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ANTHONY PARETTO
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Paretto Announces Re-Election Bid to Niagara Falls City School District Board of Education



Tony Paretto officially launched his campaign for re-election to the Niagara Falls School District Board of Education in April. Having been first elected to the board in 2013, Paretto vowed to continue his dedicated service to the students and families of Niagara Falls and to remain committed to his goal of providing access to greater opportunities for all students in public schools.

Paretto is a City of Niagara Falls electrician and worked for over 20 years as a union electrician. He resides in LaSalle with his wife Sue and three children, daughter Kaitlyn, a student at Niagara Falls High School, and sons Michael and Anthony, both NFHS graduates.

Citing the strong leadership of school Superintendent Mark Laurie and an active and committed school board, Paretto echoed a district motto: "Learning For All ... Whatever It Takes" in expressing his gratitude to the voters for voting him onto the board five years ago and asking again for their vote in the election to be held on May 15.

He added: "I take the responsibility of serving on the school board very seriously, have an excellent meeting attendance record and have vigorously championed causes that I believe support the vision statement of the district to be a world-class,

quality organization educating all students for life."

Paretto listed several key areas in which he has a keen interest, and which will remain high on his personal agenda should he be re-elected. The areas include:

Student protection. Nothing is more important than the safety of our students and staff. We must continue the district's emphasis on best practices and protocols to govern emergency and crisis situations. STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math). The Niagara Falls is the only district in the State to construct dedicated STEM classrooms in every

Vocational training. Trott and LaSalle H.S. had strong vocational programs that are gone, so Paretto supports the continued addition of vocational studies at the level below secondary school, at night for those already in the workforce who are

seeking skills training and increased collaboration with union halls in training and hiring.

Pre-K for 3-year-old children. Noting the success achieved during the two years the program has been in place, Paretto supports efforts to identify adequate funding to expand the program to coverage throughout the city.

Continued capital construction. A State funded project of nearly \$70 million is complete and \$55 million in additional projects were approved in December 2017. Both programs are funded without any increase in the district tax levy.

School board member Paretto ended his announcement by stating: "If the voters put their trust in me for a second term they will not be disappointed. My commitment to cost control while maintaining and improving the quality of education for all will never waver."

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Lynne Neveu Announces Bid for Niagara Falls City School District Board of Education



Lynne Neveu was born and raised in downtown Niagara Falls and now lives in LaSalle with her husband Patrick. Born into extreme poverty, the Niagara Falls School system was a haven of physical and emotional support for Lynne. She credits Niagara Falls teachers for her ability to get out of the cycle of poverty and now wants to use her talents and experience to support the school district that was crucial to her success.

Lynne has a unique combination of work experience that makes her exceptionally qualified to serve

on the Niagara Falls School Board. With a background in state government working directly on the New York State budget process, Lynne has firsthand knowledge of how to navigate the systems that help fund our school district. She oversaw the process for capital project grants while working for our local Assemblyman and took a leading role in advocating for a greater local share of casino revenue funding. She has great working relationships with elected officials on various levels which will be crucial for securing funds to support our teachers and students.

Most recently, Lynne has been focused on addressing the high teen pregnancy rate through her work with Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York in Niagara County. Knowing that research shows that quality sexual health education reduces unintended teen pregnancies, Lynne worked directly with Superintendent Mark Laurrie and community partners to successfully advocate for comprehensive sexual health

education in our schools. High teen pregnancy rates lower the likelihood of graduation and increase the chances of poverty. Addressing this issue will have a long-term impact on our youth, our schools, and our city.

Lynne has three main goals as a School Board member. She would focus on increasing youth and parent engagement by reducing barriers to participation in decision-making processes. She sees schools as a hub for the community they're in and wants to expand the impact of Niagara Falls Schools. Through deepening relationships with community partners, the school district would gain immense resources which would alleviate the burden of overworked teachers and administrators. Finally, she understands that Niagara Falls' teachers are incredibly capable and passionate and wants to

provide them with the support they deserve by addressing the substitute teacher shortage and increasing access to training on mental health and trauma.

