# Napa - Solano Central Labor Council's



# 14th Annual Labor Day Breakfast & Political Kickoff September 5, 2022

### **Event Schedule**

| 9:30 AM Doors Open   |
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| 10:00 AM Breakfast Service Begins  |
| 10:30 AM Welcome by<br>Jason Gallia, Business Manager, Iron Workers #378 |
| G Anthony Phillips, President CLC  |
| Jon Riley, Executive Director CLC  |
| Danny Bernardini, Napa Solano Building Trades Council                    |
| Congressman Mike Thompson  |
| Congressman John Garamendi   |
| Assembly Member Cecilia Aguiar-Curry                                     |
| Lorena Gonzalez Fletcher, Executive Secretary-Treasurer,                 |
| California Labor Federation  |
| 11:45 PM Raffle Drawing  |
| 12:00 PM End of Event  |

Thank You

#### **Executive Director's Message**

We would like to welcome you all to our 14th Annual Labor Day Breakfast. So much has happened since we last met and with the upcoming elections our Council has been very busy ensuring that the candidates that we choose to endorse share our values. Our affiliate leaders met over 7 days as United Workers for Local Government, our Committee on Political Education, which has met every month since 2001 to hear from over 60 candidates. These leaders then came to consensus on recommendations which were forwarded to the Napa Solano Building and Construction Trades and Central Labor Council's delegate bodies, where they voted to endorse the candidates, you will meet today. Please take the time to meet them and see why we chose to recommend them to our 45,000 members and the community allies we work with.

This year we have witnessed a stunning increase in union organizing across the country, with a new generation of Labor Warriors who want the same opportunities their parents had, the right to organize, collectively bargain and work and retire with dignity and respect, and they are demanding a union. And the way that they are doing this is not only shattering the norms for outreach, but in the process, are making being a union member cool again! Add to that the addition of our new Leader of the Labor Federation, Lorena Gonzalez Fletcher, a lioness, with the background of being a fellow CLC leader and also a fierce advocate for workers' rights as an Assembly Member. Because of these, and the great work I see our affiliates accomplish on a daily basis, I have never been more optimistic about, or proud to be part of, the Labor movement.

But today is bittersweet, as we gather to celebrate the past sacrifices made to advance workers rights and look to the future of the Labor Movement, we do so with a heavy heart. We recently were advised that Lou Franchimon, longtime leader of the Napa Solano Building and Construction Trades passed away. I met Lou in 2001, when I was a firefighter, and we formed the United Workers for Local Government. He was instrumental in laying the groundwork for the many coalitions that we are part of today. Lou was a friend, mentor and Father figure for me, as I lost my own shortly before I met him. His impact on the labor movement can be seen today, so much so, that in 2012 we presented Lou with our first Lifetime Achievement Award. This is our highest honor we can bestow on a Sibling and bears his name. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family along with a special thank you for all the time he was away from them serving us.

Have a great Labor Day and be safe.



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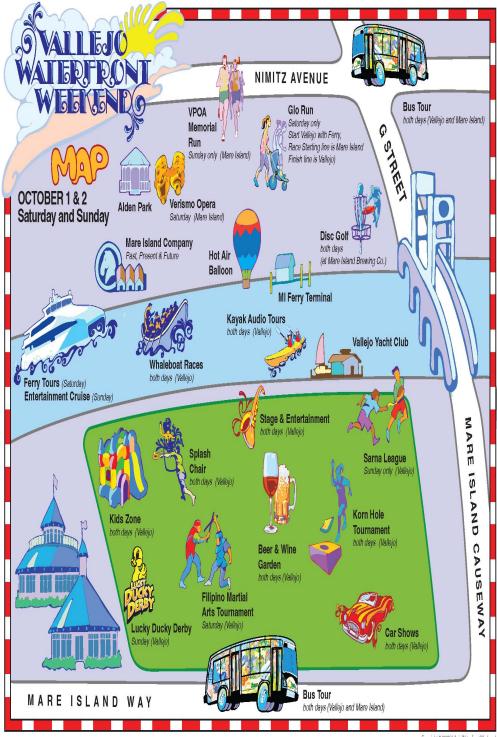
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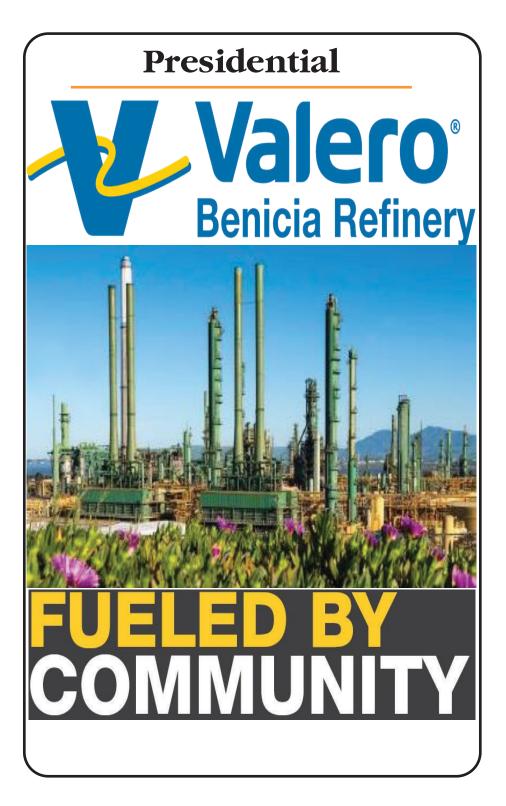
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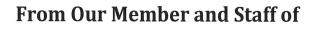
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Best Wishes for a Happy & Enjoyable Labor Day!



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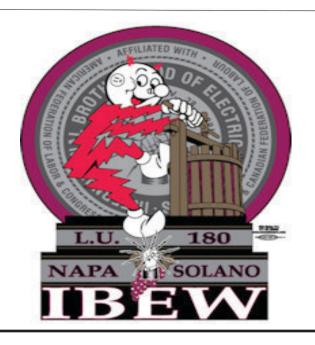
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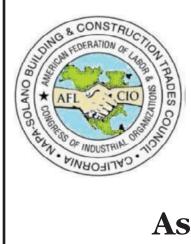
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