# S.W.E.A.C SHUTOUT

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.

## **BIG CHANGES** happening this month!

In 2014 many individuals and organizations were successful in getting the government to index the minimum wage to the rate of inflation, which means the Ontario minimum wage is increasing on Saturday October 1st, 2016. The following table shows the changes

Type of Wage	Current Wage	Wage <u>beginning</u> October 1st, 2016
General Minimum Wage	\$11.25/ hour	\$11.40/hour
Student Minimum Wage (17 years and younger)	\$10.55/ hour	\$10.70/ hour
Liquor Servers Wage	\$9.80/ hour	\$9.90/ hour

to each wage in our province. It is important to note that even if the inflation rate decreases the minimum wage will **NOT** decrease with it.

### JOIN US AT THESE DECENT WORK WEEK EVENTS!

#### Saturday Wednesday **Thursday Friday** October 1st October 5th October 6th October 7th Rally for Decent Work Fight for \$15 and Voices of the **Worker appreciation Fairness Mail Blitz** at Queens Park **Working North Short BBQ** and Community (Toronto) Film **Art Project Drop into the SWEAC** Release 11am—3pm offices anytime @ Memorial Park 7pm –9pm @ between 9am and **Cambrian Open** (free event) 4pm to fill out a **Contact Bryan to reserve Studio** Postcard to our local space for a free booth! 93 Cedar Street MPPs. 705-470-2173 (pay what you can )

# The Sudbury Workers Education and Advocacy Centre (SWEAC)

invites you to its

# PAINT PARTY FUNDRAISER

WHEN: TUESDAY OCTOBER 11TH, 2016

**TIME:** 6:30PM-9:00PM

**WHERE:** THE TAPHOUSE NORTHERN GRILL + PUB

(1500 REGENT ST, SUDBURY)

TICKETS: \$50 EACH (INCLUDES 1 CANVAS, SUPPLIES,

& INSTRUCTION)

CONTACT JENNY AT (705)470-3323 FOR TICKETS

