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### BIENNIAL CONVENTION DELEGATE UPDATE 4



## SOLIDARITY SESSIONS

It is not often that nearly 500 union activists get together in one place to plan, organize, strategize, discuss, and learn.

To ensure we are getting the most of this opportunity, and based on feedback from a delegates survey, the Convention Organizing Committee has been working with various NAPE Committee Chairs to host some additional sessions during breaks. These are not mandatory.

We are very excited about these additional sessions. Details will be provided at the Convention.

The Solidarity Sessions are:

- 2SLBGTQIA+ Session
- Anti-racism Session
- Women's Session
- Young Workers' Session
- Membership Mobilization Engaging and Activating Members
- Worker Health And Safety Advocacy 101

# SPECIAL REQUEST

### PHOTOS / HEAD SHOTS / TESTIMONIALS

We will be taking professional head-shots , still photos, and some video during convention.

We would really appreciate if you could bring one change of clothes/uniform/scrubs/outfit/vest/etc... that you normally wear to work with you to convention. But you don't have to bring your work outfit - either way, you can get a professional head shot or small group shot done at no charge.

We will send you electronic copies of the professional photos for your personal use after - free of charge.

We have almost 500 NAPE members from a large variety of workplaces and classifications all in one place and we want to take advantage of this opportunity.

We will also be doing some short videos for delegates to share their union stories.

We have done this in the past and it has gone over very well for all involved.

## SHUTTLE SCHEDULE

Parking is tight at the Delta, A shuttle bus service (Parsons & Sons Transportation) has been provided for your convenience and will pick up people from NAPE Office, 330 Portugal Cove Place (back lot).

#### Thursday, October 19th

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

#### Friday, October 20th

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

#### Saturday, October 21th

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m.





#### TENTATIVE AGENDA

The tentative agenda has been uploaded on the convention info page at <u>www.nape.ca/BC2023</u>

#### SCENT FREE

As per NAPE policy, please be advised that the convention is Scent Free.

Some people have severe reactions to scents.



#### **CHARITY WORK - A LABOUR OF LOVE**

We have a long and proud history of supporting local organizations through our charity work. Two of our core causes are Kids Eat Smart and Daffodil Place.

Please consider bringing or committing to donations to these very worthwhile causes, who will be attending the Convention. This is always a heartwarming and special part of convention.

We will also be hosting an auction in support of these causes (cash only).





### GENERAL INFO

#### **REGISTRATION**

Wednesday, October 18 4 – 8 pm

Thursday, October 19 8 – 9 am

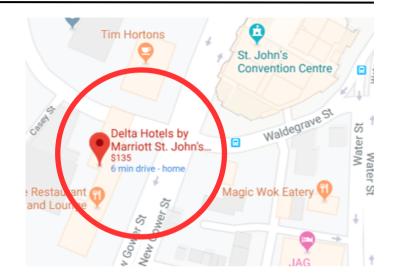
(Hotel Lobby by Salon A for both days)

Convention begins at 9am on Thursday, October 19

#### FIRST TIME DELEGATES SEMINAR

Wednesday, October 18 7 - 8 pm

All first time delegates are encouraged to attend this session as it will help you understand how convention works so you can make the most of your first convention!





#### SOCIALS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Wednesday, October 18 – Hospitality Room with Live Music

Thursday, October 19 - Live Music

Friday – October 20 – 'Havin a Time' followed by a dance featuring a live band – Bic and the Ballpoints!

