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Employee engagement



ENMAX has announced that they have engaged a consultant to help them receive feedback from you their employees. They will be using this information to help them plan for the future. This will include their Human Resources plan.

We would encourage all members to participate fully and use this opportunity to provide meaningful feedback on how you feel about ENMAX, its policies and the way you are treated. It is only with your participation and honest feedback that this process will provide meaningful results.

2014-2016 Collective Agreement

We are proof-reading the collective agreement prior to it going to print. We hope to distribute them sometime over the summer.

Union members volunteer for charity running Stampede parking lot

This year marks the 21st anniversary of Unions running the parking lot at Building "E" at Manchester for Stars Air Ambulance. Last year the Water Services parking lot was added which allowed the group to increase its donation substantially to Stars.

This year we have once again received permission from the City to use these lots during the weekend and after hours for this worthwhile cause. If you are planning to attend the Stampede we hope that you will consider supporting Stars as the rates charged are extremely competitive with other parking in the area.

If you would like to get involved, and are willing to provide one evening or weekend for a couple of hours to help with this worthwhile cause, please contact our office at (403) 233-2700. It is a lot of fun to meet other union employees as well as people from around the world. Many of the out of town guests are appreciative of the local information we as employees can provide.



Final Scholarship Reminder!

The two—\$1,000.00 each, scholarships are still up for grabs. Reminder for applicants to get their 1,000 word essay in by the August 22, 2014 deadline. Reminder that this scholarship is for our members' children. Students employed and paying dues to Local 38 on the August 22nd deadline also qualify.



Essays may be submitted to our office by email to: office@cupe38.org or through the internal mail, to mail code: 132.

Further details are available on our website at www.cupe38.org in the "For Members" section, or by calling our office at (403) 233-2700.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH



"Always remember to fall asleep with a dream and wake up with a purpose"

Anon

Volunteer opportunities

Stampeder Football Games—Women's Center

The United Way and the Women's Centre are looking for volunteers to work as ushers at future Stampeder's Football Games. It is a ton of fun—there's free parking, food vouchers and the opportunity to watch (most of) the game for free!

Ushering at Stampeder's football games is a major fundraising event for the Women's Centre. They are partly funded by United Way and FCSS (City of Calgary). The balance of their budget, over 50%, is raised through donations and fundraising activities. For each game they need 36-40 volunteers. Adult women and men are welcome and you can sign-up individually or as a group. Time commitment is 4 to 4½ hours each game. To sign up or for more information, contact **Filsan** at (403)264-1155 or filsan@womenscentrecalgary.org

More information on this volunteer opportunity is also available on our website at www.cupe38.org in the "For Members" section.

Labour Day B-B-Q

The Calgary & District Labour Council holds an annual B-B-Q for the homeless and working poor every year at Olympic Plaza in recognition of Labour Day. This event provides entertainment, food and free used books to interested citizens within the target group. If you are interested in helping out, please contact our office at (403) 233-2700.



GENERAL MEETING
Tuesday, JUNE 24, 2014
7:00 p.m
Union Office
1439—9th Avenue South East



BUSINESS: REGULAR

Upon adjournment of this meeting there will be a small social.
There are no meetings in July and August therefore there will
not be a CUPE Connection until September.

Enjoy your summer!



Labour Day BBQ
Hosted by Calgary & District Labour Council

Monday, September 1st 11:00 am
at
Olympic Plaza

Hope to see everyone there!