In her spare time, Lynne volunteers with various organizations in our city. She is a Trustee of the Niagara Falls Public Library, on the Board of Directors of the Niagara Falls National Heritage Area, on the Board of Directors for the Niagara Beautification Commission, and also serves as the Chair of the Annual Holiday Home Decorating Contest. She is also a trained docent at Oakwood Cemetery. She recently won the Emerging Leader Award from the Niagara Falls Education Foundation and the Education Award from the YWCA of the Niagara Frontier.

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Ron Barstys Announced Re-Election Bid to Niagara Falls City School District Board of Education



Ronald Barstys is a forty-five year-old father of one, Ryan, who attends Harry F. Abate Elementary and husband to Christine Barstys- a highly talented, respected, tenured, and often-requested English teacher at Niagara Falls High School. He has a bachelor's degree in environmental studies from the State University of New York at Buffalo, along with a master's of science de-

gree in secondary teacher education, and a master's of science degree in school district administration & supervision- both from Niagara University.

Mr. Barstys is currently working toward a PhD in Leadership and Policy at Niagara University and enjoys a permanent certification as a school district administrator.

Throughout his tenure as a teacher, Mr. Barstys has taught earth science, environmental science, and living environment classes for the school district. He was a Dean of Students at Niagara Falls High School before being appointed to the Administration Building for five-plus years where his work centered on: curriculum and assessments, grants, substitute for school principals, be a Niagara Falls Community Partnership for Youth member, and was an integral part of the District's large-scale consolida-

tion in 2008.

He has also been a union representative for the Niagara Falls Teachers Union. I have five years of highly successful head coaching experience at the varsity level, and I am a 2008 Leadership Niagara graduate.

As Director of Student Services for the North Tonawanda City School District, he worked as the District's Pre-School Special Education Chairperson, Section 504 Compliance Officer, Civil Rights Officer, Title IX Officer, Dignity for All Students Act Coordinator, Grant Coordinator, ESL Coordinator, and Alternative High School Administrator among many other duties. Mr. Barstys also oversaw school counselors and nurses, as well as social workers, speech therapists, remedial teachers, and school psychologist along with the Director of Special Education.

Currently, as Director of Special Programs with Orleans Niagara BOCES, Mr. Barstys supervises six administrators, nearly two hundred professional staff, over one hundred fifty support staff, and approximately five hundred students ages five to twenty-one. He oversees a budget of approximately \$25 million dollars and serves as an executive member of the District Superintendent's management team.

There is not a part of public education that Mr. Barstys does not have direct knowledge, or experience, in.

"My only motivation in running for the Board is to use this knowledge to do what is best for children by ensuring they have access to a sound and fiscally responsible public education. With your votes, I will be able to put a lifetime of experience to work for you and the children of our community."

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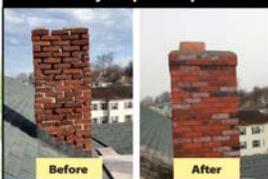
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Shall the following resolution be adopted to-wit:

Shall the Board of Education of the City School District of the City of Niagara Falls be authorized to expend the sums set forth in the proposed 2018-2019 budget in the total amount of \$144,214,871 and to levy the necessary tax?

PROPOSITION NO. 2 – LEASE PURCHASE

Shall the following resolution be adopted to-wit:

Shall the resolution adopted by the Board of Education on March 22, 2018 authorizing the lease-purchase of trucks and tractors for a period not to exceed five years, at a maximum estimated cost of \$650,000, be approved?

CANDIDATES

- 1A. ANTHONY F. PARETTO
- 2A. LYNNE NEVEU
- 3A. RONALD J. BARSTYS

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Restaurant Review: The Griffon Gastropub



Jamie DePetris
Food Expert/Critic

I had the pleasure of having lunch with my sweet niece Samantha today. I gave her the choice of where to go and, to my delight, the Griffon Gastropub, located at 2470 Military Rd. in Niagara Falls, was her choice!

Bradford was our waiter and was such a friendly and delightful person. He was funny, nice, shared conversations and almost talked us into their daily special, the "Kangaroo Burger!"

Although I usually try the specials, I wasn't feeling too adventurous! But as I promised Brad, I will try it for sure a different time.

