

SFT SOLIDARITY SPOTLIGHT

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LAST CALL TO SHARE YOUR STORY

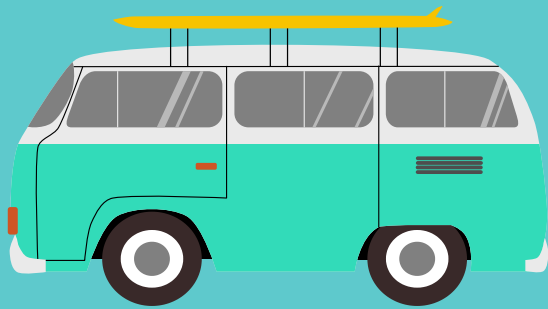
Why does your Union matter to you? The Council of NJ State College Locals is creating a membership video. [Learn more here](#). If you'd like to represent SFT and share your testimonial, email: emari.digiorgio@sftunion.org.

GET ORGANIZED

On Tuesday, July 23, 2024, AFT Academics will present the fourth of five online workshops in its summer training series on higher-ed organizing – "Making Powerful Plans." FREE and open to all members. For more info and to register, [click here](#).

APPLY FOR THE LABOR CANDIDATE PROGRAM

If you plan to run for any political office this fall, please apply for the NJ State AFL-CIO Labor Candidates Program by completing this survey njunionstrong.org and clicking on the "Become a Labor Candidate" icon.



SAVE THE DATE:

SFT Summer Workshop
Tuesday, August 27, 2024
9am-12pm



CENTRALIZED EMPLOYEE COMPUTER REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

You may have seen [ITS' 6/10/24 email](#) announcing this new program: It's great news for members! In addition to cataloging current employee computers and mapping out an end-of-life & replacement cycle, the plan is to provide all faculty with a computer to meet their needs. For most new faculty, this will be a laptop and dock, procured by ITS or using existing inventory managed by ITS. If a non-standard device or additional software or storage is requested, ITS will work with incoming and existing faculty to best meet requests without requiring the use of R&PD funding. Only if an extraordinary specification is desired or additional peripherals are requested, the use of R&PD funds may be required to cover the cost difference.



YOUR VOICE MATTERS!

Have something relevant to organized labor and higher education that you'd like to share with your SFT colleagues? Please email emari.digiorgio@sftunion.org.



Trish Jones is joining our team as the new SFT Office Manager. She has over 15 years experience in NJ Public Education teaching English language arts, as well as special education classes. Prior to teaching, Trish was the Director of Special Events for the American Cancer Society. In this role, she organized Relay for Life events and Making Strides Against Breast Cancer walks. Trish will be a valued asset by bringing her skills and enthusiasm in supporting SFT members and officers.

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