

CUPE WIRE

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Scholarships Available



CUPE Local 38 offers two scholarships in the amount of \$1,000.00 each, to be awarded in October of each year. These scholarships are open to card carrying members, or their eligible dependents. Each applicant must be enrolled in full-time, post-secondary studies, and they must submit a one thousand (1,000) word essay on *one* of the following topics:

- 1) The challenges facing unions in Alberta over the next 20 years; or
- 2) The relevance of unions in Canadian society; or
- 3) The role of the labour movement in the global environment.

The essays will be assessed on the following criteria: quality of research, degree of analysis, and adherence to the chosen topic. Submissions will be evaluated by CUPE Local 38's Public Relations and Education Committee. Please note that all submissions must clearly indicate the chosen topic.

Entries can be submitted by email or fax. Email attachments should be in Microsoft Word format. Proof of enrollment must also be provided at the time of submission. The deadline for submission is August 22, 2014. Successful applicants will be advised by letter and CUPE Local 38 reserves the right to publish the names and essays of the winners.

For further information, please contact Local 38 at 403-233-2700 or by email at office@cupe38.org

Send your kid to camp!



The Alberta Federation of Labour is holding its 18th Annual Kids' Camp August 4—8, 2014 at the Goldeye Centre near Nordegg on Goldeye Lake.

The camp is open to kids ages **eight to fifteen** years. The camp goals are for kids to have fun in a positive and safe environment. As well, kids will develop problem solving skills and learn to work with others. Recreational activities are: canoeing, wall climbing, horseback riding, rappelling, group challenges, crafts and swimming.

The cost is \$450.00 per child. A motion to sponsor four (4) children will be going to our May regular meeting. If you are a member of CUPE Local 38 and wish to have your child sponsored, please send a letter to the union office stating why you would like to send your child.

You can send your letter by internal mail to mail code #132, email to office@cupe38.org or fax to (403) 290-1757. We will decide who should receive the sponsorship by **June 6th**, so get your letters in soon.

If you don't wish to have your child sponsored but would like to make enquiries to send your child, contact the Alberta Federation of Labour at 780-483-3021.

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

"All our dreams come true if we have the courage to pursue them"

Walt Disney

GENERAL MEETING



Tuesday, MAY 27, 2014

7:00 p.m.

Union Office

1439—9th Avenue South East

BUSINESS: Committee Elections

COMMITTEE ELECTIONS:

- 1) One (1) Trustee—term expires April, 2016
- 2) Occupational Health & Safety Committee (5 members)
- 2) PR & Education Committee (5 members)
- 3) Social Committee (5 members)
- 4) Equal Opportunities Committee (5 members)
- 5) Seven (7) Delegates to CUPE District Council
- 6) Delegates to Calgary & District Labour Council