I started with the "Yellowfin, tuna tostadas," which is Yellowfin tuna seared rare & rubbed with Chinese five spice served on a crispy wonton with slaw mixed with wasabi aioli & sweet chili

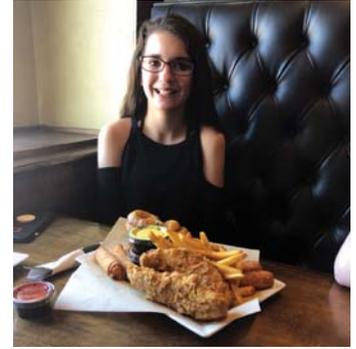
sauce. This was unique in taste and presentation!

I had to look back at the menu to figure out the sharp zing it had, which turned out to be the wasabi. The tuna on top was seared probably no more than a minute to a rare temperature. It was phenomenal!

There were so many delicious-sounding menu choices, but I opted for the "Panko Chicken Sandwich." A chicken breast dredged in panko breading and spices, super tender and juicy in spite of how thick it was it's hard to get it just right and not raw or dried out.

The chicken was topped with crispy smoked applewood bacon, pepperjack cheese melted 'ooey' good, honey bourbon-chipotle remoulade, fresh lettuce and a tomato slice all on top of a toasted ciabatta roll. Just writing that now made my mouth water, and it definitely did after Brad put it down on the table too!

I had the sweet potato fries as my side,



which were out of this world. There wasn't one left! They were tossed in honey butter that glazed each one. A crispy success!

Sam opted for safe food (she didn't want to venture out of her comfort zone) and chose the "pub platter" pizza logs, mozzarella sticks, home-made (HUGE) chicken tenders, fries & onion rings with a multitude of sauces.

When it was served she said, "this is the most food on one plate I have ever seen." I have to admit, she might be right.

I of course tried each different selection on her plate and we both came to the

same conclusion: very, very yummy! We ended with "pillows of love," which I think just about everyone could use some of in their life. Little pillows of fried dough tossed in honey and buttermilk topped with powdered sugar and vanilla, chocolate and raspberry sauces drizzled on top. It was a show-stopping ending for our delicious lunch!

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NORTH TONAWANDA

Krista Vince Garland Seeks Election to N.T. School District Board of Education



Krista Vince Garland is a professor in Exceptional Education at SUNY Buffalo State and was recruited to the western New York area in 2012 from Orlando. Before she moved to New York, Krista was a middle school education teacher. Her husband Dennis is a professor in Excep-

tional Education at Niagara University. Krista and her husband are homeowners in the second ward of North Tonawanda and have enjoyed learning about the history and resilience that unites residents of North Tonawanda. Both believe that NT is on the cusp of renaissance and are excited to be a part of that progress.

Krista believes that vigilance toward school safety and climate should be a top educational priority for the district. School safety is more complex today than ever and it is imperative that our schools are well-prepared for all kinds of safety incidents. There is a need for a continuous district-led effort that is protective, preventative, and proactive. This effort should be ongoing and never become a part of status-quo operations. The district

has absolute responsibility to provide our schools with a system that immediately responds to student incidences and works to prevent crises before they occur. This is not an 'ask' - it is an 'absolute' that must be effectively met.

Attending to a finically judicious budget that reconciles longer-term financial responsibility with positive student outcomes is another priority for Krista. Krista states that she is committed to collaborating with the district, city, businesses, and community services and states that she is comfortable in this arena, having strong experience in managing and directing numerous educational and research grants. Krista reports that she has gained skill in leadership over the last six years at Buffalo State as a College Senator, member of

the College Budget and Staff Allocations Committee, College Curriculum Committee, and the Buffalo State Grant Allocations Committee.

Krista and her husband Dennis have been married for over 23 years and share their home with Dennis's father and three dogs- Stella, Molly, and Lemon. Stella is a registered therapy dog. Krista and Stella volunteer service weekly at schools and skilled nursing facilities. Other areas of community service for Krista include volunteering with the Buffalo Polar Plunge, Special Olympics, Say Yes Buffalo, VOICE, CHANT, and Best Buddies. Krista has been endorsed by the North Tonawanda United Teachers (NTUT), and The Women's Taking Action in Politics (TAP) Fund.

Erik Herbert Seeks Election to N.T. School District Board of Education



I am an active duty veteran of the United States Marine Corps where I served honorably from 2004-2008.

I graduated from NCCC with an Associate's degree and later transferred to Buffalo State College where I completed my Bachelor's degree.

I served as the North Tonawan-

da modified wrestling and assistant varsity coach for 5 seasons under coach Dan Fire. During that time, I also served as the NT Wrestling Hall of Fame chairman.

