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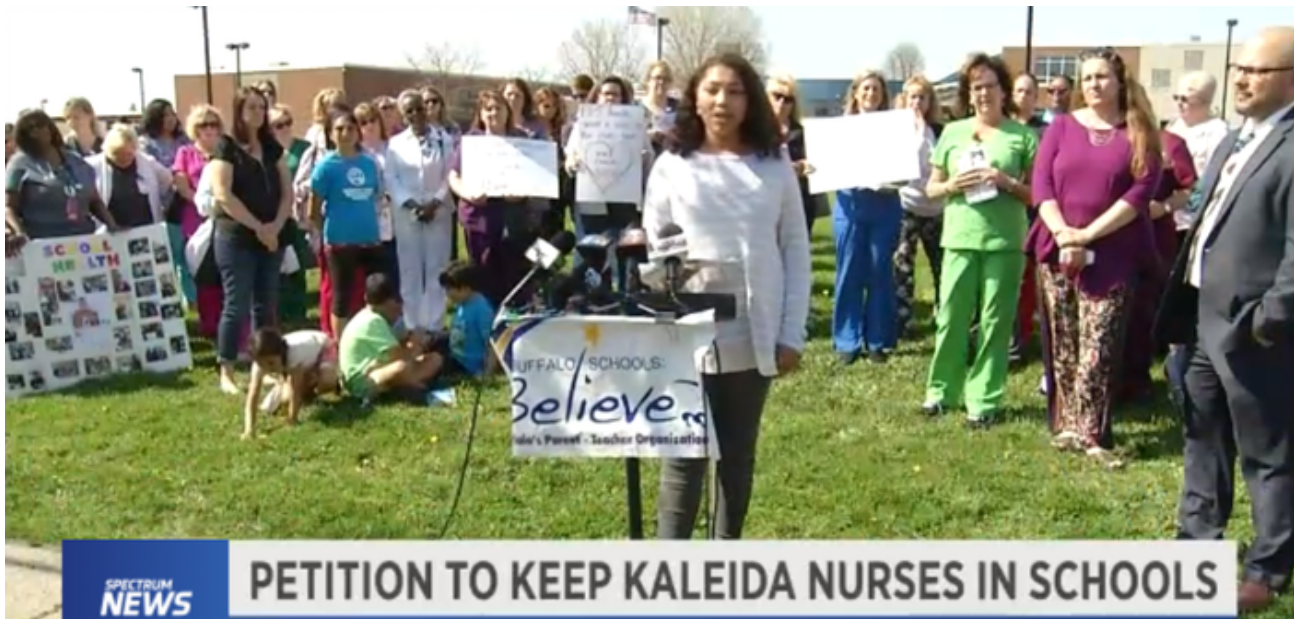


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KALEIDA NURSES, CITY AID TO BPS, & BPTO MONTHLY MEETING

MAY 14, 2018



Last Wednesday, the BPTO hosted a press conference in solidarity with our all Kaleida Nurses which was attended by all local news media. At Wednesday's BOE Meeting, we will deliver the BPTO petition to **Keep Kaleida Nurses**, which has almost **2,500 signers**, to the BOE and Superintendent. Of the 30 speakers signed up to speak at the BOE meeting, **26 will be speaking on Nurses**. We need the BOE to reset this process and include the voice of parents and community in determining health services for our children!

Click here to Sign & Share the Petition!

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This past January, hundreds of residents went to City Hall for City Budget Public Engagement Day to tell the Common Council how Buffalo should spend **\$500 million dollar City Budget**.

Buffalo residents will have a **final public hearing** to hold the Common Council accountable to the demands of city residents. Common Council can approve, deny, or re-assign funds for the 2018 city budget.

To hold the Common Council **accountable** to your community needs,
we need you to be at the final public hearing!



Make your voice heard at the
FINAL City Budget Public Hearing

Bring a friend, bring a neighbor, and bring your proposal on how the City of Buffalo should be spending our \$500 Million Dollar budget.

Tuesday, May 15th, 2018
City Hall, Council Chambers (13th Floor)
65 Niagara Street Buffalo NY 14202
from 5:00— 7:30PM

If you have questions or would like to know more about how the City spends our tax dollars,
call Brian at (716) 852-3813




FINAL City Budget Public Hearing

If you truly want to prevent cuts, have more music, art, librarians, and mental health professionals, keep all of our added PE teachers, and increase staff to implement restorative practices with fidelity, then you need to attend and speak at this meeting to demand more city aid to Buffalo Schools!

The Mayor has proposed an increase in property taxes and user fees and *NOT* proposed any increase in his budget to Education, meanwhile the police dept will see another increase of \$2 million and developers will get more tax breaks and subsidies. The city contributes the lowest percentage to education compared to all other big city school districts. If city spending on education kept pace with inflation over the past 13 years it would be \$16 million dollars higher. It's up to our city council to stand up to amend the budget to invest in our youth and in their education and not be a rubber stamp for the Mayor.

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BPTO Monthly Meeting

The Buffalo Parent-Teacher Organization will host its Monthly Meeting this Saturday, May 19, 2018, at East High Library. On the agenda:

1. A conversation with **NYS Bd. of Regent** Dr. Catherine Collins

2. Say Yes Summer Camp: Mr. Dan Cross-Viola
 3. BPTO Nominations for two Co-Chairs and Treasurer for the 2018-19 school year
- Continental breakfast** will be served at 8:30 a.m. and the meeting will commence at 9:00 a.m. and adjourn at 11:30 a.m.

All parents, caregivers, students, and staff are welcome. Join us!

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PARENTS, TEACHERS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS
PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE NEXT PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
Community Leadership Council

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 2018 • 5 PM - 7 PM

DELANVAN GRIDER COMMUNITY CENTER

877 East Delavan Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14215

Come hear an update about what Say Yes Buffalo and its partners are doing to increase high school and college graduation rates for Buffalo public school students, meet the Say Yes team and ask questions.

The Say Yes Community Leadership Council (CLC) meets three times a year and is made up of parents and civic leaders who represent constituencies who are engaged and benefit from the Say Yes Buffalo Initiative. Collectively, they inform direction and monitor outcomes for Say Yes Buffalo.

Dinner and refreshments will be served

REGISTER TO ATTEND AT WWW.SAYYESBUFFALO.ORG





Join Our Team

BPTO Website (<http://buffaloptorg.wixsite.com/so/4MDW5FBN/click?w=LS0tDQowYTgwYWYzNC05MTY1LTRkOGUtMDV IOS1hNjBhMWIxYmViNTENCmh0dHA6Ly9idWZmYWxvcHRvcmcud2l4c2l0ZS5jb20vYnVmZmFsb3B0bw0KLS0t>)

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On Twitter: @BPTO_BuffPTO

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