SWEAC OUT NOVEMBER 2016

The Sudbury Workers Education and Advocacy Centre is a non-profit, community/worker based organization committed to improving the lives and working conditions of people in low-wage and unstable employment.

RIGHT OF THE MONTH

Human rights are the basic rights and freedoms afforded to all people. Human rights laws are placed above all others. In Ontario, the Ontario Human Rights Code (OHRC) sets out 17 protected grounds of discrimination in 5 social areas including employment. Here are the 17 grounds as listed in the OHRC:

- Race
- Colour
- Ancestry
- · Place of origin
- Citizenship
- Ethnic origin

- Creed (Religion)
- Receipt of Social Assistance
- Sexual orientation
- Marital status (including single)
- Family Status
- Record of criminal offenses

- Age
- Disability
- Sex (including pregnancy)
- Gender Identity
- Gender Expression

If you have any questions about your human rights contact SWEAC at (705) 470-3323



Although Remembrance Day is not a paid public holiday, don't forget to show your thanks and support to those who have fought and sacrificed to protect the rights and freedoms we enjoy as Canadians. On Friday, November 11th, pay your respects to our veterans and join in one of the many ceremonies across Greater Sudbury or simply pause for a moment of silence at 11am.

November 10-13 Sudbury Indie Cinema Co-op will be putting on the **Best of Hot Docs Sudbury** film festival in Downtown Sudbury. SWEAC will be the host of the Opening film for the Festival, **Migrant Dreams**, a documentary about temporary foreign and migrant workers on farms in southwestern Ontario. Come join us for the screening at **Sudbury Secondary** on **Thursday**, **November 10th** at **6:30pm**. SWEAC has **20 tickets available free** of charge to members and clients of partner organizations, **first come first serve**.

Contact Jenny at 705-470-3323 or sudburyworkerscentre@gmail.com to reserve your ticket!



SWEAC would like to thank:

Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association (OECTA) for their donation of \$150

All those who came to our Paint Party Fundraiser, thanks to your participation SWEAC raised over \$500

All those who came to our Decent Work week events including the **Voices of the Working North video release** and the **Decent Work day BBQ** at Memorial Park

Out of 60 youth organizations engaged in YouthREX's Customized Evaluation Supports service, SWEAC has been selected as one of 12 nominees for their **Youth Sector Excellence Award.**



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kQVPaHI0DG4

Or search "Voices of the Working North" on YouTube

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Join the Sudbury Workers Education & Advocacy Centre for Our AGM!

Date: Thursday, December 1st, 2016

Time: 5:30 PM

Location: United Way Sudbury and Nipissing Districts

957 Cambrian Heights Dr, Sudbury

Snacks and beverages will be provided.

This space is accessible and has available parking.

This meeting is open to SWEAC members and to the general public.

Please RSVP by Monday November 28th, 2016

Email: sudburyworkerscentre@gmail.com

Phone: 705-470-3323

Hope to see you there!