

2023 Prairie/Northwest Territories

Training Committee Chair Report

The Prairie/NWT Region Training Committee is comprised of:

- Pam Kubicz (chair)
- Katy Windl
- Courtney Walker
- Hugo Buttau
- Samah Henein

The duties and responsibilities of the regional training committee are:

- o Reviewing, monitoring, and strategically advising on regional training issues, with the focus being on building a vibrant and healthy steward network and making PIPSC attractive to volunteers.
- o Providing advice to the Regional Executive concerning Institute training programs and the recruitment and training of Stewards.
- o Accountable to the Regional Executive.

For more details, please refer to the Committee Terms of Reference

- o The Prairie/NWT Regional Training Committee met on Oct 21, 2022, on March 3, 2023 and June 2, 2023.
- o Basic Steward training was held in the Prairies/NWT in both October 2022 and March 2023 in Winnipeg and Edmonton respectively. Stewards in waiting were contacted and attended the training. An update was done to the steward in waiting list and it was completed removing uninterested members.
- o Several Ask an ERO was held throughout the year. This training is ongoing and stewards are welcome to join in and ask our qualified and friendly ERO's questions.
- o Steward Council was held in September 2022 in Edmonton. Stewards from across the region were trained in a variety of sessions.
- o Labour School was held in Edmonton from April 27-29, 2023. Two modules were offered:
 - o How systemic oppression and racism operates in my workplace.
 - o How to be an inclusive leader
- o Upcoming Training Events for 2023 are as follows:
 - o Ask an Employment Relations Officer – June 21, 2023 – virtual.
 - o Steward Council- Sept 22-23, 2023 at the Delta Hotel Winnipeg.
 - o Basic Steward training is to be held October 25-28 at the Delta hotel in Winnipeg.
 - o October 27-28 Executive training at the Delta Hotel in Calgary.

Respectfully submitted, Pam Kubicz, Training and Education Chair of the PNWT Region.