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More than 5,000 members, families and friends came together to enjoy Unifor Day at Canada's Wonderland. Unifor urges provincial and municipal governments and corporations to stop advertising on Meta social media platforms. Solidarity for striking International Longshore and Warehouse Union members in Vancouver. Plus: Bargaining updates from Gardaworld and read the Labour Market Insights for June.

 **WHAT'S HOT**

 **TAKE ACTION**



The stakes are high in this year's negotiations with the Detroit Three, but autoworkers are ready to bargain a secure future in Canada's electric vehicle transition.



Order today to ensure your Orange Shirt Day (September 30) shirts are delivered on time! The deadline is Aug. 11.



IN THE NEWS



Greater Toronto Area Unifor members brought their families to celebrate a day of roller coasters, BBQ, mountain selfies and solidarity at Unifor's Member Appreciation Day at Canada's Wonderland in Vaughan, Ont.





In the wake of Meta's threat to ban Canadian news on its platforms because of the Online News Act, Unifor is calling on all provincial and municipal governments to follow the federal and Quebec governments' announcements that they will stop advertising on Facebook and Instagram.

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Unifor calls on the BC Maritime Employers' Association to bargain in good faith and negotiate a fair settlement with the International Longshore and Warehouse Union.

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Shinade Allder, Unifor Ontario Regional Council Chair, has won the 2023 Leading Women, Leading Girls, Building Communities Award for her leadership work to break down racial barriers and encourage Black youths to pursue careers where they can make change.

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Members of Unifor Local 114 working at the Victoria Clipper say the pace of bargaining for their next contract suggests that the Victoria-Seattle ferry service could be disrupted before the end of the summer.

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Wage gains, seniority protections, vacation time, and pension increases are all features of a first collective agreement signed by Gardaworld Unifor members at the Calgary airport.

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IN CASE YOU MISSED IT



The Black, Indigenous & Workers of Colour Conference is a bilingual event for members who self-identify to gain skills and build knowledge. Register now for the conference, taking place Sept. 15 to 17 at Unifor's Family Education Centre in Port Elgin, Ont.

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RESOURCES



Although employment increased by 60,000, the unemployment figure increased by nearly the same amount, pushing the unemployment rate up to 5.4% – the highest level since February 2022, according to June's Labour Market Insights.

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