

2023 CUPE ATLANTIC WEEKLONG SCHOOL

**SUNDAY, JUNE 25
to
FRIDAY, JUNE 30**

Develop leadership skills, learn how to mobilize your membership, develop a better understanding of labour history in order to plan for a future that is committed to a fairer tomorrow for all members.

Learn the basics of stewarding, including filing grievances, representing members in front of management and the role capitalism plays in worker's lives. We will explore how building strong steward networks is part of building workers' solidarity more broadly.



The Wilds Resort
299 Salmonier Line
Holyrood, NL A0A 2R0
709-229-5444

<https://thewilds.ca/>

Who Can Attend?

The school is open to all CUPE members.

NOTE:

Locals must register a minimum of 3 members to be eligible to participate in the Executive Reboot Program.

Please register online at:

<http://cupe.ca/union-education>

Class sizes will be limited to approximately 15-20 participants. Participants will be registered on a first-come, first-choice basis.

Code of Conduct

All participants are advised that a high standard of trade union behaviour is expected of them. All forms of harassment are unacceptable. Incidents will be dealt with in a fair and quick fashion and in accordance with the CUPE Code of Conduct. The CUPE Education Representative has the right to send participants home without refund for inappropriate behaviour.

Scent-Free

Facilitators and participants are asked to refrain from using scented products while attending our workshops and meetings.

Accommodation

Accommodation will be assigned on a first come basis. We have double and single occupancy hotel rooms booked for participant use. Please indicate your preference on the registration form.

Meals

Please note on the registration form any special dietary needs you have. The registration fee includes all meals, accommodations and workshops. **All meals will be provided at The Wilds**

2023 CUPE ATLANTIC REGION WEEKLONG SCHOOL:

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

May 19, 2023

FEES DEADLINE:

May 26, 2023

HOTEL ROOMS:

\$1,100 - double occupancy

\$1,400 - single occupancy

Please make cheque payable to:

CUPE

MAIL PAYMENT TO:

Monette Comeau
CUPE Yarmouth Area Office
1-C Second Street
Yarmouth, NS B5A 1T4

General Information

All participants are expected to attend the Opening and Closing Plenary. We suggest that participants time their arrival on Sunday, June 25, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION:

Sunday 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

WELCOME RECEPTION - Sunday 5-7 pm

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

Please select one of the following programs:

PROGRAM 1:

EXECUTIVE REBOOT

Are you a new Local Executive member?
Then this series is for you!

Workshops include:

- CUPE 101 & Labour History
- Duty of Fair Representation/Duty to Accommodate, Grievance Handling, Stewards/Arbitration
- Team Building & Effective Communication
- Mobilizing & Bargaining
- H & S - Human Rights
- Financial Essentials
- Resolutions & Parliamentary Procedure
- By-Law Essentials
- Bystander & Anti-Racism

PROGRAM 2:

STEWARD LEARNING SERIES

If you are a “new Steward” or “Steward curious” this series is for you!

Drawing on workshops from CUPE’s Steward Learning Series Certificate Program, you will learn how to build your union’s people power.

Workshops include:

- ❖ Introduction to Stewarding
- ❖ Representing Members in Front of Management
- ❖ Conflict Skills for Stewards
- ❖ What Stewards Need to Know About Pensions
- ❖ Global People Power: Building Worker Solidarity
- ❖ Taking on Privatization
- ❖ Creating Harassment-Free Workplaces
- ❖ Growing our Mobilizing Power

Please Bring...

- ✓ a copy of your Collective Agreement
- ✓ a copy of your Local Bylaws
- ✓ Employer’s harassment/ respectful workplace policy/ procedures/ program
- ✓ a raincoat, umbrella and a heavy sweater or jacket
- ✓ personal sports gear (i.e. hiking boots)
- ✓ if you play a **musical instrument** please bring it!

