

SFT SOLIDARITY SPOTLIGHT

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STAND IN SOLIDARITY W/ UNITE HERE 274

Join SFT Membership Chair Seth Carver at one of three SFT picketing shifts: Friday, 9/26, 3:30-5:30pm, Saturday, 9/27, 3:30-5:30pm, and Sunday, 9/28, 5:30-7:30pm. **Sign up** to picket, **donate** to the strike fund, and refrain from purchasing food and beverages while attending Philadelphia sporting events.

LEARN MORE ABOUT ORGANIZING

AFT Academic's first organizing training of the semester is this Wednesday, September 25th at 7pm ET on Zoom. Learn about issue identification tools and best practices for organizing campaigns. **Register** now for this FREE online workshop.

VOLUNTEER FOR TEAM PAY DAY PARTY

Where my party people at? SFT seeks volunteers to help with setup and breakdown for our events, including Pay Day Parties and the Retiree Celebration. This is a great way to contribute to the Union. **Sign up here.**



PAY DAY PARTY

Friday, October 11, 2024
4:30-7:00pm
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REMINDER:

MEME MAKING EXTRAVAGANZA

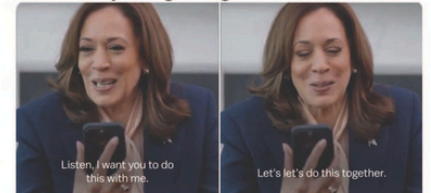
This free Zoom workshop on Thursday, September 26, 2024, from 6-7:30pm, is open to dues-paying members and the general public. Learn how to make memes and other remixable content – for teaching, professional, and/or personal use. Facilitated by SFT member Joe Cirio.

The Stockton Federation of Teachers - Local 2275 presents...

MEME MAKING

Extravaganza WITH SFT 2275

When I say I'm getting fries for the table



Thursday, Sept 26, 2024, 6-7:30pm EDT

Via Zoom: <https://tinyurl.com/239y68r8>

Host: Joe Cirio, Associate Professor of Writing & First-Year Studies



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.



SFT STANDS WITH UNITE HERE 274



On Monday at 4:30am, SFT Officer Seth Carver jumped into action to help set up strike headquarters at Citizens Bank Park.

Food service workers at ALL three Philadelphia sports stadiums are on STRIKE! Unite Here 274, which represents 4000+ hotel and food service workers in Philadelphia, is demanding wage increases, benefits, and an end to a pattern of fair labor violations by the Aramark Corporation. While wages at other major stadiums nationwide have increased with inflation, Aramark workers only earn \$14.11/hr. Further, while workers at all 3 stadiums are employed by the Aramark Corporation, their hours at each stadium are counted separately, making it impossible to qualify for medical benefits or overtime. SFT stands in solidarity with Aramark workers while they strike.