



MDAC News



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Dates to Remember:

- **TMDAC meetings:**
 - January 16, 2017
 - March 20, 2017
 - July 17, 2017
 - October 23, 2017
 - December 4, 2017Christmas dinner/meeting
- **HMDAC meetings:**
 - Meeting Dates for 2017
TBD
- **Ontario Council meeting:**
 - February 24-25, 2017
- **Ontario Council Equity Open House**
 - March 2017
- **7th Triennial PSAC Ontario Convention:**
 - May 26-28, 2017

International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPD).
National Theme for 2016: “Achieving 17 Goals for the Future We Want”.



The Toronto MDAC celebrated the International Day of Person with Disabilities on Dec 3rd by providing a video on “**Everyone is Able**”, and had some discussions about the video, and the Duty to Accommodate.



PSAC Treasury Board Bargaining

<http://psacunion.ca/employer/treasury-board>

Significant Human Rights

Dates:

Black History Month

- February

International Women's Day

- March 8th

**International Day for the
Elimination of Racial
Discrimination**

- March 21st

International Youth Day

- August 12th

**International Day of the
Blind**

- November 13th

**Transgender Day of
Remembrance**

- November 20th

**International Day for the
Elimination of Violence
Against Women**

- November 25th

**International Day of
Disabled Person**

- December 3rd

**National Day of
Remembrance and Action
on**

Violence Against Women

- December 6th

**Human Rights Day in
recognition of the signing
of the UN Declaration of**

Human Rights

- December 10th

FIX PHOENIX PAY SYSTEM !

The federal government is responsible for paying public service workers on time and accurately. If you've been affected click on the link below to find out what you can do.

File a compensation claim



Questions about Phoenix?



<http://psacunion.ca/fix-phoenix>

Every year the Toronto Members with Disability Access Committee participates in the Labour Day Parade by renting a van for members with disabilities to be able to participate on that day.



<http://www.psc.com/ontario/>

<http://www.psc.com/>

PSAC Online Training
<http://learn.vubiz.com/ChAccess/PSAC/Default.asp>

APSAR
<http://www.psc-afpc.org/about/apsar/home-e.shtml>

Ontario Federation of Labour
<http://www.ofl.ca/>

Canadian Labour Congress
<http://canadianlabour.ca/>

AODA Alliance
www.aodaalliance.org/

**Canadian Human Rights
Commission**
<http://www.chrc-ccdp.gc.ca/>

**Public Service Labour Relations
Board**
www.pslrb-crtfp.gc.ca/decisions

The Rose Centre
www.therosecentre.ca

Abilities Magazine
<http://www.abilities.ca>

Variety Village
<http://www.varietylvillage.ca/>

TTC Accessibility

Spinal Cord Injuries
<http://odenetwork.com/>

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