I currently work as a North Tonawanda police officer where I am assigned to the day shift patrol. I live in Wurlitzer Park with my wife Diana and our 8-year-old son

Caleb, who attends Ohio Elementary School.

I want to serve as an advocate for school safety in our district and on our School Board.

You can find out more by visiting Erikherbert.com.

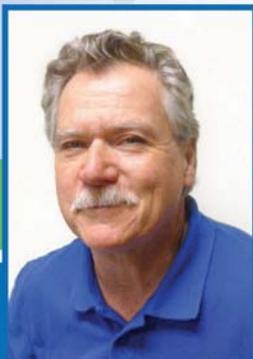
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Erica Robinson Seeks Election to N.T. School District Board of Education



Erica Robinson is a lifelong resident of North Tonawanda. Upon graduating from North Tonawanda High School, she went on to earn her Bachelor's Degree in Finance from Niagara University. Currently, she works in Credit Risk Management for Arbor Realty Trust, a commercial mortgage company in Depew, New York. She and her husband reside in Wurlitzer Park with their two dogs and will be welcoming their first son in August. Erica believes she can bring an academic approach, combined with a local and homegrown perspective to the

board.

When elected to the School Board, Robinson plans to concentrate on school safety as a priority. With recent events, she believes this is an opportunity for the district to examine current safety measures and make appropriate improvements to ensure the utmost safety for students. Robinson feels our schools are what shape our children's future, and should be a place to focus on education rather than feeling unprotected.

In addition to school safety, with Robinson's thorough finance background, she will make sure taxpayers' dollars are used to improve the education system currently offered in North Tonawanda. As a homeowner in the city, Robinson says a budget should be fiscally sound but should also be reflective of strong performance results.

Erica Robinson is committed to the success of students of North Tonawanda and will be dedicated to being the voice of the community to the district.



As National Stand-Down to Prevent Falls Approaches, the Need for Unions Is Clear

Are unionized construction sites safer than non-union ones? As the National Safety Stand-Down to Prevent Falls in Construction approaches, compelling evidence from New York City indicates fatalities from falls and other causes are less likely to occur at union organized construction sites, where safety regulations that help prevent falls are more likely to be followed and workers tend to be better trained. While not incident free, union sites staffed by union workers in New York are proving that experience and a commitment to safety makes a huge difference.

Numbers show that while no one is perfect, the level of safety on construction sites is not the same across the board. What we're seeing in New York is that providing workers with fall protection and fall prevention training can drastically reduce the number of workers who lose their lives from falls. Both LIUNA members and signatory contractors are proud of their commitment to working safely, whether it's only a few feet off the ground or hundreds of feet in the air.

The National Safety-Stand Down raises awareness about the severity of fall hazards in construction and the importance of preventing them. This is significant as falls are consistently a top cause of construction fatalities. In the U.S. alone, falls from ladders, roofs and scaffolds kill more than 200 construction workers every year and seriously injure more than 10,000. The majority of these tragedies happen because adequate fall protection is not provided or because workers are not adequately trained on how to use it. A voluntary weeklong observance, the Stand-Down is held annually to coincide with the beginning of construction's busy season. It stresses the importance of:

- Planning ahead to get the job done safely. Know what tasks will be involved and what type of safety equipment will be needed and deploy fall prevention strategies.
- Providing the right fall protection equipment. Workers at heights of six feet or more must wear personal fall arrest systems (PFAS). Make sure the PFAS fits and is regularly inspected for safe use.
- Training everyone to use equipment safely. Workers need to be trained to properly set up and use all equipment safely and recognize the hazards that make using it necessary.

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Cheryl McMahon Seeks Re-Election to N.T. School Board



Cheryl McMahon, a 25-year resident of North Tonawanda and current Vice President of the school board, is running for her second term in office.

McMahon has a background in social work, earning her bachelor's degree from Empire State College in human resources and a master's degree from Canisius College in community and school health.

McMahon has said there are a number of projects that, if re-elected, she would like "to follow through on."

"We're starting a whole new chapter in the North Tonawanda district," she said. "With changing our middle schools and elementary schools, and there's a lot of great things happening in those areas, so I'd like to follow through with all the

new changes and happenings."

