



Local 1 Canada

OFL Convention

SEIU's Executive Board members are scheduled to attend the OFL Convention in Nov. SEIU's Board and Officers extend thanks to retiring OFL President Wayne Samuelson and Secretary Treasurer Irene Harris for their many accomplishments within the labour movement.

Balanced Budget

Nadia Bliakharsky, SEIU Local 1 Canada's Director of Finance, reported to the Executive Board that the Local's budget performance in 2009 is balanced and remaining projections are excellent.

Headquarters Fund

The Local's search for a new multi-use headquarters that can house member events, training, and conferences, as well as function as an administrative centre, is progressing. The Executive Board continues to support a building fund plan to save money and offer greater versatility for member use, rather than continue with SEIU's rented headquarters.

Continuing Agenda Items

- Nursing Home Bargaining

NEXT MEETING: Nov. 2009

PRESIDENT'S EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING SUMMARY: 18 September 2009

SEIU raises \$20,000 for Starlight foundation

The 3rd Annual SEIU Brooke Lynn Charity Golf Tournament was a huge success. SEIU members, staff, friends and family added \$20,000 to the \$35,000 already raised by SEIU in 2007 and 2008!

The event was held at the Cardinal Golf Course in Kettleby, ON, on Sept. 14, where 127 golfers participated along with 30 sponsors.

The money raised goes to Starlight Children's Foundation, which supports families with children suffering from chronic and life-threatening disease.

SEIU founded its charity golf tournament in memory of Brooke Lynn Brunetta, whose father, Steven, and brother, Eric, both work for SEIU.

To make a donation go to:
www.starlightcanada.org.



SEIU members, staff, friends and family joined SEIU Local 1 Canada in supporting Starlight Children's Foundation in Sept.

SEIU making submission on Standard of Care for Long Term Care facilities

SEIU is preparing a submission to the Ontario health ministry outlining SEIU's recommendations for mandatory minimum standards of care for patients in LTC facilities.

SEIU demands a minimum of 3.5 hours of care per patient per day.

Provincial Hospital Bargaining Update

Provincial hospital bargaining for 37 SEIU hospitals began Aug. 10. Since then, the Executive Board learned, the SEIU Bargaining Committee has stuck firmly to our hospital members' bargaining priorities.

For bargaining updates go to our website: www.seiulocal1.org.

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