

# Quebec Federation of Home and School Associations FALL CONFERENCE 2017

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**Pierre Elliott Trudeau Elementary**  
490 Bourget Vaudreuil-Dorion, Quebec J7V 6N2

**Education in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century : the Next Twenty Years**

## Keynote Speakers:

**Mr. Michael Canuel:** CEO of LEARN Quebec, Chairman and a Founder of the Canadian e-Learning Network as well as creator and co-developer of a flourishing educational project in Southeast Asia.

**Mr. Noel Burke M.Ed.** - P.P.C.C. Leadership Teacher, Consultant, & Coach nEDworks Consulting, Montréal, Canada. Noel Burke is a well-known champion of Lifelong Learning, a successful agent of change, and a sought-after consultant and speaker on educational and institutional innovation.

## **Workshops**

- **Online Payments options- Tana Ghosh, QFHSA**  
An introduction to the best ways of integrating online payments into your fundraising campaigns and Home and School activity payments.
- **Diamond Relations: H&S, Governing Board, Staff & Administration and School Boards- Rosemary Murphy and Rhonda Boucher, QFHSA**  
Learn how to navigate relations between the four key players in school activity.

- **Email Etiquette- Luigi Di Fillippo, Assistant Director for Technology, EMSB-**  
Email has become a critical component of our everyday, both in our professional and personal lives. More and more, Home and School communications depend on striking the right balance between informal communications and following the best business communication practices.
- **Art Comes to School- Deirdre Potash, ArtWill Studios**  
Along with social and academic skills, there is still an important place for students to learn how to express themselves creatively, especially in the 21st century.
- **Teen Depression- Family Resource Center-** How to tell the difference between typical teenage angst, desire for privacy and laziness and signs of depression and psychosis. When to be concerned.
- **Full of Character- Corey Szwarcok, Dynamix-** Social skills and leadership, along with knowing the right thing to do, is as important today as ever. Character development is not an easy task, but it can be a fun one! Equip your children with the tools they need to make better choices in life.

Regional Council Meetings and Lunch will round out the day's activities

### **About the Quebec Federation of Home and School Associations-**

The Quebec Federation of Home and School Associations (QFHSA) was officially inaugurated in May 1944 and was incorporated by Letters Patent under the Quebec Companies Act in August 1959.

QFHSA is an independent, incorporated, not-for-profit volunteer organization dedicated to enhancing the education and general wellbeing of children and youth. QFHSA promotes the involvement of parents, students, educators and the community at large in the advancement of learning and acts as a voice for parents. We are a federation of local Home and School Associations driven by one objective: to provide a caring and enriched educational experience for students. The over four thousand (4,000) family members of Home and School Associations come from all sectors of society: working parents, stay-at-home parents, grandparents, educational professionals and other ordinary citizens with an interest in maintaining a high level of education in this province.

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