"This is the first time in a long time where we can really start putting programs back in place, which I'm very excited about, and put a concentration on things our children need for mental health which, is really dear to my heart."

Enhancing the classroom experience for special education students across the district is another issue McMahon is dedicated to seeing through.

Additionally, McMahon hopes to continue her push to bring back music and art programs for the young students.

"I always like to see the big picture," said McMahon. "There's an issue for children that are being bullied and there's an issue for kids that bully."

"It all comes down to what's happening in their life at the time. I see a lot of things in my job that I know can be corrected and helped by people caring and trying to work with outreach and different services that people need."

McMahon believes that "school is the epicenter of your community" and "would like to see a lot more community involvement" in the future.

Mario Gregori Seeks Re-Election to N.T. School Board

I am 35 years old and my wife and I are lifelong residents of North Tonawanda. I have two children. My oldest is in 7th grade at North Tonawanda Middle School and my youngest is in 6th grade at Ohio Elementary.

Aside from my general practice based in North Tonawanda, I am an attorney working in the Niagara County Conflicts Office handling a lot of family law cases including abuse, neglect, and custody and visitation.

There are a number of reasons why I would like to be on the North Tonawanda Board of Education. I have two children that will both be in middle school next year. I feel like now I have some time to devote to the community, and I think it is a good time to get in-

involved since we're getting to the point where we need to get serious about their education, and figure out where they want to take it.

My children have been involved in programs ranging from MPP to modified sports. I understand the value these programs have to the district. I'd like to ensure that advanced/extra help classes and extra-curricular activities like these continue to thrive for our children.

Most importantly, a proactive approach to the safety and bullying issues in our schools need to continue to be addressed. Also, this year brings about new challenges and opportunities for the district due to the Capital Improvement Project reconfiguration of the schools.



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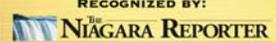
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ANALYSIS

What YOU Need to Know: NF & NT Budget Vote

Madison Ruffo

On May 15, Niagara County taxpayers will take to the polls to vote on how their tax dollars will help their respective school districts. For those in Niagara Falls City School District and North Tonawanda, here's the highlights of the 2018-19 proposed budget changes you should expect to see on the ballot.

Niagara Falls City School District:

Proposition to increase the total amount to \$144,214,871, a 2.34 percent increase from the previous year, with no increase to the tax levy.

Proposition to authorize the lease-purchase of a maximum of \$650,000 in trucks and tractors, \$140,000 of which would be paid off in the 2018-19 academic year.

The Niagara Falls City School District would like to note that if this proposed budget does not pass it could force possible cuts to student supplies, programs and transportation as well as place restrictions on community use of school buildings.

Voting will be open on Tuesday, May 15 from noon to 9 p.m. To find out where you can vote, call District Clerk Ruthel Dumas at (716) 286-4204.

North Tonawanda School Dis-

trict:

Proposition to increase the total amount to \$77,887,449, which is \$4,395,836 more than the previous academic year. In addition, they propose to increase the tax levy by 1.98 percent, totaling \$28,601,055. This increase would add an estimated additional cost of \$44.18 to a \$100,000 household.

Proposition to replace a 22-passenger wheelchair bus and 6-passenger vehicle to be used for student transportation.

Proposition for a \$100,000 Aidable Capital Outlay Project, of which New York State would reimburse 84 percent, to address security

measures in school buildings.

This proposed budget would also restore art classes for kindergarten and first grade, fourth-grade band, elementary counselors, special education teachers for grades K-6, and a 21st century skills librarian to assist grades 4-6 in their STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) curriculum.

Voting for North Tonawanda School District will also occur on Tuesday, May 15 from noon to 9 p.m., and will be located at the Alumni Student Activity Center, 405 Meadow Dr.

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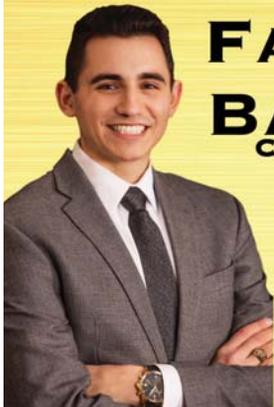
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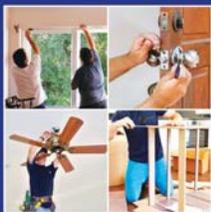
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