

NEWARK TEACHERS UNION UPDATE

February 21, 2020

Reminder from President Abeigon...

It's a new day and there's lots of work to be done. Your input is valuable and your feedback matters to us. Please make every effort to attend. Car-pool, Uber, etc.

Join us for a
**NEWARK TEACHERS UNION
MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

AGENDA

- **FRAMEWORK EVALUATION COMMITTEE**
- **MIDYEAR EVALUATIONS**
- **LOTS MORE TO SHARE**

- * **\$350 IN DOOR PRIZE RAFFLES**
- * **PICK UP YOUR NTU UMBRELLA**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH@3:45 PM
SOUTH STREET SCHOOL

44 HERMON STREET, NEWARK, NJ 07105

Bring membership card or Photo ID, only NTU Members will be admitted

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Know Your Benefits—TransitChek



In our many discussions about wellness this year, we have talked a lot about the district's PeerFit program, where members can get free or discounted gym memberships, yoga classes, etc. Did you know that the district also has a transportation benefit called TransitChek?

Through this program, staff are able to set aside "pre-tax" dollars to pay for subway, rail, bus, ferry, and even qualifying parking

lots. This enables members to save up to \$1,200 a year! You can even share this benefit with your friends and family!

For more information, see the pamphlet on our website, and you can enroll at:

<http://www.tams.transitchek.com> (company code is RQO44) or via phone at 1-888-618-2435.



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2020 Hall of Fame Dinner and Scholarships

The NTU Education Foundation is proud to announce its 22nd Annual Albert Shanker Scholarship Awards and Hall of Fame Dinner on Wednesday, May 13, 2020 at The Robert Treat Hotel, 50 Park Place, Newark, NJ at 6:30 p.m. Tickets for this special program are \$80.00, which includes a buffet dinner and dessert, along with music and a special program for your enjoyment.

Last year, twenty students received academic scholarships, including two Presidential Awards in the amount of \$2,500.00, four Executive Awards in the amount of \$1,750.00 and the rest in the amount of \$1,000.00. You can support these fine young people and hardworking paraprofessionals by becoming a scholarship sponsor, purchasing tickets to attend our dinner, placing an ad for your business or publishing a personal message. Visit our website for the application, ad journal form, and additional information.

This year, we will be inducting Steve Adubato into the NTU 2020 Hall of Fame, and Senator Ronald Rice will be receiving our NTU Legacy Award. Both men have a long history with the Newark Teachers Union and the city of Newark.

We are relying on your continued support and good will to continue this worthy endeavor. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Johanna Rios at (973) 643 -8430 or e-mail ntuscholarshipawards@gmail.com

