

## History

In November 1996, fourteen retired principals and vice-principals met to form a provincial organization. From

this modest beginning and through the dedicated efforts of many individuals, the Association has grown to a membership of more than 475 around the province.

### Association presidents

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1996-1998	Ron Colthorp
1998-2000	Ron Bain
2000-2002	Gerry Retallick
2002-2004	Graham Leask
2004-2006	Nick Parker-Jervis
2006-2008	Gord Wallington
2008-	Joy Ruffeski

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### Benefits of Membership

- Our newsletter is normally published four times each year and includes timely news about our Association and programs, BCPVPA updates, travel news, member contributions and other items of interest.
- Excellent group rates and services with Johnson Inc. for trip cancellation, travel medical insurance and home insurance.
- Participation in the BCPVPA's affinity programs offering favourable rates on many services including; hotels and resorts, vehicle purchasing and leasing, car rentals, and phone services.
- Group rates with Collette Vacation tours designed for BCRPVPA members and a 10% discount for members on any Collette tour.
- Information about employment opportunities.
- Regular updates regarding the Teachers' Pension Plan and benefits.
- Access to the BCPVPA and the BCRPVPA web site.

## BCRPVPA

The BC Retired Principals' & Vice-Principals' Association is a group of retired

professionals with common goals and interests.

The purposes of the BCRPVPA are:

- To promote the interests and welfare of its members
- To communicate to members regarding issues of common interest and the activities of the association
- To encourage and foster liaison among members and active principals and vice-principals
- To support deserving young people by providing scholarships or bursaries annually

The BCRPVPA executive is elected annually at the spring AGM and is responsible for carrying out the Association's goals and serving its members.

There are four meetings held each year. Meetings begin at 10 am and consist of a business session and a guest speaker followed by a no-host lunch. The meetings are held at the BCPVPA office or at other lower mainland venues.

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### Affiliations

The BCRPVPA maintains an active affiliation and relationship with the BC Principals' and Vice-Principals' Association and has observer status at BCPVPA Chapter Council meetings. We appreciate the active and direct support of the BCPVPA.

The association has a representative on the BC Retired Teachers' Pension Committee.

The Association endeavors to maintain contact with other organizations to keep informed about issues affecting retirees.

## Fees

The Association fee is determined at the Annual General Meeting. The fee this year is \$15 per year and it is paid through an annual deduction from the member's July pension cheque.

An application form is included with this brochure.



The B.C. Retired Principals' & Vice-Principals' Association is your provincial organization

