the province.

Sessions will include Administrator Wellness, Coaching Conversations, Trauma Informed Learning, Recognizing Diversity, Collective Agreement Considerations, New Administrator Information, Data Literacy, School Development Planning and a whole host of others. We are excited to welcome presenters from NL Schools, the NLTA, the Department of Education, and Memorial University. We thank all of these organizations for their enthusiastic support of the conference.

The cost of the conference will be \$350 with an additional \$100 for those attending the pre conference.

You can Register [HERE](#) at our Conference Website and check out the conference agenda.

There are limited spaces available so we recommend registering early to avoid disappointment!

Conference fees can be paid by Purchase Order- The Vendor is SAC Region 9

You can also pay by cheque:

Cheques should be made payable to:

Avalon West SAC Region 9

Box 260

Avondale, NL

AOA 1B0

Please be aware that some of our members have identified leave and finances as barriers to their participation. We continue to work with our partners to help mitigate some of these barriers and further information will follow on additional support available. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to any members of the organizing committee listed below.

We look forward to welcoming you and thank everyone for their input so far.

Alun Young
Conference Chair

SAC Provincial Leadership Conference Organizing Committee

Chairperson- Alun Young

Registration - Carolyn Stacey & Lionel Porter

Communications / Sponsorship- Charlene Caines & Rodney Hodder

Treasurer- Eddie Russell

Secretary- David Crane

Entertainment- Jamie Kieley

Presenters - Owen Matchim

Food/Accommodation- Dave Penney