

BTU ELECTION 2022 UPDATE



The official newsletter of the
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OFFICER AND DELEGATE ELECTIONS

The Baltimore Teachers Union Officer Election will be held for the following offices:

- President of the BTU (1),
- For the Teacher and PSRP chapters: Chair (1), Vice-Chair (1), Secretary (1), Treasurer (1), Elementary School Vice-Presidents (4), Middle School Vice-Presidents (2), Senior High School Vice-Presidents (2), Special Services Vice-Presidents (3), Vocational Education Vice-President (1), and Members-at-Large (4).

A list of candidates who qualified to run in the Internal Election is listed on the back.

The election for Delegates to the July 14-17, 2022 American Federation of Teachers (AFT) Convention in Boston, MA will also be held at the same time. Seventy-one (71) delegates are to be elected. A list of members who are qualified to run as delegates are listed on the back.

2 VOTING OPTIONS:

1. **Mail-in ballots** will be mailed to all BTU members' home addresses starting on April 22, 2022. **Ballots must be mailed back and received by 5:00pm on Tuesday, May 24, 2022 in order to be counted.** Ballots received by mail after May 24, 2022 will not be counted. Receipt of your mail-in ballot can be checked on the BTU website. **If you do not receive your ballot in the mail, make a mistake on your ballot, or if your ballot is damaged or misplaced, please call 800-273-0726 and request a replacement ballot from American Arbitration Association.**
2. **In-person voting and submitting mail-in ballots by hand** on Wednesday May 25, 2022, from 12:00-6:00pm at the following polling sites:
 - **Baltimore Teachers Union**, 5800 Metro Dr, Baltimore, MD 21215
 - **Southwest Baltimore Charter School #328**, 1300 Herkimer St, Baltimore, MD 21223
 - **Moravia Park Elementary School #105 (Upper Building)**, 6201 Frankford Ave, Baltimore, MD 21206
 - **The Stadium School #15**, 1400 Exeter Hall Ave, Baltimore, MD 21218

VOTING ELIGIBILITY

Voter eligibility is limited to BTU members only. Verification of membership shall be the official computer generated list of members that has been received by April 1, 2022.

All teacher and PSRP members will vote for a Presidential Candidate. For all other offices, teachers will vote for teacher candidates and PSRPs will vote for PSRP candidates. All members will vote for the AFT Convention Delegates. In order to vote in-person, a member must present a government issued ID (BCPSS ID is acceptable.) Members may vote by mail or at any one of the polling sites. If a member votes by mail and in-person at a polling site, the mail-in vote will become invalid.

CHALLENGED BALLOTS

Anyone showing up to vote whose name does not appear on the official BTU membership list may cast a challenged ballot.

There will be **no** proxy voting and **no** write-in candidates.

Candidates (in alphabetical order)

OFFICER ELECTION

TEACHER CHAPTER

President (1)

Diamonté Brown, BTU
Harry Preston V, #377

Chair (1)

Cristina Duncan Evans, BTU
Charnita White, #50

Vice-Chair (1)

Irene Booze, #85
Fareeha Waheed, #11

Secretary (1)

Jocelyn Providence, #415
Jedda Queen, #368

Treasurer (1)

Jacqueline Sterling, #15
Zach Taylor, BTU

Elementary School V.P. (4)

Angela Campbell, #530
Kevin DePeel, #368
Ryan Gholson, #347
Lisa Harrison, #226
Cheryl Lynn Owens, #95
Jennifer Reyes-Cuevas, #27
Brittany Skinner, #368
Tangie Smith, #251

Middle School V.P. (2)

Corey Gaber, BTU
Melissa McDonald, #325
José Torres, #241
Yvette Turner, #341

Senior High School V.P. (2)

Gerimi Belin, #480
Keiristin Harrison, #429
Shelly-Ann Higgins, #178
Michael Pesa, #405
Special Services V.P. (3)
Yaminah Ali, #205
Rodrick Bingham, #450
Diana Desierto, #7
Brittany Johnstone, #432
Steven Mednick, #454
Loria McIntyre, #210

Vocational Education V.P. (1)

Carol Brett, #405
Nicholas McDaniels, #410

Members-At-Large (4)

Raymond English, #325
Kelly Hope, #405
Leilani Jones, #405
Brian Mosher, #203
Franca Muller Paz, #480
Shurndia Reaves, #16
Caroline Schmidt, #403
Michael Stanik, #410

PSRP CHAPTER

President (1)

Diamonté Brown, BTU
Harry Preston V, #377

Chair (1)

Sandra Davis, #433
Keysha Goodwin, #16

Vice-Chair (1)

Shawn McKay, #86
Shari Thomas, #333

Secretary (1)

Calandra Miller, #450
Lisa Ross, #564

Treasurer (1)

Deborah Crockett, #406
Renee Lang, #10

Elementary School V.P. (4)

Arshay Bacon, #217
Angela Brantley, #368
Sophia Carroll, #345
Kellie Knight, #105
Darlene Randall Brown, #60
Shamirror Riley, #62
Ashley Smith, #86
Koli Tengella, #66

Middle School V.P. (2)

