



Union Member - here is your August, 2022 e-newsletter (with updates since early July):

[Showcasing a New Contract that is "a 'Win-Win'"](#)

A recent agreement with unprecedented pay increases and step structure improvements benefiting current and future members is featured in our current collective bargaining report. [Click here to learn more about the historic victory won by paraprofessionals and school-related personnel \(PSRP\) union members.](#)

[Talking Labor History with the Next Chapter's Authors](#)

A national labor leader and a Connecticut barista joined the presidents of our state federation and a local affiliate for our latest podcast episode. [Click here to listen to Jan Hochadel and Monika Nugent's interview with activists organizing the coffee retail industry.](#)

[Appealing for the Community to Support its Caregivers](#)

Local union leaders engaged in tough, protracted contract negotiations in late July launched a new ad in their ongoing efforts to increase public awareness. [Click here to watch and share the video spot seeking solidarity with healthcare union members at the table.](#)

[Defending Past Gains and Securing a Better Future](#)

Members across the state are coming together to resist shadowy, dark money-funded special interests seeking to harvest our personal information and silence our voices. [Click here to watch and share the new video showcasing why we're sticking together and choosing "Union YES!"](#)

Upcoming Activities & Events

- August 4-25: [AFT Student Debt Clinics](#) (weekly, Thursdays)
- August 9: [Statewide, Congressional & Legislative Primary Election](#) *
- August 17: [Database Training Webinar for Healthcare Leaders](#)
- August 18: [New Haven Teachers Union "Reading Opens the World"](#)
- August 20: [Student Debt Clinic "Train the Trainer" Session](#)
- September 2: [CT AFL-CIO 7th Annual Labor Day Breakfast](#) *
- September 3: [Hartford Yard Goats "Organized Labor Night"](#)
- September 21: [Database Updating Job Class Training Webinar](#)

Featured Benefit

- Union Plus: [Unions Power America Contest](#)

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