

# Labour Line

## ARTICLES AND NEWS OF NOTE

### The Home Line

YOUR VOTE  
IS YOUR VOICE...  
BE HEARD. 

#### Bargaining Proposal Ratification Meeting

Sunday November 24  
Central - Alice MacKay Rm  
6 pm  
<https://tinyurl.com/torbzx9>



#### General Meeting

Thursday November 28  
Kitsilano Branch  
6 pm  
<https://tinyurl.com/v2uhtds>

#### Unions for Beginners

Unions For Beginners presents the history of unions and the labor movement, the principles underlying union organizing, the decline of unions in the shadow of the rising corporate state, and the resurgence in the 21st century of union activism  
<https://tinyurl.com/ude8fco>

#### MEC used 'scare tactics' to warn workers against organizing, union says

The union seeking to represent staff at Victoria's Mountain Equipment Co-op alleges management interfered with a unionization vote after employees claimed the co-op used "scare tactics" in an effort to convince workers not to organize  
<https://tinyurl.com/ryknuuj>

#### Yukon union vows to fight gov't decision to close Queen's Printer, Central Stores

PSAC tells union members across the country to boycott Staples, who it says has a gov't printing contract  
<https://tinyurl.com/sx5vt4!>  
<https://tinyurl.com/ukfupm8>

#### The Strike at McDonald's Is About More Than Fighting Abuse—It's About Workplace Democracy

The workers, who were fighting for basic workplace dignity, a fair wage and a union, showed that they're ready to raise hell in the face of injustice by standing together  
<https://tinyurl.com/v5sunsej>

#### How the 8-hour working day became a global labour standard in 1919

100 years ago the first International Labour Conference adopted the first International Labour Standard on working time: C001 - Hours of Work (Industry) Convention, 1919 (No. 1)  
<https://tinyurl.com/uvq3byg>