

THE Accent

Prince Edward Island Union of Public Sector Employees

PEI UPSE's Family Fun Day

Sunday, July 28, 2013

The Union of Public Sector Employees is pleased to announce that Family Fun Day will take place on Sunday, July 28, 2013. Tickets are \$6 each and can be purchased through your Local Director or by contacting the union office at 892-5335, toll free at 1-800-897-8773, or email peiupse@peiupse.ca.



The Shining Waters Family Fun Park provides great summer fun for the whole family. Your ticket is valid only on Sunday, July 28, 2013 and food vouchers will be available at the gate for \$6. Children under thirty-six inches will not require a ticket. The Family Fun Park is open from 10 am to 7 pm - please come out and enjoy some summer fun!

Note:

Tickets for Family Fun Day cannot be purchased at the door. They must be purchased in advance through your Local Director or the PEI UPSE office.

Welcome to UPSE Course - July 19

Correction: The Welcome to UPSE course will run on July 19 at 9:00 am at the union office. In the last Accent the date was set for September 19. ***The correct date is July 19.***

- learn more about your union
- learn about UPSE's history and evolution in Prince Edward Island
- learn about the union's structure, how it works
- learn about the tools you need to carry out your role within the union effectively

Please register online (www.peiupse.ca - see "events") or contact the union office to register at 902-892-5335, toll free 1-800-897-8773 or email peiupse@peiupse.ca by July 12, 2013.

The Accent is an internal publication of the Prince Edward Island Union of Public Sector Employees. Comments, questions, concerns and suggestions should be sent to: Mark Barrett, PEI UPSE Communications and Campaigns Officer, at mbarrett@peiupse.ca.

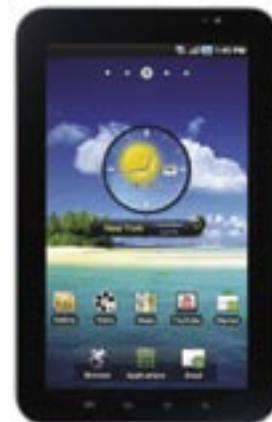
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PEI UPSE is proud to represent over 5000 members in the public and private sectors.

UPSE members: **WIN** a tablet by updating contact information

The union encourages all members to take an active role in the union by keeping up-to-date on union news and issues. To ensure you receive the most recent UPSE communication materials, please update your contact information with the union. By doing so, you will be automatically entered into a draw and eligible to win a new tablet. The winner of the draw will be contacted, and an announcement will be made in September, 2013.



Note: tablet may not be identical to the picture above.

To update your contact information go to our website (www.peiupse.ca) and click on "**forms.**" Then click on a form called "**change of address**" or "**update contact information.**" Fill in the form and click "**submit form.**"

You can also update your contact information by calling Tammy Laybolt at the union office at **902-892-5335** or toll free at **1-800-897-8773**.

Did you know that Labour Rights are Human Rights ...

June 14, 1872

In June of 1872 Parliament made unions legal with the *Trade Union Act*.

June 7, 2007

In June of 2007 the Supreme Court of Canada ruled that labour rights are human rights! The court declared for the first time that collective bargaining rights are protected by the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms and are also a fundamental aspect of Canadian society predating the Charter.