Bernard Barber, #62
Takiyah Dingle, #54
George Jackson, #75
Tangela Moore, #234

Senior High School V.P. (2)

Sita Chaitram, #301
Wanda Dew, #122
Valerie Taylor, #325
Arvis Wood, #419

Special Services V.P. (3)

Aaron Bradshaw, #39
Gregory Haskins, #345
Terrone Hill, #419

Secretary (1)

Theresa Howard, #125
Braxton Street, #623

Vocational Education V.P. (1)

Michelle Worsley, #81
Martise Brown, #400
Juanita Ware, #341

Members-At-Large (4)

Ron Beazer, #325
Natasha Butler, #219
Brenda Casillas, #405
Larry Gaines, #15
Deborah Knowles, #405
Victoria Lyons, #232
Darrell Moore, #15
Essence Smith, #377

DELEGATES TO THE AFT CONVENTION ELECTION

Below are members who qualified to run as delegates to the American Federation of Teachers Convention. Seventy-one (71) delegates will be elected.

Yaminah Ali, #205
Amir Ali, #236
Arshay Bacon, #217
Joy Bacon, #415
James Ballentine, #400
Bernard Barber, #62
Ron Beazer, #325
Gerimi Belin, #480
Rodrick Bingham, #450
Joy Bivens, #480
Brandi Boone-West, #301
Irene Booze, #85
Aaron Bradshaw, #39
Angela Brantley, #368
Carol Brett, #405
Kevin Brisbon, #427
LTanya Brooks, #51
Diamonté Brown, BTU
Quiya Brown, #450
Natasha Butler, #219
Kenya Campbell, AFT-MD
Angela Campbell, #530
Michael Canady, #105
Eunice Carr, #164
Sophia Carroll, #345
Brenda Casillas, #405
Sita Chaitram, #301
Cheryl Cookie Colbert, #400
Deborah Crockett, #406

Sandra Davis, #433
Kevin DePeel, #368
Diana Desierto, #7
Wanda Dew, #122
Takiyah Dingle, #54
Cristina Duncan Evans, BTU
Raymond English, #325
Timothy Nathan Ferrell, #348
Tracey Fowlkes, #95
Candace Fryer, #416
Corey Gaber, #654
Kim Gaines, #63
Larry Gaines, #15
Ryan Gholson, #347
Wavie Gibson, #403
Keysha Goodwin, #16
Lanis Gray, #405
Marshall Greaver, #377
Ashton Hampton, #410
Nicole Hankerson-Ingram, #232
Lisa Harrison, #226
Gregory Haskins, #345
Makeda Heard, #223
Gregory Heid, #407
George Hendricks, BTU
Malcomia Henson, #105
Kimberly Hescoc Mooney, #530
Spencer Hickok, #233
Shelly-Ann Higgins, #17

Terrone Hill, #419
Kelly Hope, #405
LaBrina Hopkins, #421
Theresa Howard, #125
George Jackson, #75
Lurita Johnson, #241
Loretta Johnson, Emeritus
Brittany Johnstone, #432
Aila Jones, #10
Leilani Jones, #405
Karen Jones Irby, #405
Shawn Kerr, #410
Kellie Knight, #105
Deborah Knowles, #405
Michael Kranick, #345
Lee Krempel, #450
Renee Lang, #10
Jessica Lawrence, #527
Roger Lyons, #210
Victoria Lyons, #232
Robert Marinelli, #403
Sharon McCollough, #122
Carla McCoy, #421
Nicholas McDaniels, #410
Melissa McDonald, #325
Brendan McFadden, #233
Loria McIntyre, #210
Shawn McKay, #86

Steven Mednick, #454
Calandra Miller, #450
Darrell Moore, #15
Tangela Moore, #234
Brian Mosher, #203
Franca Muller Paz, #480
Esther Ndati, #223
Michael Newhouse, #243
Cheryl Owens, #95
Donielle Paige Mabson, #21
Dorothea Palmer, #400
Chris Patterson, #85
Delana Penn, #421
Michael Pesa, #405
Tamika Peters, #64
Amber Phelps, #480
Harry Preston, #377
Jessica Providence, #415
Jedda Queen, #368
Darlene Randall Brown, #60
Shurndia Reaves, #16
Evette Reid, #384
Jennifer Reyes-Cuevas, #27
Robyn Richie, #406
Shamirror Riley, #62
Litarsha Robinson, #245
Chanee Robinson, #21
Sena Robinson, #81

Lisa Ross, #564
Caroline Schmidt, #403
Iris Senior Berrain, #371
Morgan Showalter, #362
Genell Sippio, #225
Essence Smith, #377
Tangie Smith, #251
Ashley Smith, #86
Daniel Solomon, #105
Tynisha Squire, #454
Michael Stanik, #410
Charlene Stewart, #125
Braxton Street, #623
Zach Taylor, #BTU
Valerie Taylor, #325
Shari Thomas, #333
Geraldina Thompson, #201
José Torres, #241
Yvette Turner, #341
Brenae Umeozulu, #86
Jenni Van Ausdall, #239
Fareeha Waheed, #11
Juanita Ware, #341
Matthew Warner, #683
Charnita White, #50
Shanea Williams, #454
Arvis Wood, #419
Michelle Worsley, #81