

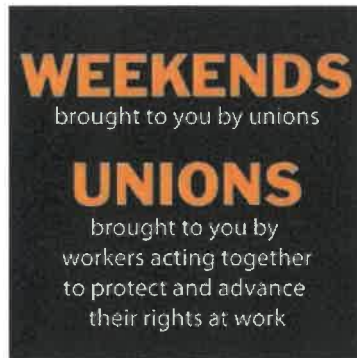
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Labour Day

Labour Day, the first Monday in September, has been a statutory holiday in Canada since 1894. It originated in the first workers' rallies of the Victorian era. Historically, workers marked the day with various activities. These included parades, speeches, games, amateur competitions, and picnics. The holiday promoted working-class solidarity and belonging during a time of rapid industrialization. Since the Second World War, fewer and fewer people have participated in Labour Day activities. Nevertheless, it remains a statutory holiday. Many Canadians now devote the Labour Day holiday to leisure activity and family time.



Greetings:

The road to success in the workplace requires persistence, passion, and commitment. Our members have demonstrated all three and more. Brothers and Sisters, you are the reason we celebrate Labour Day.

I would like to wish you an enjoyable and safe Labour Day weekend. Take the time to enjoy your family and friends and to put aside the stresses of your everyday work life.

Please remember our Brothers and Sisters who are no longer with us but devoted their lives to building the Labour Movement that we are so fortunate to have today.

Wishing you and yours a safe and happy labour day!

In solidarity,

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