



REMEMBER ► ON APRIL 28



NATIONAL DAY OF MOURNING FOR WORKERS INJURED, KILLED OR MADE ILL BY HAZARDOUS WORK.



A MATTER OF PRIORITIES SAFER, HEALTHIER WORK

**PLEASE
JOIN US**

**WINDSOR & DISTRICT LABOUR COUNCIL
FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2023 | 5:00 PM**

DAY OF MOURNING CEREMONY

LOCATION:

Coventry Gardens
Riverside Drive and Pilette, Windsor

International Floral Tribute at 5:50 pm in the vicinity of
Peace Fountain

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CHECK OUT OUR DAY OF MOURNING RESOURCES, INCLUDING A PROVINCE-WIDE EVENT LISTING WWW.WHSC.ON.CA

**ON APRIL 28. REMEMBER. *Mourn for the Dead. Fight for the Living.* More than a slogan.
#MAKEWORKSAFE. More than a hashtag.**

SURVIVING MATTERS. THRIVING MATTERS MORE.

BURNT OUT AND FED UP? YOU'RE NOT ALONE. The last three years have been difficult ones. They have created new workplace hazards and magnified many existing ones. They have exposed systemic weaknesses in the organizations and structures designed to supposedly protect us. The effect has been almost overwhelming at times.

But these years have also demonstrated what workers and their representatives can accomplish when they insist on their hard-won rights, especially the right to participate in matters affecting worker lives and livelihoods. The record shows, union workplaces were, and are, safer and healthier, both physically and mentally.

TOGETHER, WE WORK.

There will always be those whose priorities are not ours. Or those who pay lip service to our priorities but fail to back them with corrective action and definitive support. We needn't wait on them.

If history has taught us anything we win when we don't give into paralysis and inaction. When we set our collective priorities and work together to achieve them.

REMEMBER, THIS IS HOW WE WON:

- ▶ Provincial and federal health and safety laws
- ▶ Worker health and safety rights and employer responsibilities
- ▶ Recognition and sustained funding for worker organizations like
 - Occupational Health Clinics for Ontario Workers
 - Ontario Federation of Labour, Prevention Link
 - Office of the Worker Advisor, and
 - Workers Health & Safety Centre
- ▶ JHSC certification and working at heights training standards
- ▶ Workplace violence and harassment laws.

We know we have so much more to achieve. So, let's get on with it. Let's stay focused on our priorities. Let's educate, strategize, and ACT for worker well being – for what matters most.



APRIL 28, NATIONAL DAY OF MOURNING for workers injured, killed or made ill because of hazardous work – let's remember AND let's recommit to the work of working for workers.

WHSC, WE CAN HELP.

We are Ontario's only labour-endorsed, government-designated training centre. We help ensure you get the quality training you need – hazard-based, prevention-focused, worker-to-worker – where and when you need it. Working together, we can help workers not only survive, but thrive.

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