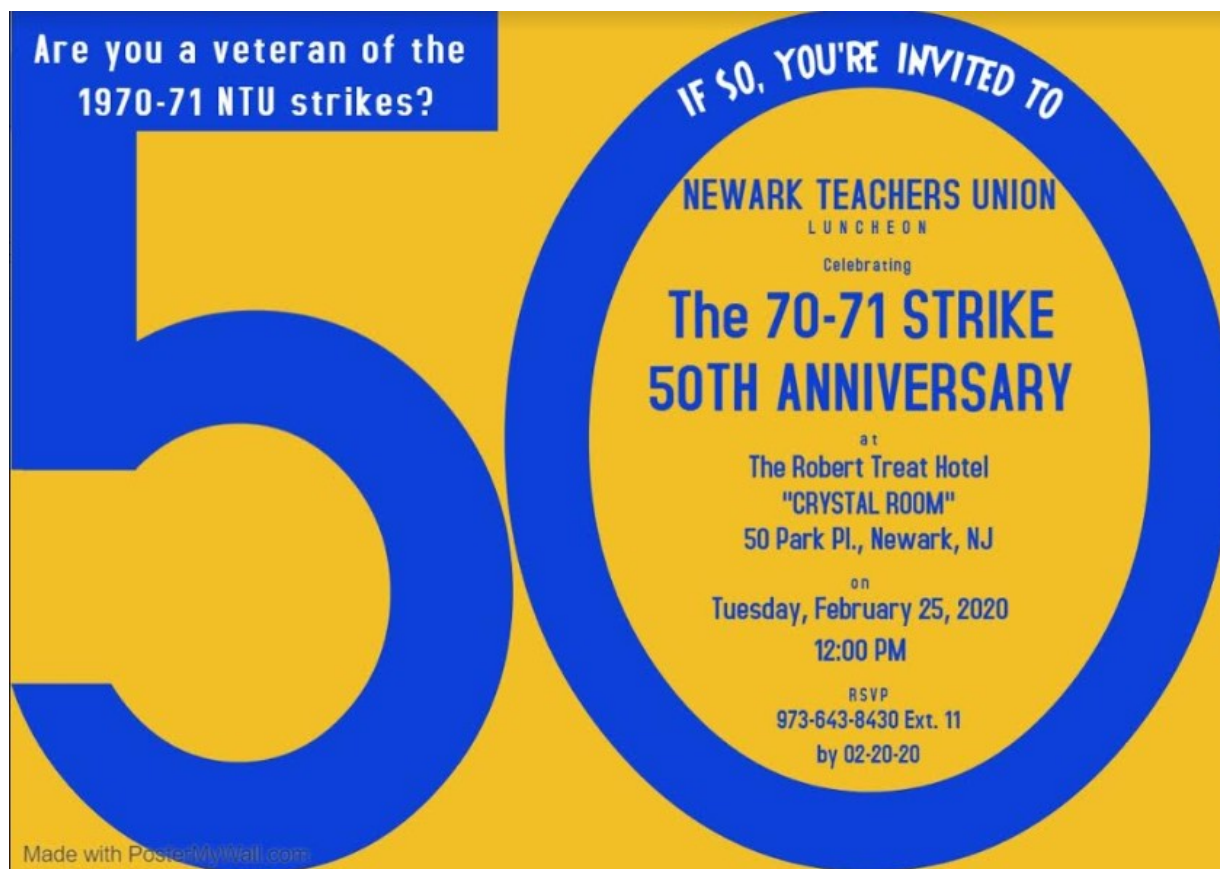
Essex-West Hudson Labor Council AFL-CIO Scholarships

Every year, the Essex-West Hudson Labor Council gives out scholarships to the children of the affiliated unions. This year, 10 \$1000 scholarships will be awarded!

[Please use the below application, the deadline is April 15, 2020!](#)

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SAVE THE DATE

- Tuesday, February 25, 2020, 6:00 PM—Newark Board of Education Meeting, Rafael Hernandez School, 345 Broadway
- Wednesday, February 26, 2020, 3:45 PM—NTU Membership Meeting, South Street School, 44 Hermon Street
- Tuesday, March 17, 2020, 3:45 PM—NTU Executive Board Meeting, 1019 Broad Street
- Wednesday, March 18, 2020, 3:45—NTU Building Rep Meeting, 1019 Broad Street

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NTU Website Update

Our website is still located at <http://newark.nj.aft.org>. Google seems to be having some issues finding the site, but it is still there. We have been in communication with Google on this issue and hope to have it resolved as soon as possible. You can still access the website through the above link, through other search engines, and through the link on our Facebook page. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

MEMBER SERVICES

NTU Members should never hesitate to communicate with us by phone, email, etc regarding any of the issues we handle at the Newark Teachers Union.

- Supplemental Fringe Benefits
- Planning for Retirement
- Pension & Buy Back Issues
- ER+D Staff Development
- AFT Membership Benefits
- FMLA and other leaves of absence
- Assistance with Evaluations and Observations
- Disciplinary Hearings
- Labor Relations & Payroll
- Legal Representation
- Workers Comp
- Tuition Reimbursement

Call 973-643-8430 or visit our website <http://newark.nj.aft.org> or email mmaillaro@newarkteachersunion.com to address these or any other concerns you may have.

Don't forget to follow us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/NewarkTeachersUnion481/>) and Instagram (https://www.instagram.com/newark_teachers_union/?hl=en)



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