



## Monday, September 3rd

Labour Day is almost here and there will be three celebrations across the province!

Please bring union flags, banners, t-shirts and most importantly your families, friends and co-workers.

The Halifax-Dartmouth & District Labour Council Labour Day March and Picnic will start at 10:30 am with a gathering at the South Commons Triangle (at the Willow Tree) in Halifax. At 11 am there will be a march around the Commons and the picnic starts at noon on the South Commons - Games for kids, music and free food and drinks. Please bring non-perishable food or cash donation for Feed Nova Scotia.

The Cape Breton District Labour Council celebration and BBQ is being held from 12 noon - 2 pm at the Sydney Boardwalk - Hot dogs, pop, ice-cream, face painting, a fish pond, prizes and music.

The New Glasgow and District Labour Council is holding their event at Trenton Steeltown Park from 1 pm - 4 pm. Please bring a non-perishable food item for admission. There will be hot dogs, a corn boil and a band.

## Reminder...

If you have not sent in your credentials for convention, please do! If you need additional copies of any information, you can get the whole convention package on our website: [www.nsfl.ns.ca](http://www.nsfl.ns.ca) or call our office at 454.6735.

NSFL 2007 Convention dates October 28th (evening only), October 29, 30 and 31 and it is being held at the Holiday Inn Harbourview in Dartmouth.

## NSFL Committees

We will soon be sending out a call for NSFL Committees. Federation Committees are re-constituted every two years after convention and we will soon be sending the call letter out to all Locals. Current committees are: Anti-Racism/ Human Rights; Committee on Political Action; Education;

Health Care; Occupational Health and Safety-Workers' Compensation and Women's. All letters of nomination must be submitted by the affiliated organization, not the individual person. Current committee members must be re-nominated. The nomination should include all contact information for the nominee as well as a brief summary of the person's involvement and why you think they would be qualified to serve on the committee.

We have had concerns regarding lack of participation on some of the committees and we would urge that you ensure those nominated will be interested in participating.

In our last few committee calls, we had additional committees listed but we did not receive enough names for them. If we get enough names, we will certainly look at re-establishing them: Environment; Transportation, Technological Change; Youth Committee and a committee to look at issues facing part-time and casual workers.

We will be sending out a detailed call letter soon. The deadline for nominations will be November 30th, 2007.